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JOTTINGS.

—At three o'clock this afternoon the thermometer registered 99 degrees.

—It is now legal to shoot Woodcock. The law protecting them expires to-day.

—Kinney vs. Brown, an action on contract, will be tried before Justice Wadsworth on Tuesday July 5th.

—A couple of strolling musicians have been tormenting people around town with their music for the last few days.

—Mr. R. J. Perkins, of the Boston Clothing Company is removing his stock of clothing to his new store No. 42 West Front street.

—The Star base ball club (colored) of this city, expect to go to Brooklyn on July 4th to play a game of ball with a club there.

—A nine chosen from the employes of the Scott foundry will cross bats with the oil cloth factory nine to-morrow afternoon.

—The July meeting of the Borough Council will be held in the parlor of Warren Engine House on Monday o'clock this evening.

—It is officially stated that the limit of redemption of the trade dollar does not expire until September 3d, instead of July 3d, as heretofore announced.

—All the little Fourth of July fixings in ladies and gent's furnishings, can be found at Edsall's popular store, at the lowest prices, as elsewhere under the head.

—A nine chosen from the employes of the Potter Press Works are endeavoring to arrange a game of base ball with a Dunellen nine for to-morrow afternoon.

—Letters of administration were granted to Peter Hover and Mary Hoffman, on the estate of Wilson Hoffman of Piscataway, by Surrogate Rowland of New Brunswick.

—The gravel used by President Fish at the joint meeting of the Legislature when Rufus Blodgett was elected United States senator, will be presented to Senator Blodgett.

—On account of the Lawn Tennis games the New Brunswick road race of the Plainfield Bi. Club, which was to have taken place to-morrow has been postponed indefinitely.

—No liquor seller will hereafter be received into any Masonic Lodge in Dakota, either by initiation or affiliation, the grand lodge at Huron having adopted a resolution to that effect.

—Two hackmen at the depot, shortly after seven o'clock last evening, became engaged in a sparring match, and displayed their pugilistic abilities to the best advantage. No arrests were made.

—The stock of the Job Male Art Gallery is being painted, but so as not to interfere with people going in and out only half the stock is painted at a time. A notice on the door informs all visitors that no books will be given out on the Fourth.

—The annual meeting of the Catholic Total Abstinence Union of America will be held in Philadelphia early in August. Bishops and priests of the church are before identified themselves with the movement are expected to be present and take an active part.

—On Monday, July 4th, the members of St. Joseph's church will hold their annual picnic in the Crescent Rink. Good music has been engaged and every effort is being made to insure to those who attend a pleasant time. A special entertainment has been arranged for the pleasure of persons who will not participate in the dancing.

Somerset Peach Growers.

A number of the peach producers of Somerset County met in the Washington Valley schoolhouse, Wednesday evening, for the purpose of forming an organization for mutual advancement and protection. For years past the individual peach growers have been at the mercy of commission merchants and railroads, and many of those fruit raisers have received little return for their labors. They now propose by the formation of a union to have freight tariffs to New York reduced, or they will drive into Newark with their peaches. They are in favor of the idea of selling or giving the basket with the peaches, and appointed a committee to make arrangements toward looking up a new market, that of New York being already overrun.

The prospects of the peach growers of Somerset county were never better than at present. The production promises to be twice what it ever was before, both by reason of the new orchards coming into bearing and the general fulness of the trees. At the same time the Delaware peach crop, which was early estimated at 8,000,000 baskets, is now reported to have dwindled down to 1,500,000 baskets, and looks as if the Jersey peach growers might make some money this year, especially through organized effort.

Who Stole the Rig?

Last evening a Front street grocery clerk hired a buggy at a livery stable and after riding around for awhile tied it in front of a Second street saloon and went inside to "see a man." When he came out the rig was gone set, missing, gone, and he could not account for its disappearance. After vainly searching around for awhile he complained to the police that some one had stolen his rig, but they could do nothing for him. It now turns out that a friend had borrowed it to take home to his wife for and when he got through with it returned it to the owner. The clerk seems loth to believe it was a fake.

List of Advertised Letters

Remaining in Plainfield Post Office for week ending July 1, 1887.

Adams, Louis Mr.
Armstrong, O D
Brown, Minnie Miss
Barry, Geo Mast
Cogan, James
Dilgo, Annie Miss
Egan, Dennis @
Frost, Nellie Miss
Hockinson, Jas
Hight, R E Mrs
McCauley, S Miss @
Metz, Annie May Miss
Mchany, Supt
McNamee, Dominick
Nauman, Sto
Perkey, James
Sanger, T Miss
Streuber, W
Spencer, Geo O
Wright, H Mrs
Wilbe, David Rev
Willet, Lewis
Wooley, Jimie
White, N B Mrs

Persons calling for above please say advertised. W. J. WOOD, Postmaster.

THE INSTALLATION.

The Rev. Mr. Schenck Installed Pastor of Trinity Reformed Church—Interesting Exercises—Rev. Drs. Taylor, Waters, and Millingual, of Newark, Present.

Rev. Cornelius Schenck was last evening installed pastor of Trinity Reformed church, in the presence of a large congregation.

The pretty church was tastefully and profusely decorated with flowers, and presented a most cheerful scene, except that the best was intense, making fans in vigorous demand.

The Classis was represented by Rev. Dr. Waters, who is the president; Rev. Dr. Taylor and Rev. Mr. Veshlage, all of Newark. They were seated on the platform.

Mr. Tinsworth was in his usual place at the organ; Mr. Brown, assisted by Mrs. Jeffrey, led the singing.

The exercises were begun at 7.15 o'clock. A trio, "On Thee, Each Loving Soul," was sung by Mr. and Mrs. Jeffrey and Mr. Brown.

The invocation was made by Rev. Dr. Waters of Newark.

The anthem, "Arise, O King of Grace, Arise," was sung by the choir, and the choir and congregation then sang the hymn, "I Love Thy Kingdom, Lord."

After the singing of the hymn the scriptures were read by Rev. Dr. Taylor of the Clinton Avenue Reformed Church of Newark, who read a selection from the 133d Psalms and followed by prayer.

Rev. Dr. Taylor then preached a sermon from the text contained in the 47th chapter of Ezekial and 1st verse, which was as follows:

"Afterward he brought me again unto the door of the house; and, behold, waters issued out from under the threshold of the house eastward; for the forefront of the house stood toward the east, and the waters came down from under the right side of the house, at the south side of the altar."

The learned divine applied the subject of the living waters to the present state of the church, the Gospel being full and free and everlasting, sufficient to cleanse and purify all who bathed in its waters.

He amplified this line of thought. Among other things he said that some object to Christianity because of the imperfections of some of its professors. As well condemn the Mississippi, because of the refuse that was carried down with the stream. The main body of the water, however, remains pure.

In applying the thought he urged all to partake of these living waters, "of which if ye drink ye shall never more thirst."

After the sermon and a hymn the form of installation, as contained in the church liturgy and which is very impressive, was read by Dr. Waters, who is the President of the Classis.

Rev. Mr. Schenck, after the by-laws and creed of the Reformed Church of America had been read to him by Rev. Mr. Veshlage, was required to subscribe his name to the same, endorsing them as his, and be accountable to the Classis of Newark, of which this is a part; this after he had answered "Ja" to each of the questions put.

The hymn sung was "Send Out Thy Light," which was rendered with good spirit.

Then followed the charge to the pastor by Dr. Waters. He admonished the pastor to preach the Word authoritatively, earnestly, faithfully and tenderly.

Mr. Veshlage's wife is of Irvington N. J., charged the people. He told them that there were certain obligations resting on them. That they should co-operate with the pastor in the work of the Lord. That they should support him by their prayers, and presence, at the religious services.

As the officiating clergymen were obliged to get on 9.18 train, the services were necessary brought to an abrupt closed. Rev. Mr. Schenck, pronouncing the benediction.

The new pastor is a native of Weston, Somerset Co., N. J., where he was born September 5, 1856, and is consequently twenty-eight years old. He was educated at Rutgers College, graduating from the college in the class of 1879, and from the Theological Seminary at New Brunswick, in 1882.

His first charge was as pastor of the Fourth Reformed church, Philadelphia, where he remained about five years, and until called to the present charge.

He is unmarried, and is the youngest of two brothers, both ministers. The elder brother is Rev. Isaac S. Schenck, pastor of the Reformed church at West Ghent, N. Y.

Rev. Cornelius Schenck, has taken up his residence permanently at No. 44 East Second street. His mother resides with his brother at West Ghent, his father having died when he was a child.

Mr. Schenck has shown himself a man highly qualified for his charge, and the people of the church are very enthusiastic in their support of him. The ministers have also welcomed him most cordially, and he comes into the distinguished company, as one likely to add much to its strength as a power for good.

In the Sessions.

Wednesday in the Court of Sessions at Elizabeth prisoners were arraigned and their cases disposed of as follows:

Mary O'Bryne pleaded guilty to an allegation of larceny, and was sentenced to pay a fine of $5.

Toney Rouff, charged with assault and battery pleaded guilty and was sentenced to the county jail for ten days. On representations to the court this sentence was revoked and Rouff was re-sentenced to pay a fine of $5.

John Clark and Andrew Hyde, two defendants, were bailed for trial.

Election of Officers.

The semi-annual election of officers of Trinity Lodge, A. O. U. W., took place Wednesday evening at their lodge room on Park avenue, resulting as follows:

C. C.—Geo. Gardner.
V. C.—J. Cleary.
Recorder—Jas. Sharkey.
Master of Arrears—Lewis P. Bickford.
Trustee—Walter L. Haddad.

These officers will serve for six months.

Boosting the Record.

Last evening Postmaster W. L. Force caused a second warrant to be issued against the editor of THE NEWS, on a charge of libel, and may keep that sort of thing up as long as he can find a justice to issue such warrants. The accused was released on bonds, in the sum of $500, to await the action of the Grand Jury, which meets in October, and to which such matters are referred, and, if considered wrong, an indictment found, when arrest and trial follow. There were two of the most prominent and respectable Democratic citizens of Plainfield on hand to go on the editor's bond, but Hon. James Clark of Seventh street, the millionaire, was first in order, and signed the bond, even before the editor himself could respond to the summons.

The protest for the last arrest was our correction of the World's account of the first one, in which the facts were misstated. In the correction we simply republished in substance matter from THE NEWS, during the past three years, to show that we have been receiving slanders and our people from security.

These attacks were begun in the people of which the postmaster is editor, and the principles could have been then substantiated by the facts, if our neighbor desired to ask for them or pay to the labor he has since taken. He was not then postmaster. He seems to consider malice at the bottom of the replies, notwithstanding the fact that during the fifteen months of his incumbency of the office not an unkind reference has been made to him. In the language of the poet would come of what had been said.

"Not him who putteth on, but him who taketh off, is the hypocrite," say replies, says Holy Writ.

If people dreaded the postmaster's power before the arrival of THE NEWS, and if since then it has lost any terrors for them; if it was formerly a power for harm, and for the right since been broken completely by THE NEWS, and it has rapidly been relegated to obscurity, a spirit of envy and malice may have been thereby aroused. Certainly there has never been any envy or malice in us, nor any occasion for it. We are now built that way, and usually don't bother with the small fry that are. We have said all that is necessary to say on the subject.

We give below the law relating to the question of libel, which may at this time prove of interest:

Article 1, Sec. 5.—Every person may freely speak, write or publish his sentiments on all subjects, being responsible for the abuse of that right. No law shall be passed to restrain or abridge the liberty of speech or the press. In all prosecutions or indictments for libel, the truth may be given in evidence to the jury; and if it shall appear that the matter charged as libelous is true, and was published with good motives and for justifiable ends, the defendant shall be acquitted; and the jury shall have the right to determine the law and the fact.

The question for the Grand Jury is, have we abused that right?

Deserted Their Children.

A few months ago John Deady was arrested on complaint of a young woman charging him with seduction. The case came up before Judge Ulrich and Deady settled the matter by marrying the girl. They lived together but a short time when a child was born. It was found that the couple could not agree, and they seperated, the mother taking the child and leaving it with a family agreeing to pay its board, which she did for awhile. Last evening James Burns, went to Chief Dodd and complained that he could not find the mother of the child and wanted to know what to do with it. He stated that his wife had visited the place where the mother had been employed and had been informed that she had left the city the previous day and did not leave her address. Chief Dodd sent him to Overseer of the Poor Norton and he will look into the matter and see what can be done for the child. The father has also left for parts unknown, fearing arrest on a charge of shooting a colored man named Staats, and also for disorderly conduct.

BOUND BROOK.

Mr. Merim Baxter of West Chester, N. Y., visited his son, M. W. Baxter, Sunday.

Mr. C. J. Somers' family, of New York, are visiting friends in town.

Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Field, are engoying the company of J. K. Field, down the river.

The Orphans Orchestra met at Mr. C. E. Dunham's home, Tuesday night.

The Reformed church will have an engagement to play in Westfield, 4th of July.

The Reformed church in Bloomington was the scene of a pretty wedding, Wednesday evening. Mr. Peter Meriette was married to Miss Ella, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Coffman. Both are well known and the church was completely filled with many invited guests. Rev. James P. Shocket officiating. Miss Flumerfelt of Newark was bridesmaid and Isaac Hoffman of Newark, groomsman. The bride looked as much. At 7.30 precisely the hour appointed, the bridal party entered the church, Misses Flumerfelt and Mr. Hoffman first, Miss Teetet and Frank W. Somers. The ushers led the way followed by Mr. Hoffman with Miss Flumerfelt, and Mr. Somers with Miss Teetet followed by the bride and groom. Miss Jeanette Webster of Raritan presided at the organ. Flowers were tastefully arranged about the altar. Immediately after the ceremony the happy couple took a carriage for the Lehigh Valley depot, and left on the 8.30 express for New York. After a week's absence at different points along the seashore, Mr. and Mrs. Meriette will return and make their home in Bloomington. Among the guests were friends from New York, Plainfield, City, Newark, Raritan, Somerville and Glen Gardner. The bride received many costly and useful presents.

Convicts Pardoned.

In accordance with the law passed last winter making the records of the Board of Pardons open to public inspection, the reporters of the press were on hand for the first time of the Court were enabled to get a list of eight convicts pardoned.

Among the convicts were those of John Meyers, of Camden, sentenced in February, 1886, to two years for breaking with intent to kill Georges Brown, of Camden, and the larceny and watering, sentenced in March, 1886, to six years; Robert Davis, Essex county, Felonious Entry, one year; Joseph Fisher, larceny, 1885, to five years, and John Fringe, Essex county, breaking and entering, sentenced in May, 1886, to five years.

Frank Ottenthal was convicted of receiving the property of the company from the Singer factory. He was sentenced to state Prison for two years on September 17, 1886, and pardoned on June 15, 1887. Ottenthal's residence is in Elizabeth, and he had previously borne a good character.

Frank Ottenthal was convicted by Justice Dabb on March 7th, 1885, with James McGuire. They were legally convicted of burglary. They were Newark men.

—Railway will properly observe the nation's holiday. A parade will take place in the morning and in the evening there will be a grand display of fireworks.

PERSONAL.

Rev. Dr. J. R. Vincent and wife, left this city yesterday for Chautauqua, N. Y.

Rev. Wm. E. Honeyman and wife started yesterday for a week's visit to friends at Mount Freedom.

Arthur J. Loree, of Brookside, N. J., is visiting his sister Mrs. Charles B. Stephens, of Union street.

Mrs. Charles Guilberg, nee Miss Euphemia Frazee, left this city yesterday for her home in Jersey City.

Mrs. W. L. Patton, of East Ninth street, starts Saturday for North Long Branch to be gone all summer.

Pasque Island, Mass., will for three weeks be the stopping place of Mr. A. B. Dunlap of LeGrande avenue.

Yesterday Miss Alice Lansing, Vice-Principal of the Dunellen school, sailed for Europe on the steamer "Germania."

Justice Austin and family, of Craig place, North Plainfield start to-morrow for Sayreville, N. J., for a week's recreation.

The home of John Darling is receiving a coat of white paint by that skillful artist, his son, William Darling, and John Boper.

The Rev. Wm. R. Richards is announced to preach to-morrow morning in the Seventh Day Baptist church at half-past ten.

Mr. A. F. Wright, the General Manager of the Electric Light Company in this city, has returned from his trip to Massachusetts.

Mr. C. C. Cobbald, wife and son Frank, of West Seventh street, started to-day for Schroon Lake, New York, to be gone all summer.

Mr. W. R. Potts and family of West Seventh street left Plainfield yesterday for Monmouth Beach, where they will spend the summer.

Mrs. Rayl of Ohio, daughter of Mrs. McMurtrie, of Sycamore street, North Plainfield, is expected here in a few days on her usual summer visit to her mother.

Mr. R. V. Lindabury, of Elizabeth, sailed for Europe, Saturday, on the steamer "Britannic." Mr. Lindabury has many warm friends in Plainfield.

Thomas F. Randolph, the well known grocer, is building a house on Central avenue to be occupied by himself and family. Lewis Titsworth, of Dunellen has the work in charge.

Harry Van Remsellaer, the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. N. W. and Virginia Pike, died at the residence of his parents, on East Front street, yesterday, aged seven months and eleven days.

William M. Tallman, of Maple avenue, North Plainfield, owns a handsome large cactus, which contains over seventy buds. It presents a very attractive appearance and is much admired.

Ex-Councilman William Connelly of Elizabeth, was yesterday appointed by Collector Klots, Deputy United States Internal Revenue Collector for this District, to succeed William H. Reynolds.

Isaac Smalley, corner West Second street and Central avenue, will start Monday, July Fourth, on a fishing visit to his son, Edward. During his stay he will assist his son in establishing another livery stable.

Robert Freeman, of Broadway and Hillside avenue, died yesterday afternoon at the advanced age of seventy-seven years. Deceased was well known, having been a resident of this city for a number of years.

Mrs. Mary Lindsay of West Front street, accompanied by Mrs. John Mair and daughter Rachel of this city, and Mrs. Cushman of New York, start for Scotland next Wednesday morning, per steamer State of Georgia. She has not visited her birthplace for eighteen years, and expects to be gone about three months.

Yesterday afternoon at half-past twelve o'clock, Mrs. Zeporah Irving, widow of the late Jacob Irving, died at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. A. E. Bushnell, on East Second street, after an illness lasting twelve weeks. The cause of death is assigned to general debility and old age. Deceased was well-known here, having been a resident of this city for over fifty years. The funeral will take place from her late residence, Tuesday afternoon July 5th, as per notice elsewhere.

Rev. Dr. Guernsey, of New York, was called in consultation to-day in the case of Mary Lewis, the sixteen-year-old daughter of Rev. Dr. Lewis, who is lying at her parents' home on Central avenue, seriously ill from blood-poisoning, resulting from a quinsey sore throat. During the past eight days she has been a great sufferer, and her father has had no rest during the past eight nights, watching by her bedside. She latterly is subject to attacks of vomiting, which greatly distress her. She is a most talented girl, particularly at music, and her recovery is anxiously hoped for by a large circle of sympathizing friends. Dr. Guernsey is a specialist in this class of diseases.

The Color Line at Asbury Park.

EDITOR EVENING NEWS:—In reading in your issue of the 23d inst. the action of ex-Mayor Bedle, of Asbury Park, in the colored race, I was reminded of old "abolition times" and the decision of Judge Taney, at one time, when he said that "the negro has no rights that the white man was bound to respect," and so it is to-day. That is the sentiment that has spread all over this country, since the proclamation of emancipation of the slaves, and the civil rights bill became a law. But it seems that the sin of slavery has reached down from other generations, and appears upon the surface now and then, but it is not to be remembered that Asbury Park is advertised as a public resort, and as the colored race has been emancipated, and belong to the human race, and citizens of our republic, it must be recognized; and, if so, they are endowed with certain inalienable rights, among which are life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness. In the opinion of Asbury Park, I am sorry, that that noble colored race should come from abroad to spend their money, and that gentleman forbid that such a Christian gentleman as the Rev. John H. Hector from Plainfield, should be insulted, and refused to give up his seat in the car, when he has given up such side notions on temperance in our city and other places of late, from entertaining the idea that Plainfield is a place that little town of pleasant resort! Better not attempt to carry out such threats at this season of the year, for the colored race knows the laws and gentlemen, and go along about your business. An Abolitionist.

LATEST DISPATCHES.

THE NEWS controls the services of the American Press Association and the United Press, and is the only paper published in this section that possesses a Telegraphic News Franchise.

Thermometer Record.

The following is the record of the thermometer for this day and for the corresponding date of last year, as kept at Stelle's drug store, corner of Front street and Park avenue.

1887			1886	
6 a. m.	70	55	Sun rises	4 32
9 a. m.	86	67	Sun sets	7 25
12 m	97	75	Moon rises	
3 p. m.	99	84	Moon sets	1 46

Weather Indications.

For Friday, in New Jersey, eastern New York, and eastern Pennsylvania, and in New England, fair to partly cloudy weather, with nearly stationary, followed by slightly lower temperature, and possibly light local rains in the first two sections.

Suffocated to Death.

MADISON, N. J., July 1.—A fire occurred here this morning, in the residence of Mrs. Burger. When it was extinguished a man living on the place was found dead. It is supposed he died from suffocation.

Murdered His Wife and Killed Himself.

CHATHAM, Essex County, July 1.—John Wilson, laborer, living near this place, while in a passion this morning, seized a gun and tried to shoot his daughter, but she fled from the house. His wife tried to prevent him from pursuing her, when he turned and shot his wife through the heart, killing her instantly. Then he reloaded the gun and blowed his own brains out.

The coroner was immediately notified. Drs. Wolfe and Swain were summoned and found both husband and wife dead. Eight children survive—three girls and five boys—three of the children being under six years of age.

Free Delivery System for New Brunswick.

NEW BRUNSWICK, N. J., July 1.—Charles Darby, U. S. Gov. P. O. Inspector, was here yesterday with a view of establishing a free delivery. The city has complied with all the requirements, and will start it here as soon as the preliminaries can be arranged, which will probably be within a month. There will be seven carriers here, who will each receive a salary of $750. Each carrier must be over twenty-one years of age, and of good, moral character.

An Editor's Shot.

IOLA, Kansas, July 1.—W. L. Allard, of this place, was shot and killed last night at Moran by W. S. Samuel, a druggist. Samuel has had temporary charge of the Moran Herald, and in yesterday's issue published an article accusing Allard of business recklessness. The two men met in the street, and after a few words, Allard struck Samuel, knocking him down. He was following up the attack when Samuel drew a revolver and shot him, the ball passing through his body and causing death in an hour. Both were young married men and highly esteemed.

Destroyed by Fire.

WASHINGTON, S. R., July 1.—A fire broke out this morning about one o'clock, in the large barn in the rear of Josiah Voorhees' place, completely destroying it. One of two horses in the barn was rescued, the other was so badly burned that it was necessary to kill him. Four hogs were burned to death. Large quantities of hay, together with several sets of harness and a number of wagons were destroyed. The place is one of New Brunswick and caused great excitement in the neighborhood, as ignited portions of some of the contents of the barn were carried some distance in the air, threatening the destruction of other property. The men and women in the vicinity turned out in force and formed a bucket brigade, working until nearly daylight to try and save as much property from destruction as possible. The damage is placed at $1,200, and there was no insurance.

Arrested for Shooting Woodcock.

Chief of Police Dodd arrested James Brown of Mt. Bethel, at the depot this morning with a string of woodcock and arrested him under the act prohibiting the shooting, having in possession or disposing of any woodcock on or before the first of July. The chief then made a complaint before Justice Wadsworth and lodged in the county jail over night for this afternoon. Brown was held in $25 bail to appear for trial on July 16.

STATE NOTES.

Captains of canal boats lying in the canal basin have been accustomed to make their headquarters at the Hotel Stelle, Jersey City much to the annoyance of the steamboat company. Yesterday morning Superintendent Goddard of the canal ordered the line out loose. Peter Yates, captain of one of the canal boats, the lines of which had been cast loose, greatly enraged and hurled an hatchet at Mr. Goddard. The hatchet barely missed its Policeman Hart has been sworn in as a special officer to prevent a serious wound, though not dangerous. Yates was arrested.

James Trainor, of Jersey City, who was a witness for the defense in the trial of Patrick Carrol for complicity with Thomas Lafferty and Joseph Cipello in the murder of Gustave Lipschutz, a strolling musician, on the night of May 7, has been arrested by Detective Sergeant Bresnahan on the charge of complicity in the murder. The Grand Jury yesterday presented a bill against Trainor, charging that Carrol, assisted by Trainor, with the defendant at the time of the murder, and as soon as he had left the witness stand, Detective Sergeant Bresnahan arrested Trainor under arrest. Carroll was convicted of murder in the second degree. It is probable that Lafferty, Cipello and Trainor will be tried jointly.

NOTICE—The Plainfield Gas Light Co. would call attention of the Gas Consumers in this city to the marked improvements recently made in the construction of gas stoves for heating and cooking.

The SUPERIORITY of the Gas Stoves for roasting, baking and broiling has been demonstrated in the cooking schools of New York, and remains unquestioned.

We invite the inspection of these stoves at our office corner of Fourth and Washington Sts.

Persons desiring to test the cleanly of the stoves on bring articles to be cooked; and gas will be furnished for such tests FREE OF CHARGE.

SPECIAL RATES will be made for gas used for cooking so that the cost will compare favorably with the use of coal. The stoves will be offered to our customers AT COST, or can be rented at moderate rates. PLAINFIELD GAS LIGHT COMPANY.

Died.

IRVING—Zeporah, widow of the late Jacob Irving, in her 74th year.

Funeral from her late residence on East Second street, Tuesday July 5, at 3 p. m. Relatives and friends invited without further notice.

FREEMAN—In this city, June 29, Robert Freeman in the 77th year of his age.

Funeral from his late residence on Broadway at four p. m., Saturday.

Special Notices.

ALL THE MEMBERS of the Dunham Choristers are requested to be at the regular business meeting at the home of the President, M. E. Dunham this evening. W. H. HARVEY, Sec.

Plainfield July 1, 1887.

TO THE PUBLIC:

The early closing movement has started. The undersigned merchants of Plainfield have agreed to close their stores every evening (Monday and Saturday excepted) at 7 p. m., commencing Tuesday, July 5th, and continuing through July and August. Dry goods—Howard Pope, S. H. Whitney, F. Lederer, Jas. E. White & Son, Mrs. Force, J. H. Hoagland, Wesley Edsall, Mrs. F. Dean, Louis Callman. Clothing and Furnishing Goods—Harry Werner, Schobel Bros., Edsall's, R. J. Perkins, O. M. Dunham, U. B. Crane, E. Laing, F. A. Pope.

Coutts-a-Word-Column.

AN EXPERIENCED, wide-awake reporter is wanted on THE NEWS. One who has some knowledge of the printing business preferred. 7-1-tf

A FIRST-CLASS massage rubber, $1.00 per hour. Mose Hamilton, corner Sixth and Division streets.

BOARDERS wanted at 73 E. Second street. Mrs. E. Smith. 7-2

COMMENCING July 5, the dry goods, clothing and furnishing goods stores will close at 7 p. m. (Monday's and Saturday's excepted.) 29-5-tf

FOR SALE—Fine bay horse 18 hands high, seven years old, drives single or double. Also a pair 13 1-2 hands high. Address box 201, Plainfield. 7-1-tf

FURNISHED ROOMS to let, with or without board, at No. 11 West Second street. 5-29-tf

MONEY to loan on first mortgages on real estate in sums of $500 to $5000. Apply to Jackson & Codington. 29-tf

MONEY to loan on first mortgage. Box 1211.

PASTURE for horses. Enquire of D. Hand, Netherwood. 7-1-tf

WANTED—A steady reliable woman, colored preferred, to cook and help wash and iron. 13 E. Fifth St. corner Sycamore. 29-tf

COMMENCING July 5, the dry goods, clothing and furnishing goods stores will close at 7 p. m. (Monday's and Saturday's excepted.) 29-5-tf

WANTED to purchase a bicycle. Address with full particulars J. Harrison, Post Office.

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COLLEGE OARSMEN

Columbia Freshmen Victorious in the Race Against Harvard.

NEW LONDON, Conn., July 1.—Nearly 10,000 strangers were in town yesterday to see the Harvard-Columbia 'Varsity mile eight-oared shell race. Both crews were on the water practicing early in the day. Columbia did so well that the betting changed considerably in their favor.

The tide was beginning ebb when the boats started, and there was a light wind against them. Columbia was in the Harvard's water at the start. Columbia got away a fraction of *a second ahead, and increased her lead rapidly* for 30 strokes. Harvard started at 38, and Columbia at 36. At the end of the first half mile point, being then 7 seconds ahead, and at the mile they were 15 seconds, or three lengths ahead. Sanborn, No. 3 of Harvard's crew, fainted at the mile stake, and all on the irons the rest of the race. This accident occurred, however, when Columbia had practically won the race. There were five open lengths between the crews when Columbia crossed the line at 6:42:50. Just as Columbia crossed Sanborn fell in a faint in the bottom of the boat, and for a few minutes unconsciousness for nearly half an hour. He was considerably cut, and his plucky rowing is greatly admired. The time by half miles is as follows:

	Columbia.	Harvard.
First	2:45	2:52
Second	5:46	5:49
Third	8:47½	8:51
Fourth	11:11	11:31½

The Columbia boys are jubilant over their victory, and are painting the town crimson.

THE CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION

Reinstate a Clerk Who Was Dismissed for "Offensive Partisanship."

WASHINGTON, July 1.—The civil service commissioners have issued an important order in regard to what constitutes partisanship in the service. The case in point was that of Edward E. Neal, of Indiana.

In April Neal, a clerk in the adjutant general's office, war department, was dismissed the service on account of activity in politics. It appears that he was a Republican candidate for the last election, and declined at the instance of his superiors, to withdraw his name, whereupon he was dismissed. The commission held that Neal was only exercising his rights as a citizen, and that unless his candidacy distracted from his efficiency as a clerk, which was not alleged or shown, his dismissal was improper and ought to be annulled. The commissioners therefore holds that Neal is still a clerk of the department, and is eligible for examination.

"Had Neal neglected his duties in the interests of his candidature," explained Commissioner Oberly, "that would have constituted partisanship, but his mere candidacy did not."

THE LOCOMOTIVE ENGINEERS

Listen to Words of Advice from Chief Engineer Arthur.

OTTAWA, July 1.—Grand Chief Engineer Arthur, of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, speaking at a public meeting of the order, held here yesterday, said that there is a fair field for labor and capital and labor. Labor had its rights, but no labor organization had a right to prevent others from working. It was a right given by God to every man to work, but when a man could work, but when labor organization tried to prevent others from taking the place of strikers they made a great mistake. Capital also made the mistake that it tried to tyrannize over men. He said: "Be honest, truthful and do your duty. It is not what you have or possess that makes a man; it is character, and he who has that is the peer of any man on earth." The Brotherhood of Engineers was a distinctive labor organization, and he thought it stood out prominently as the organization whose principle commended it to the consideration of every fair minded, honest man. Mr. Arthur's remarks elicited many outbursts of applause.

Boring for Oil.

BRADFORD, Pa., July 1.—In the New York and Pennsylvania regions 170 wells were completed in June, with a new production of 5,324 barrels. The dry holes numbered 28. Compared with May there is an increase of 24 new wells and of 2,152 barrels in new production. As against the month of June 1886 there are 65 new rigs up and building, 107 old rigs—rigs which have been standing thirty days or longer—and 135 wells drilling. A total of 307 rigs against 178 the count at *the end of May there is a decrease of 16 new* rigs and 29 drilling wells, making a total decrease of 45. The number of old rigs remains the same as it was on the last day of May. The increase in new production comes from the new wells at Kinzua village, Reinhold and Bingham No. 4 and 5 on the Marian farm at Washington, Pa.

Fined for Profanity.

MORRISTOWN, N. J., July 1.—Henry Sire, the wealthy horse dealer who was summoned to appear before Justice Drake on a charge of using profane and obscene language *on the public streets in violation of a* city ordinance, yesterday walked into the justice's office and paid a fine of $5 and costs. The public notice called a sure treat, as Sire at first vowed he would give the complainant, Hon. J. O. Shelly, a milkman, "all the law he wanted." Sire has told all about town that when he returns from his trip west to purchase horses he will bring evidence before the grand jury against Shelly and have him indicted for perjury. Shelly was the nature of Shelly's offense, and it is generally believed that his only object is to allay public sentiment against him and to smooth over his defeat.

The Royal Invalids.

BERLIN, July 1.—The public is still much concerned over the health of the emperor and the crown prince. Regarding the latter alarming rumors have been circulating, to which the physicians have given official denial. The emperor, though in good health, shows evidences of increasing feebleness. His physicians desire to save him as much as possible from the obligations of visiting the people during his drives and walks, which are now made with less publicity. The emperor leaves the palace by a different door and the spectators are kept away from the usual thoroughfare. He gave audience yesterday to the departing Greek minister in the presence of Count Herbert Bismarck.

The Power of Europe.

ROME, July 1.—In the chamber of commerce yesterday Signor Mancini declared that the alliance of Italy, Germany and Austria had been concluded with the sole object of preserving the peace of Europe by openly defensive means. It was this alliance that had preserved France from the horrors of war.

A WIFE'S DEVOTION.

MRS. SHARP'S TENDER CARE OF HER CONVICTED HUSBAND.

She Speaks of the Happiness of Her Life in the Years That Have Gone, and Asserts That the Present Trial is Killing Them Both.

Recent years has favor been shown to prisoners in Luther county jail, the practice of allowing a man's wife to share his imprisonment. Both of these exceptions were in notable cases. The first was when Jacob Sharp, the notorious Mrs. Ferdinand Ward remained with her husband to nurse him through the illness which overtook him there. The second was that at present before our eyes—the frail, loving old wife of Jacob Sharp sharing his confinement.

To one upon whom such a burden has never rested, the case of Mrs. Sharp in the county jail with her convicted husband *seems only a most natural and easy thing,* but it is proving to her a burden almost greater than she can bear. Mrs. Sharp remains beside her husband every night—and all night—sitting by his bedside, eagerly anticipating his *every wish.*

"I love my dear husband," she says to all who try to comfort her, "and he has given us great happiness together. I trust him."

Mrs. Sharp is a delicate woman, dignified and charming for one who must certainly be nearly 70 years old. When a woman and a stranger enters a room the Wednesday morning court cause look at once: "Mrs. Sharp does not remember the name, but she will be glad to receive you." And when the visitor enters the large, airy, pleasant room that looks out upon the courtyard in the center of the jail Mrs. Sharp stood with hand outstretched to a woman she never saw before.

"What can I do for you, my child?" she said.

There was no smile on the delicate, pale face, and the voice was weak and almost broken, but the look and all the tone was that of a gentle woman, whose first thought, even in her trouble, was that she could "be of use" to some one else. The unconventional speech made the conversation that would so easily have been strained natural and free. Mrs. Sharp very soon spoke of her "dear husband," as she always calls him, in the most natural and most unaffected way. At the same time she spoke feelingly of the burden that they have been carrying together and which they bore so unspeakably severe. "They are killing us both," she said, passion ately. "We are old people now and every stroke tells upon me." Mrs. Sharp spoke of herself in this way, as if she were very near the end of the days she might expect to be granted her, but no one seeing her for the first time would think of her as being "old." Indeed, a man who has seen her a number of times about the jail, spoke of her as being about 48 or 50 years of age. Her hair is quite gray now and is worn in soft waves about her face. Her eyes are dark and clear, real womanly eyes. Her nose is straight and fine, and the whole type of face is, as near as it may be expressed, that which is always regarded as typical of the best of the gentle lady." Not the strong, determined New England woman's face, but the quiet, refined, gentle face of the woman whose life follows years of repression, thoughtfulness and care. In height Mrs. Sharp is about five feet two or three inches, and in figure neither generous nor slight. In short, she is all in all, the wife of this man whose name is on every tongue is just the woman whom his disgrace must cruelly hurts, but whose love will outlast it all. Dignified, sympathetic, loving and a Christian woman, it is small wonder that the bond between them should be so close. How close this bond has been Mrs. Sharp's own words tell best. Speaking of their happy life together she said:

"We have been so happy, my dear husband and I. He has been everything to me that a woman could ask or desire. My every wish, my slightest fancy, it has always been his pleasure to fulfill. Oh, we had been looking forward to our fiftieth year! Fifty years we should have been married the 23d of next March."

"Should have been,' Mrs. Sharp?"

"Yes, yes, should have been!" It is killing my dear husband before my eyes, this terrible trouble, and I know that if anything should happen to him I should soon go, too. We have been happy too long for one to be content without the other now."

"But surely you do not feel so seriously alarmed about Mr. Sharp's condition. He is not worse?"

"Not worse perhaps in one way, but he is so weak. No one but myself and his physicians know how weak. He has been so brave about it, so almost foolishly brave. It has seemed sometimes to me as if he did not realize what it meant; he has been so strict that I could not do more than I did, and that could possibly be construed into a desire for effect. He has not allowed me to go to the court room for fear people of the effect it would have on me and partly for fear it would seem like trying to create sympathy. He has sat bolt upright in his seat for hours at a time when he would be with to be out of bed, and he has been as cheery and as helpful to me as he could be. Not even to me has he complained of the unnecessary things that have been done to him, of the disgrace more deep and infamous."

Even while she talked, Mrs. Sharp kept glancing constantly at the room wherein her husband was trying vainly to get a little rest. As she finished speaking the trim young woman, who had been laying the table, motioned to her, but Mrs. Sharp waved her away. It seemed as if it were a relief to her to speak and speak freely.

"Oh, if only, only people knew him as I know him," she continued, "how they would feel for nearly fifty years and I have been his confidential friend as well, but I have never known him to be capable of doing anything that was not honorable. Even in the most trivial things he has believed that what he has said he would do, he must do, and that he would not say he would do anything that was not right. He has been honor itself. He has practised always what he preach. I, and he has tried to bring up his children to believe and act as he does.

"Before I go, Mrs. Sharp," said the visitor, warmly, "is there anything that I or any one else could do for you?"

"Nothing—nothing. I thank you for coming. It has been a comfort to me. They have been very considerate and kind to us here, but it is a horrible place to call home. No; there are only two helps for my dear husband and myself now. One is the lifting of this terrible black cloud and the other is—death for both."

Mr. Parsons, of counsel for Sharp, says that on July 13, when his client comes up for sentence, he will ask a new trial on the ground of errors. If that is refused they will ask for a stay of sentence pending appeal. If refused, they will apply to another judge than Barrett.

Brought Back for Trial.

PHILADELPHIA, July 1.—Detective Miller arrived here from Toronto with the famous swindler, J. A. P. Wilson, the defaulting treasurer of the Delaware and Chesapeake Canal company.

SPORTING MATTERS.

The Record of Baseball Games and Text Events.

The winners at Poughkeepsie yesterday were Skylight, Pilot, Garnet and Alroy.

The races at the seaside track, Bridgeport, yesterday were well attended, the victors being Atlanta, Dewdrop and Joe B.

Ball games yesterday: At Pittsburg, Pittsburg, 10; Boston, 8. At Chicago—Whitestocking, 4; Chicago, 3; 10 innings. At Detroit—Philadelphia, 10; Detroit, 5. At Indianapolis—New York, 11; Indianapolis, 10. At Cleveland—Cleveland, 13; Cincinnati, 12. At St. Louis—St. Louis, 11; St. Louis, 4. At Brooklyn—Athletic, 4; Brooklyn, 3 (13 innings). At New York—Baltimore, 16; Metropolitan, 4. At Utica—Utica, 9; Syracuse, 5. At Toronto—Buffalo, 7; Toronto, 6. At Bridgeport—Bridgeport, 17; Danbury, 6. At Hartford—New Haven, 4; Hartford, 2. At Scranton—Newark, 9; Scranton, 7.

New Louis, July 1.—At Sheepshead bay yesterday: First race, three-quarters of a mile; Tea Tray first, Bay Ridge second, Pocatello third; time, 1:17½. Second race, one mile; Troubadour first, Gonfalon second, *Duplex third; time, 1:42. Third race, one* mile and three-sixteenths; Le Logos first, Mirth third; time, 1:56. Fourth race, one mile; Tirza race, one mile and a half; Hanover first, Dunboyne second, Oneko third; time, 2:35¾. Fifth race, one mile; Barbarossa first, Duke first, Una B. second, Boaz third; time, 1:53¾. Sixth race, one mile on the turf; Choctaw first, Wanderment second, Grenadier third; time, 1:44.

CHICAGO, July 1.—Yesterday's events: First race, three-quarter mile dash, for 3-year-olds; Wallenstein first, Mirth third; time, 1:16. Second race, one mile; Aurelia first, Carnegie second; time, 1:44¾. Third race, the Englewood stakes, one mile; Ben Brush first, Bramble second, Indoo Rose third; time, 1:44. Fourth race, one mile and a quarter, selling; Irish Pat first, Gold Flea second, Wahoo third; time, 2:10. Fifth race, one mile race, for all ages, selling; Brookful first, Gray Cloud second, Kensington third; time, 2:10¾. Sixth race, mile heats, hurdles; Tennessee first, Ascot second, Gladiator third; time, 1:50½, 2:04.

PHILADELPHIA, July 1.—The race between Harry Wilkes and Gossip, Jr., postponed from the 23d ult. on account of unfavorable weather, took place this afternoon. The course yesterday afternoon in favor of Wilkes. There were about 5,000 spectators. The match was for an announced purse of $5,000, with $1,000 added, provided Wilkes' record of 2:18¾ was broken. Only two heats were run, Gossip, Jr., retiring at the end of the second heat. Both were won by Harry Wilkes. He was sent a mile against the best time made on the Point Breeze course (St. Julien's, 2:17) and easily lowered the distance in 2:16¾. He was sent to beating the record in the first class, which Donald won from Lulu, Governor and Gen. Ewing, after four heats. Time, 2:21¾.

WILLIAMSPORT, Pa., July 1.—Steve Brodie, the bridge jumper, and Pat O'Leary, the well known pugilist, have been matched to fight three rounds with soft gloves on July 15. The fight will be to a finish. London prize ring rules to govern, for $300 a side and a purse. Two ounce gloves will be used.

NEW YORK, July 1.—Backers of the friends of Jack McAuliffe, light weight champion of America, and Jem Carney, light weight champion of England, was held here yesterday to arrange a match for the light weight championship of the world. Carney and McAuliffe were present to sign the articles of agreement, which stipulate that the fight shall come off on or before the first of next March. The fight will be to a finish, London prize ring rules to govern, for $2,500 a side, and will take place between Oct. 1 and 15. He has been empowered by the sporting editor of The Globe to act as stakeholder, and Mr. Al Smith, of New York, final stakeholder. Carney left Boston yesterday for Montreal, where he will go into active training for the match under the mentorship of Patsy Sheppard. William Daley said that he would back Mike Daley, of Bangor, Me., against Carney.

Marine Intelligence.

NEW YORK, July 1.—Steamers Polaria, Hamburg; Delta, Port de Paix; Rhosina, *Newport; Mystic Bell, Singapore;* Valencia, Laguayra; Wilhelmarie, Boston; H. F. Dimock, Bonaire; Kanawha, Jacksonville; Osama, San Domingo, Bark Rita Stewart, Port Spain. Brig Hendrik Jan, Baramaribo. Sailed steamers Ems, for Southampton; Fontland, from New York, for Southampton; Penniand, from New York, *off the Lizard.*

TRADE BULLETIN.

New York Money and Produce Market Quotations.

NEW YORK, July 1.—Money closed stringent at ¼@½ of 1 per cent. per diem, in addition to the legal rate. The highest rate was 2 per cent. and the lowest ½ per cent. Prime mercantile paper closed nearly: posted rates, $4.84@4.84½; actual rates, $4.83@4.84; for sixty days and $4.86@4.86½ for ninety days. Sterling exchange was steady; currency 9; 1884 bid; 4, coup. 1904 bid; 6's, do., 1904 bid.

Under a stringent money market the stock market was very weak during the afternoon. Sales were large every hour and were near the lowest of the day at the close. Manhattan went down from 137, at which it closed last night, to 137, and recovered to 138, at which it closed to-night. The decline in the rest of the list for the day ranged from ¼ to 1¼ per cent. The dealings in Manhattan were on a very limited scale, the tightness of the loan market retarding business.

General Markets.

NEW YORK, June 30.—FLOUR—Closed weak, and some heavy sales were obtained at slight concessions; winter wheat extra, $3.15@3.80; city mill extra, $3.60@4.10; Minnesota extra, $3.10@4.30. Southern flour steady; common to fair extra, $3.50@4.10; good to choice extra, $4.20@5.

WHEAT—Options were fairly active and irregular. June was especially unsettled. It opened at $1.05 and soon declined to $1. The other months were also lower. Spot sales of No. 2 red, in store, 1.05@1.05½; No. 2 mixed, June and July, 1.04@1.04½; Aug., 1.05; do., Sept., 1.06; bid.

OATS—Options were dull and weak, closing ¼@⅜c. lower. Spot lots closed steady and unchanged. Spot sales of No. 1 white state at 38c.; No. 2 do., 38c.; No. 2 mixed, July, 31¼@32½c.; do., July, 32c.; do., Sept., 31½c.

RYE—Dull and nominal; western, 54@56c.; state, 60@63c.; Canada, 59@59c.

BARLEY—Dull and nominal.

PORK—Dull; mess, 10.50@11.75 for old and new.

LARD—Closed quiet, but firm; cash, 7.42½; July, 7.42½; Aug., 7.42.

BUTTER—Dull, but firm; state, 12@18c.; western, 10@13c.

CHEESE—Firm; state, 8½@9c.; western, 8¼@9c.

EGGS—Firm; state, 15½c.; western 15@15c.

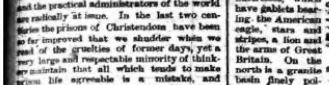
SUGAR—Raw steady; fair refining, 4 7-16c. Refined easier; cut loaf and crushed, 6 1-16@6½c.; mould A, 5.86c.; standard A, 5.74c.; confectioners' A, 5.62c.; cubes A, 5.74c.; powdered, 5.74c.; granulated

BELGIUM'S NEW PRISON.

HOW THE CONVICTS OF THAT LAND ARE TREATED.

They Are All Subjected to Solitary Confinement of the Most Rigorous Sort Even When They Are Being Preached To—Prisons in General.

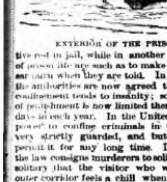
Belgium has carried the system of solitary confinement to its farthest possible limits. Her scientists and administrators have apparently studied long on plans to preserve a prisoner in health and sanity, yet completely isolated from his fellow beings, and the result is seen in the cellular prisons, of which Belgium now has thirty. In those the figure of speech, "a living tomb," has become an awful reality, and the civilized world will watch the experiment with great interest, for the decision of convicted as against solitary confinement is one on which the humanitarians and the practical administrators of the world are radically at issue. In the last two centuries the prisons of Christendom have been so far improved that we shudder when we read of the gruelling of former days, yet a very large and respectable minority of thinkers maintain that all which tends to make prison life severe is mistaken, and that the horrors of prison life have their justification in the deterrent effect on possible criminals. To this the humanitarians have two answers: one that innocent men are sometimes imprisoned, the other that cruelty, no matter in what form, hardens the criminal. The result of these outstanding sentiments is seen in the strangely contradictory policy adopted in the United States. In one state the criminal is so tenderly dealt with that tramps commit minor offenses in order to take a vacation-



EXTERIOR OF THE PRISON.

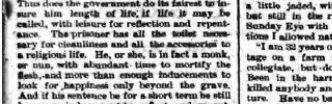
ity in jail, while in another the horrors of solitary life say such as to make the popular sense of humanity rise in revolt. In England all the authorities are now agreed that solitary confinement tends to insanity; so that, form of punishment is now limited there to a few days in each year. In the United States the power to confine criminals in that way is very strictly guarded, and but few states permit it for any long time. In Michigan the law consigns murderers to solitary cells, so solitary that the visitor who walks in the outer corridor feels a chill when he realizes that men like himself are hopelessly immured behind those thick walls and iron doors. The result, as shown by the prison statistics, is that the confirmed murderer rarely lives ten years. A sentence in Michigan is only better than the death penalty in that it gives longer time for reflection and repentance, and far worse in that it is really a sentence to death, with the added horrors of slow torture.

In Belgium, after long trial and consideration of both methods, they have decided in favor of solitary confinement for prisoners of all terms up to ten years. In 1869 M. Berden, chief of prisons, began the work of remodeling all the penitentiaries on Americans cell system, and now there are thirty such in the little kingdom. We give a representation of the last one constructed, that of St. Gilles, at Brussels, which "accommodates" (what a word! the report uses it) 600 prisoners. In these prisons every other consideration is sub-



PRISONER IN WORKING DRESS.

ordinate to that of keeping the prisoner solitary. Even in the chapel, where he attends on the offices of religion, the prisoner sees no one but the minister. His "pew" is a cell, and from it he can only look straight forward to the pulpit. From the chapel, or from his work or daily promenade in the prison yard, he goes to a cell where he is as completely isolated as if buried; but his cell is comfortable as regards comforts go. It is spacious, light and airy; he has a neat iron bedstead, a table, a comfortable chair, a carpet and gas light at night. The ventilation arrangements are good, and his food is scientifically adjusted to insure health and strength. Thus does the government do its fairest to insure him length of life, if life is may be called, with leisure for reflection and repentance. The prisoner has all the toilet necessary for cleanliness and all the accessories to a religious life. He, or she, is in fact a monk, or nun, with abundant time to mortify the flesh, and more than enough inducements to look for happiness only beyond the grave. And if his sentence be for a short term he still has every inducement to reflect and repent, and his condition should certainly convince him that "the way of the transgressor is hard." But whether this system produces a larger percentage of reformations than the



PRISON CHAPEL.

other, or whether insanity increases under it, are not yet informed; we await the report of results. The prisoners do some work, but is all subordinate to the idea of reformation.

In the first place, all who have no regular occupation fand it is a noteworthy fact that few criminals have ever learned a trade) are at once taught a trade; and the prison authorities promise that they will make a man an apt shoemaker in a year, a fair tailor in six months, or a weaver in three. Of course all the work of the prison is done by convicts, and so economically are the prisons managed that the cost to government averages but $80 per year for each convict. The more fact that it costs something, however, shows that the prisons are run for other objects than saving money. The Belgian system naturally attracts much attention, and the results will be of much value to Americans.

GIFT TO STRATFORD-ON-AVON.

A Shakespearean Drinking Fountain Erected by George W. Childs.

George W. Childs, of Philadelphia, has had a beautiful drinking fountain with clock tower built at Stratford-on-Avon, in England, in Rother market. The citizens of the birthplace of Shakespeare feel this is a magnificent gift—and long ere finished in that quiet village.

The base and trophy of the monumental are of Peterhead granite, the balance a variety of fine, delicate stone, gray in color, brought from Bolton wood, in Yorkshire. The base is square, with projecting buttresses, which have panels bearing the American eagle, stars and stripes, a lion and the arms of Great Britain. On the north is a granite

SHAKESPEAREAN DRINKING FOUNTAIN.

shield, finely polished, and inscribed, from a bronze spout. On the east and west sides are troughs for animals, and on the south a door affording admission to the interior. The inscriptions are cut into the stone as follows:

The gift of an American citizen, George W. Childs, of Philadelphia, to the town of Shakespeare, in the jubilee year of Queen Victoria.

II.

In her days every man shall eat in safety
Under his own vine, what he plants; and sing
The merry songs of peace to all his neighbors.
God shall be truly known: and those about her
From her shall read the perfect ways of honor,
And by those claim their greatness, not by blood.
Henry VIII. Act V, Scene 4.

III.

Honest water, which ne'er left man i' the mire.
Timon of Athens, Act I, Scene 2.

IV.

Ten thousand honors and blessings on the bard
who has gilded the dull realities of life with innocent illusion.—Washington Irving's "Stratford-on-Avon."

The height of this monument to the vale is fifty-five feet. The four dials of the clock are under crocketed gables, with finials representing "Puck," "Mustard Seed," "Pear Blossom" and "Cobweb." The clock is illuminated at night. The arches are glazed and light the chamber in which the clock is placed.

At the corners are cylindrical turrets, terminating in conical spirelets in two stages, the surfaces of the cones enriched with scale like ornament. The clock faces project slightly from a cylindrical tower flanked by four circular smaller three-quarter detached turrets of the same plan; from the main central cylinder springs a spire of slightly concave outline, and the four turrets have similar but much smaller spirelets, all five springing from the same level, and all terminating in lofty gilded vanes. Immediately below the line of springing is a band of panelling formed of arcade trefoiled arches. The central spire has on four opposite sides gabled spire lights, and, at about one-third of its height, a continuous band of narrow lights to ventilate the sound of the clock bells.

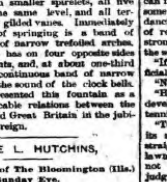
Mr. Childs presented this fountain as a token of the amicable relations between the United States and Great Britain in the jubilee of Victoria's reign.

GEORGE L. HUTCHINS,

The Humorist of The Bloomington (Ills.) Sunday Eye.

Writing of his career as a newspaper man, George L. Hutchins, the humorist and editor of The Bloomington (Ills.) Sunday Eye, said a short time ago:

"My life has not been turbulent with hairbreadth escapes or deeds of heroism, so necessary to the success of self made men. The greater portion of my years, young life was passed out upon the columns of the Chicago, St. Louis and Denver newspapers. In a cloudburst of rural enthusiasm I established The Sunday Eye in Chicago, taking it from Bloomington, where it was looked upon with an eye of favor. For two years I succeeded in keeping life and



GEORGE L. HUTCHINS.

fair very quiet. To the great, groping world it was a profound secret, and I do not think it would ever have leaked out had our servant girl exercised the same careful reticence that has always characterized her when fluminating the kitchen stove with kerosene. Three years ago I brought back to Bloomington the mercurial remains of my $10,000 experience, a little jaded, winded and weather beaten, but still in the ring. After plastering The Sunday Eye with a few healthful prescriptions I found myself free to take her counsel.

"I am 33 years old, born in a vine clad cottage on a farm near Clinton, Ills. I am a collegiate, but don't bank much on that. Been in the harness fourteen years, never killed anybody and never threatened to lecture. Have no bad habits known to the police. Was at one time associate editor with John H. Oberly, civil service commissioner, when he published The Daily Bulletin in this city. He is a bad egg. Bad eggs always 'bob up serenely.'"

Mr. Hutchins' face is clean shaven, save for a gracefully drooping mustache, and, unlike the countenanceless of many humorists, is round, smooth and jolly. His humor has brought his paper into general prominence. Its edition is upward of 45,000 copies.

A Relic of the Confederacy.

On the grounds of the United States Naval academy at Annapolis, a superannuated Confederate torpedo boat is an object of much interest to visitors, for, although it will stand no comparison with modern boats of the kind, it was during the rebellion one of the most formidable craft of its type. It will be remembered that more than a score of northern

OLD CONFEDERATE TORPEDO BOAT.

vessels were destroyed by the southern torpedo service. The methods of the Confederate government were thorough in securing information for use in this service, and through the torpedo bureau at Richmond, Europe was scoured for material and ideas.

GAME OF LAWN TENNIS.

SOMETHING ABOUT "THE NOBLEST OF OUTDOOR GAMES."

Its Strong and Weak Points—Its Popularity—Everybody Can Play It—Courts and Racquets—Tennis Gowns, Hats and Shoes—Its Facilities for Flirtation.

Lawn tennis is an offshoot of the game of tennis, the most famous and difficult of games of ball. It is an adaptation to suit outdoor courts, which are marked out on turf or on smooth ground. It is said to have been invented long ago; but within recent years it has been popularized. It is a game either for two, three or four players. For single handed games the court is twenty-seven feet wide and seventy-eight feet long. The net, which divides it across the middle, is three feet and a half high at the posts which brace it up and three feet at the center. The double court, for three or four handed games, is thirty-six feet wide.

Tennis clubs among persons of leisure exist all over the country. Their members, though by no means all expert players, unite in promoting lawn tennis as the "noblest out door blast of outdoor game." Why? Because it arouses in the players a lively interest, and is a game which "both sexes can play." Ladies! "Oh, bless you, yes. Some ladies are number one players; but very few, though. But then few ladies are experts in any game, for the reason that they rarely have a right down to playing a game for all it is worth. They do not educate the eye to be quick. They don't think rapidly, and their muscular movements are not to quick and agile as men's—all for lack of practice, too. And they are less patient in games than men, though in the hard lines of real life their patience of Queen Victoria.

STARTING LATE.

"But is it not a game that requires considerable outlay of physical strength?"

"Yes, of course," said the young man who is authority on tennis. "It takes strength as well as some skill to play tennis, and ladies can in time, by practice if they don't exercise some judgment; but they can do the same in dancing, rowing, walking, riding—any form of recreation. Young gents a day are all the strongest young lady ought to play, and all the sensible one will play."

"If judgment is used in lawn tennis a beneficial game physically it is?"

"None better. It exercises all the muscles."

"How about the right arm; is it not unduly developed, and isn't there such a thing as a tennis elbow?"

"To be sure. The right arm gets more than its share of development; but so it does straight along through life. And as for the tennis elbow, I will admit it; but it is not unavoidable. Judgment, judgment, judgment, and you will avoid it."

"Flirtation?"

"Where in the game that affords it not? But lawn tennis absorbs your mind too much to admit of sentimental shines while it is going on. Cupid takes a back seat and calmly awaits a more propitious season. Display of athletic grace and ability goes away ahead of the tender passion in tennis."

"Are good players born or made?"

"Born, I think. Certain mental and physical qualities are necessary to good players. There is much in practice, but more in nature. We all know persons who could not be taught to sing in a thousand years."

"Dress?"

"Well, for ladies, something short in the skirt, and not heavy. The rule is, 'a long dress will spoil your play, and the play will spoil your long dress.' Low cut shoes with soles of India rubber, and a small hat are necessary. No breastpins, bangles, or things that get in the way are allowable. Soft felt hats in white, red and blue, in sailor shape, and also high crowned with rolling brims, are much in vogue. Even finger rings are discarded. They raise blisters by contact with the bat."

"To professionals take up lawn tennis?"

"No; that is probably why it retains its popularity so long. It is eminently a gentlemen's game. Professionals have not degraded it."

OVERHAND SERVICE.

"What is the essential point in learning to play a good game?"

"Learning to tell where the ball will go. It is an instinct that comes of good judgment, quick observation and practice."

"What is a woman's weakest point in playing?"

"Volleying, of course."

"What is the most important thing to do?"

"Never give up. Next is, keep your temper. Patience and determination will often win a game when the skill is on the other side. Last year 450 lawn tennis clubs obtained courts in Prospect park, Brooklyn. This gives no idea of its popularity, since every club which obtained a court there must have a regular organization, with officers, and twelve members."

"What are the specialties of lawn tennis?"

"Guard and attack, as in all ball games."

"What is understood by the term 'service?'"

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Leave New York, foot Liberty Street at 4.00, 5.00, 6.00, 7.00, 8.00, 9.00, 10.00, 11.00, 12.00 a. m., 1.00, 1.30, 2.30, 3.30, 4.00, 4.30, 5.00, 5.30, 6.00, 6.30, 7.00, 8.00, 9.00, 10.00, 11.00 p. m. Sundays at 4.00, 5.00, 6.00, 7.00, 8.00, 9.00, 10.00, 11.00 p. m.; 12.00 m.; 1.30, 4.00, 5.30, 6.30, 9.30, 12.00, p. m.

Plainfield and Somerville.

Leave Plainfield at 5.45, 8.33, 7.05, 7.30, 8.00, 8.30, 9.30, 10.37, 11.15 a. m., 12.58, 2.30, 3.35, 4.05, 5.34, 6.34, 7.34, 8.34, 9.34, 10.45, 11.30 p. m. Sunday, 5.37, 10.52, 11.32, a. m., Sunday at 4.15, 10.15 a. m., 2.45, 4.14, 6.03, 10.45 p. m.

Leave Somerville at 6.05, 8.23, 7.09, 7.39, 8.08, 8.38, 9.38, 10.15, 11.15 a. m., 12.58, 2.38, 3.35, 4.05, 5.34, 6.34, 7.10, 7.34, 8.34, 9.34, 10.45, 11.30 p. m. Sunday at 5.40, 11.05 a. m.; 1.00, 4.50, 7.09, 8.59 p. m.

Plainfield and Easton.

Leave Plainfield at 5.10, 8.34, 9.51 a. m. 2.06, 5.16, 6.55, 9.10, 11.15 p. m.

Leave Easton at 6.45 a. m.; 2.45 p. m.

Leave Phillipsburg at 6.55, 9.45 a. m.; 12.40 4.15, 7.00 p. m. Sunday at 7.15 a. m., 7.00 p. m.

Westward Connections.

6.10 a. m.—For Easton, Allentown, Seed lag and Mauch Chunk.

8.36 a. m.—For Phillipsburg, Easton, Wind Gap, Mauch Chunk, Drifton, Upper Lehigh, Scranton, Wilkesbarre, etc.

9.37 a. m.—For Flemington, High Bridge Branch, Schooley's Mountain, Lake Hopatcong, Stanhope, Dover, Hackettstown, Delaware Water Gap, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, etc.

2.05 p. m.—For Easington, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, etc.

4.34 p. m.—For Easton, Wind Gap, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Williamsport, Drifton, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, etc.

5.16 p. m.—For Flemington, High Bridge Branch, Schooley's Mountain, Lake Hopatcong, Stanhope, etc.

6.55 p. m.—For Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, etc.

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Plainfield and Philadelphia Via Bound Brook.

Leave Plainfield for Philadelphia and Trenton at 1.38, 3.10, 6.14, 7.45, 9.46, 11.44 a. m., 3.15, 3.35, 5.16 5.19*, 8.17 p. m. Sunday at 1.38, 3.10*, 9.35 a. m. 6.20 p. m.

Leave Plainfield, Ninth and Green Streets, at 1.38, 3.10, 6.14, 7.45, 9.46, 11.44 a. m.; 3.15, 3.35, 5.16, 7.00, 12.00 p. m. Sunday at 1.38, 3.10, 9.35 a. m.; 6.20, 12.00 p. m.

Leave Plainfield, Streets at 3.35,* 9.05 10.26 a. m.; 1.05, 3.35, 5.05, 6.00, p. m. Sunday at 5.10 a. m.; 4.20 p. m.

Leave Trenton, Warren and Tucker Streets, at 7.35, 9.10,* 10.10, 11.35 a. m.; 1.55, 4.15, 6.50, 7.40 p. m. Sunday at 3.15, 8.15 a. m.; 4.60, 6.50, 9.10 p. m.

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LITTLE LAUGHS.

Guest (at table d'hote dinner, indicating a fellow guest whose back is turned)—Waiter, that gentleman certainly has a fit! Waiter—No, sare. He is eating ze macaroni.—New York Sun.

June days are such perfect idyls it's a pity one can't be a perfect idler.—Burlington Free Press.

Some of those collapsed coffee speculating firms in New York get mad when they are asked: "Well, Java good time."—Norristown Herald.

The peach crop has been totally ruined oftener than usual this year, but the worst ruin will not begin until the fruit comes to market.—Pittsburg Chronicle.

"Abdominal cramp" is what's the matter with Emperor William. The medical name for it is cucumberitis, and small boys call it boilerache.—Minneapolis Tribune.

Middle-sized Boy—I kin lick der crowd. Chorus of Small Boys—Come on, fellers! Middle-sized Boy—Hol' on! hol' on! I just said that to scare you fellers, that's all.—Burlington Free Press.

When he first wooed her and told her his love,
He called her his duckie, his own turtle dove!
When she refused him his tongue ran loose;
He called her a catbird, a simple young goose!
—Whitehall Times.

Mrs. Nouveau Riche—Aw, yes, that's very pretty, but I don't like the title, 'Common Prayer.' Haven't you—aw—any other kind? I don't care how much I have to pay.—Harper's Bazar.

Albert, a 13-year-old lad of Sag Harbor, daily sits down to the table with his father and mother, grandfather and grandmother, and great grandfather and two great grandmothers. He gets his second piece of pie simply by asking for it.—Harper's Bazar.

It is a singular fact that when two young men meet they address each other, "How are you, old man?" and that when two old fellows meet they say, "My boy."—New York Sun.

Before the sun was made to rule the day there is evidence in ancient Chaldean manuscripts to show that the world was illuminated by red headed men.—New York Journal.

"Little Liver Pills" are advertised. Persons who have big livers will have to resort to some other cure.—Norristown Herald.

There is a man in Cedar Rapids so stingy that he don't even wash his face for fear of losing the dirt.—Marshalltown Electric Light.

Lord Tennyson's jubilee poem has been set to music, and those who have heard it think that the poet ought to be set to pounding rock under a life sentence.—Peck's Sun.

According to the American system of industrial economy it takes three men to run a pile driver and 113 to look on and see how it is done.—Duluth Paragrapher.

"Yes, dear, we're enjoying Bath Beach immensely. There is such lovely bathing and boating, et cheeters, et cheeters."—New York Sun.

"Advice to Husbands."

Keep the house neat. No woman likes to come home and find the house littered up and everything upside down and scattered around. This has driven many a wife away in disgust. In addition to this take pains to be dressed in a pleasing but not gaudy manner. She don't like to come home and find you looking like a professional slouch in your shirt sleeves, with

your feet on the mantelpiece, the house full of five cent cigar smoke, children not washed or dressed, nor the beds made. Always wear your best when she comes home, and she cannot fail to notice in a few weeks how pretty you look, and think better of you for it. All these things have their effect.—Walt McDougall in New York World.

A Plain Understanding.

Close by a railroad junction in Alabama where we had to wait some time for the other train was a general store, and several of us went over to see how business was done. The proprietor was a little old man with a benevolent face, and his clerk was his son, who was a lazy, good looking mixed blood man, with no benevolence about him. The customers were principally negroes, and there was a great run on some new tin coffee pots just unpacked. The one first sold as a sample was marked "twenty-five" on the bottom. Every time a darky asked the old man for a coffee pot he was referred to "William," and every time William was asked for coffee he referred the customer to father. We saw this go on until our curiosity was aroused, and the colored family asked the old man for an explanation.

"Stranger!" queried the old man in reply.

"Yes."

"Don't live about here?"

"Oh, no; just waiting for the train."

"Well, then, it's just this way: William has the consolence to ask forty cents for a twenty-five cent coffee pot, and as he's a heelo.sot in his ways I let him tend to that line."

"But about the calico?"

"Well, try as hard as I may, I can't ask over eighteen pence for ten cent calico, and as William knows how rigid my principles are, he never interferes with my side of the store."—Detroit Free Press.

No Dividend.

Omaha Man—What does this bill of $5 mean?

Physician—It is for attendance on your little daughter.

"You were only at the house once."

"Yes; but it was a surgical operation—extracting a coin which she had swallowed."

"Well, it wasn't a $10 gold piece; it was only a quarter."—Omaha World.

Select Society.

Mrs. Waldo (of Boston)—I have a letter from your Uncle James, Penelope, who wants us to spend the summer on his farm.

Penelope (obliquely)—Is there any society in the neighborhood?

Mrs. Waldo—I've heard him speak of the Holstons and Guernseys. I presume they are pleasant people.—New York Sun.

The Blue Laws.

Citizen (to policeman, Sunday morning)—Are the side doors all closed today?

Policeman—Tighter nor a drum, sorr.

Citizen (indignantly)—Well, it's mighty tough!

Policeman (listening his lips)—It's mighty tough! on the police, sorr.—New York Sun.

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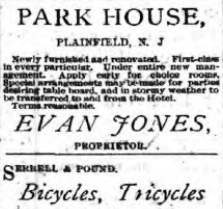

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JOTTINGS.

—THE NEWS will not be issued on Monday.

—On Monday no books will be given out at the public library.

—The man who greets you with, "hot, ain't it?" deserves to be compelled to work in a prison laundry.

—The monthly meeting of the W. C. T. U. will be held in Reform Hall next Tuesday the 5th inst. at three p. m.

—The Somerville barbers have signed an agreement to keep their shops closed all day on Monday next, July 4.

—The Art Gallery will be open as usual on Monday.—from 10 to 12 in the morning, and *from 3 to 5 o'clock* in the afternoon.

—The Potter Press Works will shut down on the 4th inst. The base ball nine will play the Tarriers on the grounds near the works in the morning at nine o'clock.

—THE NEWS consists of six pages to-day, and contains the laws of New Jersey from chapter 45 to chapter 60 inclusive. Chapters one to 44 were published last week.

—Harry Werner caught a runaway horse on West Front street belonging to R. Y. Saums at six o'clock last evening, before it succeeded in doing much damage.

—Marshal Becker this morning arrested a man in the employ of Dr. Kimball for driving a cow through the streets of the Borough. He was taken before Mayor Cooley and fined $5.

—You will find Edsall's the coolest place in town to buy your Fourth of July fixings in such articles as ladies and gents' furnishings, according to our advertisement in another column.

—Plainfield's "glorious Fourth" will be a very quiet one, so quiet, indeed, that but for the small boy and the firecracker the city will scarcely be aware that the 4th of July is here —barring, of course, the hot weather and customary thunder shower.

—Services at the Park Avenue Baptist church to-morrow. Preaching by the pastor, Rev. Asa R. Dibbs at 10.45 a. m., and 7.45 p. m. Morning theme, "American Citizens." Consequent Responsibility." Sunday school at 9.30 a. m., during months of July and August.

—Ladies should bear in mind that the dry goods store will begin to close at seven o'clock p. m. on Tuesday. This is a commendable act on the part of the storekeepers, as it gives both employers and employed an opportunity for recreation. It will doubtless meet with the approval of the buying public.

—Harry Egbert, son of Captain Innis Egbert, of Elizabeth, ex-superintendant of the Central Railroad of New Jersey, was drowned last night while bathing in Staten Island Sound, just above Elizabethport. The body was recovered in a few minutes, but all efforts to restore life failed. The unfortunate youth had a life preserver on, but could not swim and ventured out too far.

—The farmers throughout New Jersey are busy haying, the crop is an immense one. A team cannot work the hot long during the day, but, to beat Old Sol, the farmers have turned night into day. All night long in some sections, the hum of the mower is heard in the fields, the bright moon aiding in the work. The curing and gathering of the crop, however, must be done in the sunshine.

—The post-office department is soon to issue a new design of the ordinary one cent postage stamp, recently. The centre of the new stamp consists of a profile bust of Benjamin Franklin in an oval disk, the lower portion bordered with pearls, and the upper with a curved panel containing in small white letters the words "United States Postage." The whole is engraved upon a shield shaped tablet with a turnicated pyramid base, bearing on it the words "one" and "cent" on either side of the figure 1.

—At Westfield on Monday the celebration festivities will be inaugurated at 9 a. m., by the ringing of bells and the firing of cannon. At nine o'clock there will be games consisting of tub, foot, sack, potato, wheelbarrow and other races, "climbing the greasy pole etc." The Excelsior Cornet Band of Brook Brook, will play during the morning, and in the afternoon a concert will be given on the grand, corner of Broad and Elm streets. In the evening there will be a fine display of fireworks and more music, beginning at 8 o'clock.

—Somerville Unionist-Gazette says that "a contract have been signed between the Board of Education and Asa R. Dibbs for the carpenter work and Charles T. Chapman for the mason work of the addition to be built during vacation to the front of the Somerville Public School building. The two contracts, which were for the lowest bids, amount to over $2,000. The school district has voted $4,000 for the improvement. Two rooms will be occupied September 5th, when the school opens, and the other two will be, perhaps, used by a janitor's family until they are needed by classes."

—Invitations are out for friends to participate in the celebration of the Fourth at the Hotel Netherwood. There will be music at 8 o'clock, furnished by Gillmore's Band of New York, fireworks at 8 o'clock and dancing at 10 o'clock, when music will be given by the same band. Mr. Miller will look after the comfort of his guests in his usual hearty manner. At eight o'clock a large quantity of very fine fireworks will be exhibited, and a lunch will be served about midnight. Major T. H. Cullen is chairman of the Reception Committee, and Mr. H. M. Williams chairman of the Committee on Dancing. The hotel is filling up rapidly—about 150 people being in the house now, and it is expected that it will soon be crowded to its utmost capacity.

—The large plate glass which was accidentally broken in the show window of John J. Kenney's shoe store on North avenue a few days ago, was yesterday replaced with a new one.

—A picnic for the benefit of St. Joseph's church is to take place at the Crescent on Monday afternoon and evening. An order comprising three dances has been issued and other attractions are ordered.

—It is said that the better element of the permanent colored residents of West Grove, the negro settlement west of Asbury Park, do not uphold the speakers at the indignation meeting on Monday night. They admit that the floating colored population have abused their privileges, and are arranging to hold a meeting at which they will approve of Mr. Bradley's action in the matter.

—The rules of punctuation are far from uniform and often without sense or reason. Phil. Biblion, in the Book Maker says: "Coming back to the question of punctuation, I, for one, would be pleased to see the old custom of placing a full point or any point after abbreviated words, and Roman capitals in certain cases given up, once and for always. What is the logic of it? Anybody who knows anything knows that Messrs., Co., Esq., Esq., Hon., Bros., &c., are abbreviations just as well as he knows two and two make four."

—A report was in circulation to-day that David Sutphen, the gentlemanly book-keeper in the city National Bank, had run away. The report was probably started by some malicious person, having no regard for the reputation of an honorable young man. His brother, Bert., called on us to-day with a request that we contradict the report, as his brother has been lying at home with a sick headache since last Thursday. David started that morning for the bank but had to return, so ill was he, and has been unable to leave his home since. His condition is considered due to overwork.

Lawn Tennis Tournament.

The lawn tennis tournament began at 3.30 o'clock this afternoon on the grounds of the Plainfield club, on Central avenue, and will be continued on Monday and Saturday afternoons of next week. The members of the committee are Howard W. Beebe, James F. Murray, and Fred. W. Walz. The list of entries is as follows:

PLAINFIELD—SINGLES:

Henry F. Talmage, William D. Murray, James F. Murray, Jule Beebe, Louis E. Walz, H. W. Beebe, Fred. W. Walz, G. Harry Squires, James F. Murray, William B. Post, Jr., Morris Murray, Wetherspoon Harry Munger, Samuel H. J. McCutchen, Augustus VanDeventer, Russel Jacobus, A. Willie Angerson.

PLAINFIELD—DOUBLES:

J. P. Murray and L. E. Walz; S. St. J. McCutchen and A. Vandeventer; F. Walz and H. W. Beebe; R. Jacobus and D. Wetherspoon; W. D. Murray and partner; J. Joy and partner.

ELIZABETH—SINGLES:

L. W. Glassbrook, J. C. Elliott, Jas. S. Green, Jr., J. Cook, J. Ranney, S. W. Smith, W. P. Brandegee.

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The Language of the Nails.

A correspondent sends the following, with a request the THE NEWS find room for it in its columns:

He who keeps his nails well rounded at the tips is a proud man.

Nails which remain long after being cut level to the finger end are a sign of generosity.

The owner of nails which grow smooth nails is of a peaceable and conciliatory disposition.

He who keeps his nails somewhat long, round and tipped with black, is a romantic poet.

He who has white spots on his nails is fond of the society of ladies, but is fickle in his attachments.

If you see across a man with long and pointed nails you may take it that he is either a player of the guitar, a tailor, or an attorney.

Transparent nails, with light red, mark a cheerful, genial and amiable disposition. Long, wide, transparent nails usually carry their passion to the verge of madness.

He who has the nail of his right thumb slightly notched is of regular gluttony, even nibbling at himself, as, when having nothing available at hand he falls to biting his own finger nails.

He who keeps his nails irregularly cut is hasty and thoughtless. Men who have not the patience to cut their nails properly generally come to grief.

Fine white nails are detached from the finger at the further extremities, and when cut showing a larger proportion of the finger than usual, of he has very good nature, and, above all, resignation under severe trials.

Mayor Cooley also stated that he had been informed by the Corporation Counsel that the Borough could commence an action against Robert Simpson any time within two years.

The meeting then adjourned.

Singular Ground for a Suit for Libel.

Mr. T. W. Morrison, editor of the Plainfield EVENING NEWS, the brightest daily paper in Union County, has been arrested on the charge of criminal libel, preferred by the Postmaster of Plainfield. The Postmaster is publishing a daily paper in opposition of the EVENING NEWS, and the libel grew out of the fact that Mr. Morrison accused him of having used the post office for further his own private business. We do not believe that any Grand Jury man in Union County could be induced to find a true bill against Mr. Morrison for instance overstepped his duty in his privilege as an editor in criticising the acts of a man who holds so important office of public trust as that of the Postmaster of the bustling little city of Plainfield.—Roselle Record.

Installation of Officers.

At a regular convention of Persevrance Lodge 74, K. of P., last evening, D. D. C. G. Horsinger, assisted by P.C. S. Flannery and Carney, installed the following officers for the next six months:

C. C.—N. Conway.
V. C.—C. J. Ford.
P. C.—S. McGuinness.
Master-at-Arms—C. W. Lines.
Trustee—M. Turton.

—At Keasey Bros. fruit store, No. 5 North avenue, is displayed a choice lot of apricots, grapes and other delicacies.

North Plainfield Council.

The regular July meeting of the Borough Council took place in the parlor of Warren Engine House at eight o'clock last evening. There were present Mayor Cooley and Councilmen McGee, Miller, Shafer and Weaver. Absent—Councilmen Mosher and Riker. The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

The clerk then read the following applications for licenses: Joseph Levi, Mr. Larry, C. L. Jones, S. Simon, W. Gillis, Chas. Seibel, Frank Conway and J. E. Bradley. Referred to the License Committee.

CLAIMS.

Were presented as follows:

W. L. Force & Bro.	$12.20
Starr, Day & Starr	15.00
J. H. Jackson	7.50
P. A. Dunham	15.00
Geo. Decker	30.00

On motion they were referred to the Auditing Committee.

Mr. Milne from the Special Committee, said that on account of some misunderstanding on the part of the committee, they had failed to do anything, but would be prepared to make a report at the next meeting.

Mr. Milne reported that the lease entered into with Peter Worden for the use of the Borough lockup had expired, and advised the council not to enter into any new agreement until the building had been repaired. He suggested that the council pay Mr. Worden $60, which would liquidate the rent to August 19. The report was received and ordered filed.

A motion to the effect that the mayor issue an attachment on the goods of Robert Simpson for the amount of the fine imposed, did not prevail.

Mr. Milne from License Committee reported all applications for licenses correct, and they were granted.

Mr. Milne from the Street Committee reported that the committee had discounted the note at the City National Bank, and had commenced the repairing of streets in the Borough. They had received bids for crushed stone from various persons, and had accepted that of Jasper Wilson, 90 cents per ton for regular size, and 90 cents for dressing. He also reported that the work of macadamizing Somerset street was progressing rapidly, and that the committee would furnish the same as soon as possible. He further reported that the residents of Washington-Park were anxious to know how much the council would contribute toward the macadamizing of that thoroughfare. The report was received and ordered filed.

Mr. Slater from the Auditing Committee reported correct the bills referred, and they were ordered paid, and warrants drawn.

An ordinance "For the proper numbering of dwellings and stores in the borough" was introduced and passed to its second reading.

The ordinance was read for the second time and on motion of Councilman Slater was passed to its third reading with the privilege of amending it at the next meeting.

On motion of Mr. Milne a warrant was ordered drawn for $35, the amount due Peter Wooden for the rent of the Borough lockup.

Mr. McGee reported that the Street Committee had expended more than they had been authorized to do on macadamizing and to finish the work it would necessitate a further outlay of $100.

Mr. Weaver moved that the committee be authorized to complete the work on Somerset street to Jackson avenue.

The Committee on Licenses had no report to make in reference to the dog ordinance, except that the marshal had no place to incarcerate them when caught.

Mr. Weaver thought the crosswalks on Somerset street were too low.

Mr. Milne said the matter would be remedied.

By Mr. Slater—Resolved, That the mayor and clerk be authorized to draw any money in bank credited to street account for the payment of vouchers for work on streets, when signed by a majority of the Street Committee. So ordered.

Mr. Milne moved, That the mayor be empowered to appoint one or more special marshals, the number not to exceed ten, to serve on Sundays, and that they be given to understand that their compensation is not to exceed 25 cents per hour.

Mr. Slater amended the resolution so as to read the Excise and License Committee shall have the right to appoint special marshals as needed until such times as some permanent rules are adopted. Mr. Milne accepted the amendment and the resolution was adopted.

Mr. Weaver said that the bicycle ordinance and peddlers ordinance were being violated daily and thought some action ought to be taken against the parties.

Ex-Mayor Van Winkle said if the citizens would make the complaint he would see that the offenders were arrested and fined.

Mayor Cooley also stated that he had been informed by the Corporation Counsel that the Borough could commence an action against Robert Simpson any time within two years.

The meeting then adjourned.

PERSONAL.

—Councilman Bowers is at Atlantic City, recuperating.

—Philip Gloss, a son of Charles Gloss of Somerset street, is suffering from a felon.

—Mrs. J. H. Jackson, of 60 Door street, is registered at the Victoria House, North Asbury Park.

—Miss Nellie G. Decker, of Elizabeth, is spending a few days at the residence of G. W. Reamers on Liberty street.

—Mr. A. W. Sutphen, of Brooklyn, made a flying visit to his aunt, Mrs. Mary A. Martin, of West Second street, last evening.

—Senator and Mrs. Livingston, of Broadway, start for the Adirondacks, Monday morning, to be gone during the summer months.

—James S. White, of the popular firm of White & Son, dry goods merchants, started today for Newport, on about a week's vacation.

—Russell Johnson and wife of Somerset street, went to Asbury Park this morning. They will stop at the Ocean House for a few days.

—Miss Anna Sutphen, of this city, returned home to-day after spending several weeks with friends and relatives at Readington, N. J., and vicinity.

—Councilman Voorhees, wife, and two daughters, started this morning for Asbury Park, to remain over the Fourth. They will stop at the Ocean House.

—Wm. V. Silver, of the firm of Silver Bros., on West second street, starts to day for Butler, N. J., accompanied by his wife and child, for a summer vacation.

—Mrs. Thomas McDonald, of Pearl street, and Miss Mary McDonald, of Harmony street, North Plainfield, started a few days ago for a two weeks visit to friends at Staten Island.

—Mary Emma, the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Evans of West Fourth street, died this morning in spasms, aged 5 months and 13 days. Interment will be made in Lebanon.

—Mr. A. J. Bert and Kennedy Smith, left the Potter Press Works last night, the former to fill a lucrative position in a wholesale house in Philadelphia, and the latter to engage in the oil business in Brooklyn, N. Y.

—The Dunbiun Goodwill choristers on invitation of Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Jones go to Colonia Grove farm, Berckley Heights, on the evening of July 4th. The members will have the residence of the President at six o'clock.

—Mrs. Moore, of West Fourth street, who a short time ago returned to this city from Washington, D. C., where she was dangerously ill, is very enthusiastic in her praise of Plainfield, because of the benefit she received in health upon returning here.

—Miss Julie T., daughter of the late M. Le Grand Sutton of New York, and granddaughter of John Berry of North Plainfield, was married to Irwing Lockwood, at Evanston, Wyoming Territory, on Monday June 27, by the Rev. S. Unsworth. The young couple will reside at Evanston.

—Miss Mary E. Robinson, of East Fifth street, who is finishing a two years' course at the State Normal School, at Trenton, took parts in the closing exercises there Thursday evening. She is the only one of the graduates from Plainfield. And has taken an elementary course. Yesterday she started on a two weeks' visit to Berckley Heights, after which she will return to Plainfield. In examination her average was among the highest, in many of the studies reaching 100.

The Internal Revenue Office.

[Somerville Unionist-Gazette.]

On Thursday the final act in the consolidation of this (the Third) and the Fifth Internal Revenue districts was completed. The vouchers, books and papers, as well as all other property belonging to the Revenue Department, were formally transferred to Deputy Collector Bruen, of Newark. Under present regime, Hunterdon and Warren counties will be consolidated in one division, under the charge of Deputy Collector Park, of Hunterdon. Deputy Harrison Wortman, retiring Stamp Deputy Cook of New Brunswick, will also, probably, retire, and that office will be reserved to Hon. Millford Combs, whose appointment made. Deputy Collectors Bergen, of Somerset, and Reynolds at Elizabeth. Storekeeper Thomas, at East Millstone, and Storekeeper Lyons, at Elizabeth, will be retained. The clerical force in the Somerville office will all retire. George Vosseller has secured a position at bookkeeper with A. D. Thompson & Sinderen, and will be stationed at Asbury Park.

It has been reported that after the consolidation is perfected the Hon. Miles Ross will be appointed Collector of the District, but the report, so far, lacks confirmation.

DUNELLEN.

Miss Bandren recently gave a Lawn sociable to the infant class of the Presbyterian Church, of which she is a teacher with Mrs. Skelling. Many good things were provided and every little one went home well filled and happy.

Our enterprising commissioners, Bandren and Skelling, are doing much good in seeing to the healthful condition of the drains, roads and sidewalks. Their management is very commendable. The depot, park and surroundings are constantly trimmed, making one feel that Mr. Vail knows his business.

Our popular pastor, Mr. Skellenger, is doing much good in our midst. His bright sermons, coupled with his genial manner, is drawing the people to the church, socially and spiritually. He is just busily tucked in his new house, and those who could of his appreciation should see how pretty it looks from the pulpit, "to meet at the Parsonage, I tell you he seems to stretch a foot taller and straighter than ever before." He extends a cordial invitation to all to visit him in his new home.

Our village though small must have a ward to say as regards our national holiday, the glorious Fourth of July. The ladies of the Presbyterian church are holding a lawn sociable on that day, and all are cordially invited to attend. There is sometimes very little amusement in the village for the young ladies to furnish some entertainments for those who cannot leave home, and for these it is pleasant to know they can step out and take a social plate of cream and cake with friends and neighbors.

—John McElroy, a watchman employed at the Terra cotta factories on Ninth street, on Thursday night complained to Policeman Flanagan that two men were loitering around the house and acting in a suspicious manner. When they saw the policemen they made themselves scarce.

LATEST DISPATCHES.

THE NEWS controls the services of the American Press Association and the United Press, and is the only paper published in this section that possesses a Telegraphic News Franchise.

Thermometer Record.

The following is the record of the thermometer for this day and for the corresponding date of last year, as kept at Stelle's drug store, corner of Front street and Park avenue:

1887			1886	
6 a. m.	70	30	Sun rises	4 32
12 m.	80	72	Sun sets	7 35
3 p. m.	87	75	Moon rises	—
9 p. m.	80	74	Moon sets	2 35

Weather Indications.

For Sunday, in New Jersey, eastern New York, and eastern Pennsylvania, and in New England, fair to partly cloudy, slightly cooler weather, with local rains.

The French Steamer Arrives.

NEW YORK, July 2—The French steamer La Bourgogne arrived off the Lizard to-day.

$250,000 Failure.

BOSTON, July 2—The Stearns manufacturing company to-day made an assignment, with liabilities, $250,000. They offer twenty cents on the dollar in settlement.

$15,000 Failure.

NEW YORK, July 2—The firm of P. M. Boynton & Co., clock manufacturers, made an assignment to-day, giving preferences to the amount of $3,000, with liabilities, $15,000. The firm employed sixteen persons all of whom were discharged at noon to-day.

Drowned While Bathing.

GARFIELD, N. J., July 2.—James Martin, a promising young man here, was drowned last night while bathing in the Passaic river. He jumped from the dock and failed to rise. It is supposed he was caught in a snag. The body was grappled for, but could not be found.

Organizing Auxiliary Leagues.

NEWARK, N. J., July 2.—Secretary William R. Freese, of the Law and Order League, said to-day it had been decided to organize auxiliary leagues in all the wards of the city for the coming municipal campaign. The object is to aid the Law and Order League in securing the enforcement of the Sunday law.

Wallace Ross Disappears.

NEW YORK, July 2.—It is reported in acquatic circles this afternoon that Wallace Ross, the oarsman, has decamped, leaving behind a number of creditors. He and George W. Lee, oarsman, started a sporting resort up town and became involved. The impression is that Ross has gone to Canada, where he formerly resided.

Fight on a Schooner.

CHICAGO, July 2.—A bloody battle was fought on the deck of the schooner St. Lawrence yesterday, in which the mate received injuries that may cause his death. The vessel arrived here with a cargo of stone consigned to the Excelsior Stone Company, and was towed to the company's dock in the south branch. A gang of non-union men were employed to unload her. Hardly had they begun work when a crowd of union stevedores boarded the vessel and attempted to drive the men ashore. A general fight ensued, in which clubs were freely used. John Gall, the mate, attempted to quell the riot, when a burly ruffian dealt him a plow in the face, knocking him against a wire stay and fracturing his skull. The doctors say his injuries may prove fatal. The police stopped the fight and arrested Michael King and Michael Hogan.

SCOTCH PLAINS.

Mr. and Mrs. Sindell, of Brooklyn, are spending a few days at the Plains.

What shall we do with our boys? Furnish them a free reading room in which to spend their evenings during the days of rest and thrown about them good influences. Says one of their number give us the reading room.

Rev. E. F. Fowler of the M. E. church preaches to-morrow morning. Subject "Events and Their End in God's economy." Evening, "Deliverance from Trouble Its Heritage of God's People." Under the pastorate of Mr. Fowler the church has reached a prosperity and success which attends energy and activity.

Push, piety and power are characteristics which enter largely into the character of pastor and people.

STATE NOTES.

The employes of Ashton, Dean & Co., hat manufacturers, of Orange Valley, are out on a strike. Yesterday Ashton, Dean, Dewey, another manufacturer, sent some hats to Ashton, Dean & Co. to be colored, and the firm refused, that they would not be done.

George Calhoun, a 7 year old boy, was arrested Yesterday morning while leaving the residence, at 208 York street, Jersey City, of Thomas Smith. The accused lives with his family at Ocean Beach. The silverware and clothing had been prepared for removal. He refused to tell the name of the person who gave him the articles.

About 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon a coal train, caused by a misplaced switch, occurred on the Jersey Central railroad, at a point in the yard of the New Jersey Central Railroad, at Communipaw. The switching train had just become uncoupled from the train of the locomotive of the moving one was damaged. Alexander Devlin, through whose carelessness the accident occurred, was arrested and has not been found. Nobody was injured.

William Vanclave, of 20 Hoboken avenue, Jersey City, while fishing from the Hackensack River bridge at 6 o'clock yesterday morning was pushed into the river. In falling he landed upon a spike that projected from a tug. The spike went into his leg and he was hauled upon the leg for five hours in a perilous position. He was rescued by a policeman and removed to Christ Hospital, where he now is in a critical condition.

NOTICE—The Plainfield Gas Light Co. would call attention of the Gas Consumers in this city to the marked improvements recently made in the construction of gas stoves for boiling and cooking purposes.

THE SUPERIORITY of the Gas Stove for roasting, baking or broiled in the cooking schools of New York, and remains unquestioned.

We invite inspection of these stoves at our office corner of Park avenue and Second street, when being put in operation for such tests FREE OF CHARGE.

SPECIAL RATES will be made for gas used for cooking so that the cost will compare favorably with the use of coal. The stoves will be offered to our consumers AT COST, or can be rented at moderate rates. PLAINFIELD GAS LIGHT COMPANY.

Died.

IRVING—Zeporah, widow of the late Jacob Irving, in her 76th year.

Funeral from her late residence 43 West Second street, Tuesday July 5, at 3 p. m. Relatives and friends invited without further notice. 1-5-2

Special Notices.

Cent-a-Word Column.

BOARDERS wanted at 73 E. Second street. Mrs. E. Smith. 1-2

FOR SALE—Fine bay horse 16 hands high, seven years old, drives single or double. Also a pony 12 1-2 hands high. Address box 330, Plainfield. 1-4

FURNISHED ROOMS to let, with or without board, at No. 11, West Second street. 1-2-3w

FOR SALE or exchange. A farm 2 miles from depot, 47 acres, house, good out-houses, plenty of fruit, large peach orchard spring water. Would sell cheap for cash or exchange for home in Dunellen or Plainfield. Address Box 222, Bound Brook.

MONEY to loan on first mortgage on real estate in sums of $500 to $3000. Apply to Jackson & Codington.

MONEY to loan on first mortgage. Box 1278. 3-4-2

PASTURE for horses. Enquire of D. Hand, Netherwood. 1-1-tf

TWO LADIES can be accommodated for the summer with board on a farm over the mountain. Pleasant surroundings. Location one mile from railroad station. For terms, etc., Address P. O. Box 316. 2-3

WANTED—A steady reliable woman, colored preferred, to cook and help wash and iron. 13 E. Fifth St. corner Sycamore.

WANTED—Girl to do general house work two in family. Apply 44 E. 6th st.

WANTED—Useful man that understands the care of horses, cows and garden, A. W. Haviland, Rockview avenue. 3*

WANTED to purchase a bicycle. Address with full particulars J. Harrison, Post Office.

WANTED—Board for man and wife and four children for the summer, with plenty of room for children to play, and convenient to depot. Address R., care of EVENING NEWS. 29-tf

50,000 celery plants. Henderson's half dwarf and white plume, also late cabbage and greenhouse plants in variety at Denton's, Hillside avenue. 29-6

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LARGE SUPPLY
of
Fire Crackers,
TORPEDOES,
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Fourth of July
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THE ANTI-COERCIONISTS

WITHDRAW ALL OPPOSITION TO THE OBNOXIOUS MEASURE.

Not with the Resignation of Old Time Martyrs, However—They Propose to Make the Law Odious by Filling the Jails to Suffocation.

LONDON, July 2.—The passage of the coercion bill next week will mark the beginning of the troubles of the Tories, whose path to the goal of Irish oppression has been strewn with obstacles, but none of which has caused the Government more fear that is in store for the ministry and the *Dublin Castle officials* when the law goes into operation. The Nationalists are determined to secure the anti-coercion bill upon its passage, not with the resignation of the martyrs of the olden times, and the first application of the law—probably the proclamation of the National League—will be the signal for general resistence, not only in the proclaimed districts, but in every other part of Catholic Ireland as well.

The knowledge that a campaign of this kind will result in wholesale arrests, upon the most trivial pretexts, has resolved the Irish leaders to make the prisons by filling the jails to suffocation, adding themselves to the number of coercion's victims inevitably, and in this way paralyze the judicial machinery of the country.

The abstention of the Parnellite members from voting or moving amendments was part of the anti-coercion programme they have laid out, and nothing further will be done to retard the passage and immediate operation of the act—whose maximum effect they desire to see before the adjournment of parliament. If the new Parnellite delegation to parliament are not confined in Irish jails before the reassembling of the house for the autumn session the failure of the crown to put them there will be through no effort on the part of the members to evade arrest, but because public opinion against the rigors of the law and the excess of power sanctioned by its enactors will rend the air with the government's grounds too hot for it to stand upon.

The enforcement of the act before the adjournment of the house will give the opponents of the bill ample opportunity to criticise its workings from the forum whence all utterances penetrate to every point within the confines of the kingdom and until the revulsion of public sentiment in England, together with the active resistance of the people in Ireland, will be made bring to the ministry during the parliamentary recess a season of unrest, anxiety and downright worriment that they will gladly seek means to escape from.

Marine Intelligence.

NEW YORK, July 2.—Arrived, steamer Ems, Bremen; Glendevon, Barrow; Santi ago, Cienfuegos; Oxford, Swansea; Hammonia, Hamburg; Helvetia, London; Ricgorod, London; Lord Clive, Philadelphia; Old Dominion, Richmond; City Point and Norfolk; City of Savannah, Savannah; City of Chicago, Liverpool; Delaware, Fernandina; Thomas, Brunswick; Rondo, Baltimore, etc.; Franconia, Portland; Guyandotte, Newport News and Norfolk; Adriatic, Liverpool. *Ship David Brown, London. Bark James G. Pendleton*, Pisagua. Arrived out, steamer Wyoming, from New York, at Queenstown; Celtic, from New York, off Fastnet.

Sentence of Lieut. Wilcox.

WASHINGTON, July 2.—The president has approved the findings of the court martial in the case of Second Lieut. H. C. Wilcox, Seventh cavalry. He was charged with presenting fraudulent claims against the United States, defrauding a post trader, failing to return at the expiration of his leave until arrested, and other offenses. The accused pleaded guilty, and the court sentenced him to be dismissed the service and to be confined at hard labor for two years in the Minnesota penitentiary.

Mrs. Chouteau's $10,000,000 Claims.

KANSAS CITY, July 2.—In the United States district court Judge Brewer decided adversely to Mrs. Berenice V. Chouteau's claim to real estate in this city valued at more than $10,000,000. She claimed that when the land was sold by her husband, nearly fifty years ago, she did not sign the deed as relinquishing her claim to dower.

TRADE BULLETIN.

New York Money and Produce Market Quotations.

NEW YORK, July 1.—Money closed at 8 per cent. The lowest rate was 6 and the highest 14 of 1 per cent. Prime mercantile paper 4@4½. Exchange closed steady; posted rates, 4 84@4 85¾; actual rates, 4 83¾@4 83½ for sixty days and 4 86½@4 84¾ for demand. Government closed steady; currency 6s, 128¾ bid; 4s, coup., 128¾ bid; 4s, 118¾ bid.

At 12 o'clock nearly the whole list was down ¼ to 2 per cent. from the closing prices of last night, the latter Burlington and Quincy. Western Union and New York and New England together furnished 50 per cent. of the whole morning's business. The stock market continued weak, without recording any decline of moment up to 2 o'clock, owing to the high rates for money. In the last hour a recovery set in, most of the shorts prices rallied ¼ to 1¼ per cent., which placed a number of the stocks fractionally higher than at the close last night. The closing figures were irregular, some of the list showing advances reaching from ¼ to 1 per cent., and the rest declines of ¼ to 1 per cent. The market was more active during the last half of the day. Sterling Exchange fluctuated somewhat, but relatively narrow limits and closed at 2 per cent. advance. Aside from the general stock list, American coin continued of certificates exceptionally weak near the close and fell five points.

General Markets.

NEW YORK, July 1.—FLOUR—Closed steady; winter wheat extra, $3.75@3.85; Minnesota do, $3.75@3.85. CITY MILL EXTRA, $4.90@4.95; Ohio extra, $3.15@3.55. Southern flour quiet, but steady; receipts 2,000 barrels; sales 400 barrels.

WHEAT—Options were moderately active and irregular. July was strong in the early dealings and advanced 1c on covering of shorts. The later months were up 1@2c. The market finally closed steady at a slight reaction from the highest figure. Spot lots closed steady. Spot sales of No. 1 red state at 94@96c; No. 2 do., 97c; No. 2 red winter, July, 94@96c; No. 2 do., May, 96@97c; No. 1 white, 94@96c; No. 2 do., 97c.

CORN—Options were dull and weak, closing at a slight decline. Spot lots closed steady and unchanged. Spot sales of No. 2 mixed at 49@49½c; ungraded do., 49@49½c; No. 2 mixed, July, 49@49½c; do., August, 49½@49¾c.

OATS—Options were dull and weak, closing at about yesterday's prices. Spot lots closed steady. Spot sales of No. 1 white state at 33@34c; do. No. 2 do., 31c; No. 2 mixed, June, 30½c; do., July, 29½@30c.

RYE—Dull; western, 56@56½c; state, 60@62c.

BARLEY—Nominal.

PORK—Quiet and steady at $14.25@15.50 for old and new mess.

NEARLY FOUR THOUSAND WEAVERS

Object to Doing Extra Work, and Strike Against the Order.

COHOES, N. Y., July 2.—The trouble at the Harmony mill, No. 2, began on Tuesday last because of the refusal of the weavers in the No. 3 mill to attend the semi-annual duty of scrubbing the floor in the vicinity of their looms, established yesterday afternoon a general strike, which was inaugurated by the weavers in the above mentioned mill. It was understood that the superintendents of the several departments were to order the work done yesterday, and on the other head it was given out that the Knights of Labor would again take a stand and refuse to comply with the request. Meanwhile the agents of the company made plans their resolution to close their mills for an indefinite period if an outbreak should occur. Each weaver, regarding a permanent arrangement, accepted the snap to do the work but did not commence to work. As is the custom the pay day is on Friday, and as each weaver was paid off at noon the looms were stopped, and they left the mill.

Nos. 1 and 2 mills are directly opposite No. 3, and the opposition were seen coming from the latter in groups of from 5 to 20 and the ranks were swelled to immense proportions. But one mill is left running the "Ogden," that is in store for the strikers. Wednesday in this mill, and the weavers have decided to refuse to perform the work. The mills, with the exception of the "Ogden," did not open yesterday, but to-day until the weavers agree to do the scrubbing. The operatives have decided not to return to work until a 12½ per cent. increase is granted. The mills employ about 3,500.

MURDERED WHILE ELOPING.

A Daughter's Pleading Fails to Save the Life of Her Lover.

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., July 2.—An Indian territory special says a terrible and bloody drama, involving love and murder, was enacted some miles beyond Cherokeetown, Chickasaw Nation. John Coody, who has been living at Stone county, Ark., for five months, fell in love with Elizabeth Lumpkins, daughter of his employer. The parents and brothers of the lady opposed his attentions and informed the young man of their relence unless he desisted. This Coody not only refused to do, but persuaded the girl to elope with him. As soon as the flight was discovered the father and two brothers of the girl armed themselves and started in pursuit. They followed the couple across the Arkansas border into Indian Territory.

The chase was continued without intermission for several days, pursued and pursuers passing through Cherokee, Choctaw and Seminole nations. The lovers were finally overtaken in the interior of Chickasaw county. The oldest of the Lumpkins boys, riding in advance, discovered the fugitives and began firing. His sister begged him to spare Coody, but to her entreaties he paid no attention. Coody then returned the fire and the boy fell from his horse fatally wounded. The father and remaining brother hastened to the scene and shot several times at Coody, mortally wounding him, despite the efforts of the girl to save him. The Lumpkins then left the wounded man where he fell, and armed themselves in the kitchen wall. Mrs. Wilson sprang to ward her husband and seized the muzzle of the rifle, pulling the daughter to the ground, the road and call the boys, who were at work there. As Mrs. Cane ran for help she heard another shot, and as she was returning with assistance met her brother and others, a third discharge was heard. As they came upon the premises Mrs. Wilson was found on the ground, just at the front angle of the house, the daughter still by her side. She died without speaking. On entering the house Wilson's lifeless body was found lying upon the floor in the bedroom. The sick child Annie was lying on the edge of the bed terrified, but with his night shirt and face covered with his father's blood. He was crying with fear.

The situation indicated that as Mrs. Cane left the house Wilson tore the gun from his wife's grasp and shot her. Possibly he pulled the trigger of both guns, as still both of the muzzle. The shot entered her left breast. She probably ran out of the house after being shot and fell where her body was found. After shooting his wife Wilson went into the bedroom where the little sick boy lay, quickly reloaded the gun, and with the remark to the child: "Now, I'll scare myself," ended his life. The shot entered his left breast, under his right jawbone and probably pulled the trigger with his foot. The charge passed upward through the head, carrying away a part of the skull. He died almost instantly.

The little room in which this frightful deed was committed is barely six by eight feet. The bed filled the greater part of it. In the bed was a little upper story only four feet wide, where the man stood, at one end of which was the door and at the other a home made dressing table.

Wilson was considered a good man when sober. He was industrious, prudent and saving. His wife Isabella was an excellent woman, about 40 years old. They had two married daughters, Mrs. Cane and Fannie, whose married name was not ascertained; four sons, John, Jr., 18 years old; Thomas, 16; Robert, 4, and Andrew, 6, and an infant daughter, Isabella.

The coroner's jury in the case state in their verdict that they are unable to determine whether the shooting was accidental or not. They also unable to say whether the shot by which Wilson subsequently killed himself was fired with suicidal intent or not.

Only a Marvelous Relic.

CHICAGO, July 2.—Judge Baker, of the criminal court, on Tuesday had a dynamite bomb under his desk, with a short fuse attached, and shuddered at the atrocious attempt to blow him up and his court. Returned to the daily mail over to his bailiff, enjoining strictest secrecy. Yesterday the news leaked out that the bomb was a harmless relic of the late Anarchist trial, which had been kicking about the court room for months, and the joke is on Judge Baker, who just recently took a seat there.

Mr. Watson's Wonderful Well.

ALFRED CENTRE, N. Y., July 2.—James W. Mokeal, a driller, was putting down a well on the farm of Henry Watson, on Philip's creek, six miles west of here. At a depth of seventy feet he struck a spring of wonderful force. The water soon covered the garden, yard and fields. Hundreds have visited the place, and the stream seems to be wearing a large outlet from the earth, with an estimation of volume. It seems to be similar to the famous Belle Plain well in Iowa.

A Wealthy Planter Lynched.

ST. LOUIS, July 2.—A dispatch from *Little Rock says*: Word comes from Bradley county that Henry Hamilton, a wealthy planter and stock man in that county, was lynched Thursday night. Hamilton and a man named Doherty recently murdered two brothers named Jeffreys. Efforts were made to lynch the murderers, but they escaped; later, Hamilton was recaptured and released on bail. The report is that the mob took vengeance on him Thursday night.

A Break in the Ranks.

NEW YORK, July 2.—The republican county committee last night decided that Mr. Roosevelt was elected by a majority of three votes at the primaries as the member from the Sixteenth assembly district. Capt. Gregory was declared not on the ground of crooked work at the primaries, but Mr. Kroft was apparently defeated. Gregory is defiant, and says he controls the Sixteenth district delegation absolutely, and that he will be able to retain his leadership.

Three Children Fatally Burned.

PITTSBURG, July 2.—During the temporary absence of Mrs. August Bolder, of Forest Washington, this city, yesterday, three of her children were fatally burned by an explosion of a can of oil with which they were playing about the stove.

WHISKY AND MURDER

JOHN WILSON'S FEARFUL DOMESTIC TRAGEDY.

Chatham, N. J., the Scene of the Bloody Work—A Long Spree Ended in Death.

His Daughter's Narrow Escape—The Coroner's Inquest.

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AN INTERESTING RELIC THAT IS NOW IN ENGLAND.

A Weapon Made to Contain Deadly Poison—Designed to Be Always Mortal in Its Effect—History of the Knife—Its Peculiarly Deadly Characteristics.

The interest of historians and antiquarians, as well as of a large body of the public, has recently been aroused in England through the efforts of the British Museum to acquire possession of its most curious and valuable weapon that is identified with some of the most stirring scenes which this continent has witnessed and which was, unfortunately, allowed to leave the United States after being held here for many years. It is the dagger of Cortez, the daring conqueror of Mexico and discoverer of California, who in fearless fashion having landed in a strange land with scarcely 500 followers, like Cæsar, he burnt his ships behind him, so that his troops could not return, and must therefore conquer or perish.

The dagger shown in the accompanying illustrations, is in every way worthy of the valiant soldier who bore it, being a fine example of an armorer's workmanship, and showing the devilish ingenuity of the Middle Age Spanish mind. It is made throughout of highly polished steel, and is altogether nearly a foot and a half in length. The handle is of finely wrought, open figure work in steel, surmounted by a Spanish crown, with corresponding ornaments within it. The crossbar is of double beautiful workmanship, with little pendant ornaments and a crown at either end.

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Below this is a sort of lock, an object about two inches in length, containing a piece of mechanism which by a pressure of the thumb opens the blade, like a pen knife, when it enters the wound and releases liquid poison therein contained, somewhat as the machinery of a rattlesnake poisons after cutting.

The blade, properly so called, is eight inches long, with a sharp point and edges, and within it are grooves to contain the poison. This is the only known example of the application of this deadly principle to a dagger.

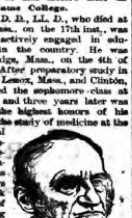
The history of the dagger is such as to place its authenticity beyond doubt. It came into the United States through an ancient Mexican family, descending to the late Bishop Portier, of Mobile, who gave it to the celebrated Indian missionary, Father De Smet, S. J., to be deposited by him in the museum of the present University of St. Louis, where it remained for fourteen years. It then came into the possession of the Rev. John Higginbotham, a chaplain in the British army, during whose absence in Bermuda it was held for many years in trust, with a collection of other valuables, by the late John Dower Murphy, Esq., of Waterford, Ireland, with whom the British museum first opened negotiations for its purchase, offering at one time, it is said, as much as $20,000 for the weapon. Father Higginbotham died in Ireland some time since, and it is now believed that this interesting relic will find a last resting place in the British museum.

THE DAGGER OPEN.

DEATH OF MARK HOPKINS.

Sixty-two Years of His Active Life in Williams College.

Mark Hopkins, D. D., LL. D., who died at Williamstown, Mass., on the 17th inst., was the oldest man actively engaged in educational work in the country. He was born at Stockbridge, Mass., on the 4th of February, 1802. After preparatory study in the academies of Lenox, Mass., and Clinton, N. Y., he entered the sophomore class at Williams college, and three years later was graduated with the highest honors of his class. He began the study of medicine at the Fairfield Medical college, but abandoned it for an appointment to a tutorship at Williams college. Two years later he again took up the study of medicine, graduating in 1829. He at once began the practice of his profession in the city of New York.



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He Sized Him Up.

"Excuse me, stranger," he said, "but what are you reading that makes you laugh so uproariously?"

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"Excuse me, stranger," he again said, "but ain't you from Philadelphia?"

"Yes, sir."—New York Sun.

GERMANY'S CROWN PRINCE

Sketch of the Man Who Will Inherit Kaiser Wilhelm's Throne.

Frederick William, the only son of Emperor William and Empress Augusta, is the heir apparent to the throne of Germany. In regard to the cancerous growth in the throat of Frederick William, crown prince of the German empire and son of Emperor William, which threatens his life, Dr. Mackenzie is reported to say that it is hurt to get at the truth. The doctors differ also, but Professor Virchow, of Berlin, and Dr. Morell Mackenzie, of London, the latter of whom is said to be a specialist in cancer, declare that the disease is not cancerous. After an operation had been performed the physicians concluded the swelling was simply a warty growth and that it would not grow again. If it be cancerous, owing to the severity of the larynx and consequent loss of voice to the patient, the prognosis will be necessary. No patient has survived the latter operation thus far in medical practice.

CROWN PRINCE FREDERICK WILLIAM.

The great importance of Frederick William's illness is shown by the fact that his aged father cannot long be expected to survive. Prince William, eldest son of out subject and his natural successor, holds the confidence of the German people in a remarkable degree. He is a favorite pupil of Moltke and favorably disposed to the Bismarcks although no officer has been a harder worker, and is held in great esteem by the army. Should he by the death of his father succeed the venerable emperor, the peaceful policy of the aged monarch and his son, the crown prince, will no doubt be forsaken. War with France would be almost sure to follow.

The earnest character and eminent talents of Frederick William were developed under excellent masters, among others Ernest Curtius, who accompanied him to the University of Bonn, where the prince was matriculated in the law faculty. In the completion of his education the prince visited several foreign countries, among others England, where he married the princess royal, eldest daughter of Queen Victoria, on Jan. 25, 1858, with the royal approbation of both nations. By this union are two sons and four daughters.

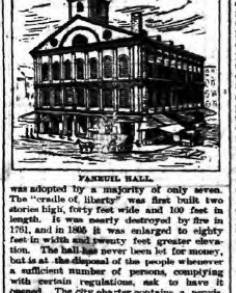
Since his father ascended the throne the crown prince has taken part in the most important affairs of state. He served in the British campaign in a subordinate capacity, but with such ability that the king intrusted him to an important task in the war with Austria in 1866, viz., the command of the left Prussian wing, operating in and from Silesia.

In the Franco-Prussian war, 1870-71, the crown prince acted a very conspicuous part as commander of the troops of Bavaria, Wurtemberg and Baden. He was present at Sedan, August, 1870, and was made field marshal two months after by his father. During the emperor's illness caused by an assassin's shot in 1878 his public functions were ably performed by the crown prince.

FANEUIL HALL.

The Famous "Cradle of Liberty" Briefly Described.

Peter Faneuil, the founder of Faneuil hall, in Boston, was born in New Rochelle, N. Y., in 1700. He died in Boston, March 3, 1743. In 1738 he offered to build for that town a market house and public hall without charge, a proposition which was accepted. That there was some feeling against the movement is evident from the fact that the proposition



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was adopted by a majority of only seven. The "cradle of liberty" was first built two stories high, forty feet wide and 100 feet in length. It was nearly destroyed by fire in 1761, and in 1805 it was enlarged to eighty feet in width and twenty feet greater elevation. The hall has never been let for money, but is at the disposal of the people whenever a sufficient number of persons, complying with certain regulations, ask to have it opened. The city charter contains a provision forbidding the sale or lease of the property. Until 1823, eighty years after its erection, all town meetings were held within its walls.

The gallery is the only portion of the building provided with seats. Portraits cover the walls, among them Healy's picture of Webster replying to Hayne, portraits of the two Adamses, Gen. Warren, Commodore Preble, Edward Everett, Washington, Lincoln, and Governor Andrew.

The site for this building was reclaimed from the tide waters and $150,000 was expended in the erection of Faneuil Hall market, or Quincy market, as it is often called, from the fact that the market grew out of a recommendation of Josiah Quincy, in 1825. The capital for its construction was so judiciously managed that not only the market was built at the expense named, but six new streets were opened and a seventh enlarged without city tax or increase of the city's debt.

Faneuil hall was used as a theatre during the British occupation of Boston in 1775. In revolutionary times it was the usual place of meeting of the patriots, from which it gained the name of the Cradle of American Liberty.

The part played by Faneuil hall in the recent celebration of the queen's jubilee at Boston is already known to our readers.

A New Form of Crime.

One of the English journals recently dwelt at length upon a new form of crime which an ingenious person in that country had invented. This was set down as something really remarkable, fairly outstripping the inventor to a certain degree of homage. The new crime consisted in the art of burglaries perpetrated by a person who traveled from place to place in a yacht, thus preventing suspicion from attaching to him, and went ashore whenever he saw in sight of a house worth cracking. Alas for the "inventor"! Here is another proof that there is nothing new on earth. Thieving under the same circumstances has been going on of late up the Hudson, and it is recalled that the same idea was successfully carried out there a dozen years or so ago. The English thief seems to have dilated with the wrong emotion.—New York Tribune.

DR. ROSWELL D. HITCHCOCK.

The Late President of the Union Theological Seminary Dies Suddenly.

The Rev. Dr. Roswell D. Hitchcock, president of the Union Theological seminary, died suddenly at his residence, No. 9 East Thirty-fifth street, New York, on the morning of July 19. Dr. Hitchcock was born in Derby, Conn., Aug. 19, 1817, and was graduated at Amherst college in 1839. He devoted a year to biblical study and theology, and then studied at the Andover Theological seminary. In 1839 he became a tutor in Amherst college, a position which he held three years, and then took charge of the Academy at Derby, Conn., preparatory to entering the Congregational ministry. He preached in Wilbraham, Mass., for some time, and then took charge of the First Congregational church in Fairfield, Conn., where he remained from 1844 to 1852, when he became professor of natural and revealed religion at Bowdoin college. On leaving there he received the honorary degree of D. D., and in 1873 Amherst college conferred that of LL. D. In 1855 he was invited to the Washburn professorship of sacred history in Union Theological seminary, and in 1880 he became the president of that institution.

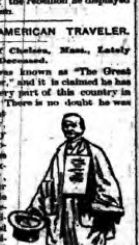
As an author of religious works he is well known. Among his writings are the "Life of Martin Luther," "Complete Analysis of the Bible" and "Socialism." In connection with Drs. Schaff and Eddy he published the Presbyterian Psalter, and assisted Dr. Francis Brown in translating and editing the "Teaching of Twelve Apostles." He was also editor of religious and theological parts of "Johnson's Cyclopedia," and at one time was assistant editor of "The American Theological Review."

Dr. Hitchcock was something of a traveler. He during a year in 1869 visited Italy and Greece in 1880, traveled in Egypt and Palestine, and in 1871 was president of the American Palestine Exploring company. His scholarship was profound, his theological erudition remarkable, and his interest in all the public affairs of life warm to the last. During the war of the rebellion he displayed a fervent patriotism.

THE GREAT AMERICAN TRAVELER.

Daniel Pratt, of Chelsea, Mass., Lately Deceased.

Daniel Pratt was known as "The Great American Traveler," and it is claimed he has been in almost every part of this country in earning the title. There is no doubt he was partially insane, but in a harmless way, and his insanity was not so pronounced but it managed to exist on charity, though a carpenter by trade and able to work. It is believed that at various times he had been elected president of the United States, and had a number of explanations as to how he was deposed or why he resigned.



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"The Great American Traveler" visited fifty-one nineteen or twenty times, and claimed to have traveled nearly 250,000 miles. He died recently. He was born at Chelsea, a suburb of Boston, and, aside from his local notoriety, was well known by many college students everywhere, as he had for years made an annual tour of all the eastern colleges. He was a habitue of newspaper offices, although he made frequent tours in some of these, from cellar to attic, addressing himself in turn to editors, reporters, compositors and pressmen, as he made his unwelcome round. He made frequent addresses to gatherings of employes in newspaper offices, and never forgot to wind up every fantastic oration with a collection. He seemed to be able to live on almost nothing, and was always dressed shabbily. Some aver that his travels were only in imagination, and that periods of absence from the streets of Boston were really spent in seclusion at Chelsea; but as he disappeared for twelve years at one time, there is little room for doubt that his travels were as he said, in all the states, territories, in Canada, etc., were really made.

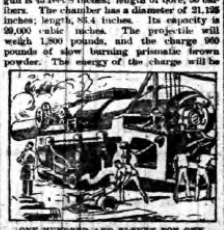
The cut of Pratt is from a photograph by C. F. Conley, of Boston.

Quite American, You Know.

The drivers of the Fifth avenue stages have discarded their white muffin-like, long, closely buttoned coats fashioned with red, and black pot hats—and have assumed their summer garb. The conductors have also changed. Whereas in their clumsy winter garb they were out and out English "coachees," delightful to the eye of the Anglomaniac, in their light summer suits of sack and cutaway flannel, with gilt buttons and broad white straw hats, they are comfortables, every day American stage drivers. The lower terminus of the line at present is on the northeast corner of Fifth avenue and Ninth street, under a patriarchal tree shading the gloomy old fashioned front of a Knickerbocker mansion. The starter sits under the tree and keeps a tally of the coaches in a free and easy American style that is refreshing.—New York Sun.

The Largest Gun in the World.

The largest gun in the world has just been set up at Woolwich arsenal, constructed at the Elswick works. The total length of the gun is 43 feet 6 inches; length of bore, 39 calibers. The chamber has a diameter of 21.125 inches; length, 84.4 inches. Its capacity is 29,000 cubic inches. The projectile will weigh 1,800 pounds, and the charge 960 pounds of slow burning prismatic brown powder. The energy of the charge will be



ONE HUNDRED AND ELEVEN TON GUN.

equivalent to 50,924 tons weight and the shot will penetrate wrought iron plate to the depth of over 30 inches at a distance of 1,000 yards. It is expected the gun will be effective at a range of eight miles.

THE CURIOSITY SHOP

The Curiosities of the Ocean and Their Relation to Each Other.

All the curiosities of the ocean seem to form a connected chain. Beginning with the lowest, the coral insects, we find that they are principally caused by the presence of temperature and power. Warm water rises, cold water sinks, and by the operation of a circulation flow of water, rising water toward the poles. Between there is a constant striking of cold and warm water, which is the cause of storms. Under the equator, the water is constantly evaporating on the surface to supply the clouds, and this motion is modified by the shape of coasts, by prevailing winds, forming the different ocean currents.

Occupation of Authors in 1850.

In the preface to Harper's Magazine, established in June, 1850, is given the occupations of some prominent authors at that date, showing their connection with periodicals and newspapers at that time. Here is a quotation:

"Lamartine and Jules Janin are the editors of newspapers. Dickens has just established a weekly journal of his own, through which he is giving to the public the pieces of his unpublished and delightful novelettes that ever came from his magic pen. Alison writes constantly for Blackwood, Lever for the Dublin University Magazine. Bulwer and Cooper publish their greatest and most brilliant novels first in the pages of the monthly magazines. Macaulay has contributed to the Edinburgh Review with volumes of the most magnificent productions of English literature."

The Prolific Sparrow.

Some thirty years ago the inch worm became such a nuisance, especially in the parks of large cities, that a gentleman living in Brooklyn sent for a pair of English sparrows from which to raise a progeny for the destruction of the worms. This pair was liberated on Columbia heights. Another pair were placed in Madison square, New York, and afterward large numbers were brought over. They have spread all over the country in such numbers that it is now questionable which would be preferable, the sparrows or the inch worm.

Naval Flags.

Each of the higher grade of officers of the United States navy has a flag, the secretary of the navy to commodore inclusive. The secretary's flag is a blue field with a white star in each of the four corners and a white anchor in the center. An admiral, vice admiral and rear admiral each has a flag with a blue field, and for admiral four white stars, vice-admiral three white stars, and rear admiral two white stars. The senior officer on a real, white or blue field. A commodore's pennant is one white star on a red, white or blue field.

Poe and Longfellow.

They are undoubtedly the two most noted American poets. But each owes his poetic genius than any of his countrymen. Longfellow is one of the most popular poets of any country. There is something healthful and soothing and ennobling in his verse which accounts for their popularity rather than brilliant poetic imagination. Poe wrote but little. Longfellow wrote a great deal, and his works have a large sale, not only in America, but abroad.

Chinese in America.

In 1880 there were 105,465 Chinese in this country. The immigration from China was in 1880 7,030; in 1881, 39,000; in 1882, 35,000. Then legislative action came, in 1882, to check the tide. *Not in that year the number fell to 20,000 and in 1884 to 84. It is estimated that nearly* one-half of these who come go back. With fortunes of from $500 to $1,000 each these people can live in China in comparative comfort on the income of their savings.

Lunar Rainbow.

A rainbow produced by moonlight is a very rare phenomenon. A solar rainbow is produced by the direct light of the sun on drops of water, each drop breaking up the rays into the primary colors. The lunar bow is caused by the moonlight (the sun's reflected light) acting in the same way; but it is not sufficiently powerful, except in very rare instances, to show anything more than a gleam of pale yellow light.

A Gentleman's Card.

If a man have an honorary title or rank, he never puts it on his professional or trade card. According to social etiquette, he leaves all admissions of such fact to his fellow citizens. If, however, he have a professional, naval or military title, it is etiquette to order that we put it all.

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Miscellaneous Cards.

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12 Barrels for $2,

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Practical Watchmaker and Jeweler. Repairing of French and American watches, clocks and fine jewelry a specialty. No. 7 Somerset street.

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A full assortment of field, garden and flower seeds always on hand. Call and get a catalogue and prices. Great variety of seed potatoes and onions. Carpet Bedding Plants, Cut Flowers, Floral Designs, Cape Cod Cranberries, Fruits in season. Greenhouses, Flower Pots, etc.

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Stations in New York, foot of Liberty Street. Time-table in effect June 27, 1886.

Plainfield and New York.

Leave Plainfield at 5.45, 6.30, 7.30, 8.30, 9.30, 10.30, 11.30 a. m.; 12.30, 1.30, 2.30, 3.30, 4.30, 5.30, 6.30, 7.30, 8.30, 9.30, 10.30, 11.30 p. m. Sunday at 5.45, 6.30, 7.30, 8.30, 9.30, 10.30, 11.30 a. m.; 12.30, 1.30, 2.30, 3.30, 4.30, 5.30, 6.30, 7.30, 8.30, 9.30, 10.30, 11.30 p. m.

Leave New York at 5.00, 6.00, 7.00, 8.00, 9.00, 10.00, 11.00 a. m.; 12.00, 1.00, 2.00, 3.00, 4.00, 5.00, 6.00, 7.00, 8.00, 9.00, 10.00, 11.00 p. m. Sunday at 9.00, 10.00, 11.00 a. m.; 12.00, 1.00, 2.00, 3.00, 4.00, 5.00, 6.00, 7.00, 8.00, 9.00, 10.00, 11.00 p. m.

Plainfield and Newark.

Leave Plainfield at 5.45, 6.30, 7.30, 8.30, 9.30, 10.30, 11.30 a. m.; 12.30, 1.30, 2.30, 3.30, 4.30, 5.30, 6.30, 7.30, 8.30, 9.30, 10.30, 11.30 p. m. Sunday at 8.30, 9.30, 10.30, 11.30 a. m.; 12.30, 1.30, 2.30, 3.30, 4.30, 5.30, 6.30, 7.30, 8.30, 9.30, 10.30, 11.30 p. m.

Leave Newark at 6.00, 7.00, 8.00, 9.00, 10.00, 11.00 a. m.; 12.00, 1.00, 2.00, 3.00, 4.00, 5.00, 6.00, 7.00, 8.00, 9.00, 10.00, 11.00 p. m. Sunday at 9.00, 10.00, 11.00 a. m.; 12.00, 1.00, 2.00, 3.00, 4.00, 5.00, 6.00, 7.00, 8.00, 9.00, 10.00, 11.00 p. m.

Passengers for Newark change cars at Plainfield.

Plainfield and Somerville.

Leave Plainfield at 8.30, 9.14, 9.59, 10.44, 11.30 a. m.; 2.00, 2.45, 3.30, 4.15, 5.00, 5.45, 6.30, 7.15, 8.00, 8.45, 9.30, 10.15, 11.00 p. m. Sunday at 8.30, 10.14 a. m.; 2.45, 8.14 p. m.

Leave Somerville at 6.05, 6.50, 7.35, 8.20, 9.05, 9.50, 10.35, 11.15 a. m.; 12.05, 3.00, 3.50, 4.35, 5.20, 6.05, 6.50, 7.35, 8.20, 9.05, 9.50, 10.35, 11.05 p. m. Sunday at 9.50, 11.05 a. m.; 1.50, 4.35, 7.35 p. m.

Plainfield and Bound Brook.

Leave Plainfield at 8.30, 9.14, 9.59, 10.44, 11.30 a. m.; 2.00, 2.45, 3.30, 4.15, 5.00, 5.45, 6.30, 7.15, 8.00, 8.45, 9.30, 10.15, 11.00 p. m. Sunday at 8.30, 10.14 a. m.; 2.45, 8.14 p. m.

Leave Bound Brook at 6.05, 6.50, 7.35, 8.20, 9.05, 9.50, 10.35, 11.15 a. m.; 12.05, 3.00, 3.50, 4.35, 5.20, 6.05, 6.50, 7.35, 8.20, 9.05, 9.50, 10.35, 11.05 p. m. Sunday at 9.50, 11.05 a. m.; 1.50, 4.35, 7.35 p. m.

Passengers for Bound Brook change cars at Plainfield.

Westward Connections.

8.10 a. m.—For Easton, Allentown, Bethlehem, Mauch Chunk, Delhi, Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, etc.

8.30 a. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Wind Gap, Mauch Chunk, Delhi, Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, etc.

9.51 a. m.—For Flemington, High Bridge branch, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Shamokin, Upper Lehigh, White Haven, Scranton, etc.

3.05 p. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Delhi, Upper Lehigh, White Haven, Scranton, etc.

4.54 p. m.—For Easton, Wind Gap, Mauch Chunk, Delhi, Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, etc.

8.19 p. m.—For Flemington, High Bridge branch, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Delhi, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, etc.

Leave Plainfield at 7.30, 8.08, 8.52, 10.36 a. m.; 2.31, 3.25, 4.55, 6.34, 8.04 p. m. Sunday (except Ocean Grove) 8.37, 10.37 a. m., and 8.30 p. m.

Plainfield & Philadelphia Via Lehigh.

Leave Plainfield for Philadelphia and Trenton at 7.30, 8.10, 9.14, 9.45, 11.44 a. m.; 2.31, 3.25, 4.55, 6.34, 8.37 p. m. Sunday at 8.37, 10.37 a. m.; 8.30 p. m.

Leave Philadelphia, Kensington and Green Streets, at 6.50, 9.05, 11.00 a. m.; 1.15, 3.45, 5.15, 7.00, 12.00 p. m. Sunday at 8.30 a. m., 12.00 p. m.

Third and Race Streets at 7.30, 9.05, 10.30 a. m.; 1.00, 3.30, 5.00, 6.00, 8.00, 12.00 p. m. Sunday at 8.30 a. m., 12.00 p. m.

Leave Trenton, Warren and Market Streets, at 1.50, 9.15, 10.10, 11.35 a. m., 2.45, 4.15, 5.40, 7.20, 9.00, 12.30 p. m. Sunday at 1.35, 9.15, 9.40, a. m., 8.15 p. m.

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Of china that ancient and blue;
Unchipped all the centuries through
It has passed, since the chime of it rang,
And they fashioned it, figure and hue,
In the reign of the Emperor Hung.

"There's dragons their tails, you remark,
Into bunches of gillyflowers growth,
When Noah came out of his ark
Did those boys lay in wait for his crew?
They seemed, as they passed and they slew,
They were mighty of fin and of fang,
And their portraits Celestials drew
In the reign of the Emperor Hung.

Here's a pot with a rat in a park;
In a park where peach blossoms blow,
Where the lovers eloped in the dark,
Lived, died and were changed into two
Bright birds that eternally flew
Through the boughs of the may as they sang;
'Tis a tale was undoubtedly true,
In the reign of the Emperor Hung.

ENVOI.

Come feast at my centuries, do,
Kind critics, for tonight we're a twang,
But a sage never, never needed a shrew
In the reign of the Emperor Hung.
—Andrew Lang in Detroit Free Press.

BURDETTE.

Witty and Incisive Comments on Current Topics.

A Kentucky farmer has trained a lot of monkeys to work in his hemp fields. Well, one cowrd, another reapeth. Many a man has reaped a harvest of hemp because of monkeying around too much.

CLOSE AFTER RIM.

The great American cowder lays its eggs on the surface of rocks 15,000 feet above the level of the sea. That's pretty high for eggs, but at the latest market quotations the common American hen wasn't very far below the cowder. Nine cents a dozen cent or two a dozen will put the hen on top.

A COLD PLACE FOR EMPERORS.

Scientists note a great diminution of forest trees in Russia and say it is because the climate is growing colder all the time. Russia has always been a cold place to grow tension. That is to say, it has the Siberian offmate in the world. Now don't say that's Don Sibi, my son. Neva be Volga, even for the sake of Russia-in a joke. There now, take the combination and run it out. I like to see you amuse yourself.

RIGHT ON TIME.

"I'm sorry I can't accommodate you, Mr. Paperwait," said Mrs. McKerrel, shaking her head resolutely, as she often did of a Saturday evening, "but all my boarders settle weekly; my motto is 'Pay as you go.'" "Oh, yes," exclaimed Paperwait, cheerfully, "so is mine, so is mine. But I'm not going yet, you know; I'll be here six months yet." And a happier man never retired a bill.

A REGULAR PINNACLE.

After leaving the railway station, which was in the middle of a prairie, the travelers drove down hill half a day and at sunset halted at Summit height, the new summer resort. "Great Scott!" roared the indignant tourists, "I left a town in the shoe of a mountain! Your prospectus says your house is 1,300 feet above the level of the sea." "So it is, gents," replied Ikrabbus, the host, for it was he, "so it is; above the level of the Dead Sea. That's nigh about 1,400 feet lower than the bottom of the ocean, I reckon." And when the tourists looked upon their homes in the Catskills which they had abandoned in search of summer board, they lifted up their voices and wept, whereupon Ikrabbus charged them extra tax fare for expressing emotion. And it was so.

BEYOND THE BREAKERS.

"This is Pure Old Government Rio, is it, Mr. Lightweight?" asked the customer.

"Oh, yes," replied the grocer; "that's coffee from Coffeeville."

"But you charge as much for it as you did last week, and I have been told that the panic in the coffee market had reduced the price greatly."

"Oh yes, I know," said the honest grocer, abstractedly removing a handful of grains from the scales to make them weigh more, "but you know a break in the coffee market has no effect on the price of chicory. There you are; it costs a pound, and as you're an old customer I'll put up five pounds for $1; the nutmegs 11 cents, soap 18, yeast cakes 4, clothespins 20—but was a $2 bill you gave me? Yes, that's $1.81 out of $2; yes, yes, 11 cents; here you are; much obliged; call again. Oh no, we make no charge for delivering goods."

ALL OUT FOR WATBACK!

"Oh, Rosella," exclaimed Veltigern Tapemeasure, dropping on his knees without a struggle, "your beauty fires my heart"—"Oh, Alphonso!" said old Hezekiah Wheatcorner, entering the room, "I will divide the contract with you; I will fire the rest of him." Which he did.

WITH ONE B OUT.

We have received a prospectus of "Seven Oaks," which is the name of a girls' school in Kent, and which is to be conducted on a much more liberal system than the old-fashioned one of letters.

A PILGRIMAGE OF SIGHTS.

"Let me learn for me a message of mild love," said Mr. Breather. "Ahh!" said the new pastor, sympathetically. "Yes, indeed," replied the lay assistant; "I've had the asthma twenty-two years."

DISQUIETING DARKNESS.

"Bring hither, bring hither my red baldhen,
Bring hither my number seven,
And my bag-man brown from London town
And my boy of silvery sheen.

"And it's oh for my trunk of leather tough
And my trunk of oak ribbed nine,
And my trunk of brass, for my stuff,
That will tackle but will not shrink.

"Oh, pile them high with the robes I wear,
Till their hats they overflow;
My lord he will stare, and the he will swear,
But in they will have to go."

"Oh, wally, wally, my ladyfair,
Now whither and will ye flee?"
"To Mount Saint Bushalef World-Aircair
On Ocean-by-the-Sea."

They have letters for horse-car and all,
In the Tower Lights to Khid,
And loudly for help the porters call,
As their hacks to the depot bill,
And pile their light against hatband and wall,
But wherever they store them, great and small,
Far out of her reach they are shid.

Her room is a cell a fathom long,
Her bed is a thing of fears,
Where all night long the homeless song
Of the wagless blind she hears.

And her bed he lies in a hallway line
On a sleep destroying cot,
Wherewhe hours him groan in a wrathful tone—
"Sir"—(Shush)—"Sir"—(Sh! Sh!)—"Sir!"

And all this time in their home in town,
A mansion of cool gray stone,
There sits peaceful silence in seventeen rooms,
Where the burglar sleeps alone.
—Brooklyn Eagle.

More Unjust Discrimination.

Omaha Girl—Oh! oh!
Chicago Girl—What's the matter?
"That man winked at me."
"That handsome man over there?"
"Yes, the handsome one."
"Brute; I should say he was a brute. He didn't even look at me."—Omaha World.

Professor Hayes Lectures on Socialism.

New York, July 2.—The grand jury presented a bill of indictment yesterday charging Policeman Steward Hahn, who killed Captain Jack Hussey, with murder in the first degree. Hahn was arraigned in Part II of the court of general sessions to plead. His counsel, Mr. Howe, interposed a plea of "not guilty," and Recorder Smyth remanded Hahn back to the prison. The day for the trial was not fixed.

William Lent Drops Dead.

UTICA, N. Y., July 2.—William Lent, for twenty-seven years engaged in the baggage and mail transfer business at the Central station in this city, dropped dead after dinner yesterday from the bursting of a blood vessel in his head. His age was 56. Few men along the line of the road were more favorably known to the traveling public.

An Inspector Dismissed.

WASHINGTON, July 2.—Secretary Fairchild has ordered the dismissal of Assistant Steamboat Inspector John T. Kennedy, at New York, charged with presenting false accounts.

Her Grandson's Death Killed Her.

CHATHAM, N. Y., July 2.—Truman Stapleboen's son Elsie, aged 13, was drowned while bathing. His aged grandmother fell to the floor dead on hearing the sad news.

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LAWS OF NEW JERSEY.

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CHAPTER XLV.

An act to regulate and license pawnbrokers.

1. Be it enacted by the Senate and General Assembly of the State of New Jersey, That no person, company, association, firm, partnership or firm shall hereafter carry on the business of pawnbroker in any city of this state without first having obtained from the mayor thereof a license authorizing such person, corporation, association, firm, partnership or firm to carry on the same, which license shall designate the house in which such business is to be conducted.

2. And be it enacted, That any person, corporation, association, firm, partnership or firm receiving such license shall pay to the city thereby granted such sum as shall be fixed by the common council, board of aldermen or other governing body of the city, not to exceed the sum of one hundred and fifty dollars; every such license shall expire one year from the date of its issuance, and may be renewed upon payment of the license fee and compliance with the other conditions of this act.

3. And be it enacted, That every person or corporation applying for a license under this act, shall, at the time of making his application, file with the clerk of the city a bond to the city by its corporate name, executed by the person or persons applying for and to the license and two responsible persons as sureties, in the penal sum of five thousand dollars, conditioned for the faithful performance of the duties and obligations pertaining to the business, and for the strict and faithful compliance with the provisions of this act, which bond shall be approved by the mayor, common council, board of aldermen, board of finance, or other body charged by law with the approval of bonds of officers, before said license shall be issued, and the mayor, city clerk or the peace and city officers, before said license shall be issued, and the mayor, city clerk or the peace and city officers, before said license shall be issued, and the mayor, city clerk or the peace and city

IN HAVANA.

A TRAVELER SEES STRANGE AND INTERESTING SIGHTS.

A Bull Fight Which Disgusts Him—The Antiquity of the Cemetery—The Assassin's Potsard.

A correspondent of the Indianapolis *Journal* says in a letter from Ha- On landing you are greeted by the m- house officials, who wish to see ports, to examine your luggage, The ladies of the party objected t rig their trunks opened and the cot posed to the vulgar gaze of these individuals. It was the custom, and no amount of persuasion wo- ance them to desist. After the law ha been satisfied the party took carriage f the hotel. I came to see, and I com- ed by walking I could see better. very turn I was beset by mendicants in the first few I gave the small change I had, it was not long before I had a small ity at my heels. To escape them I calle- a cab and soon got to the hotel. Upon hein a fete week, there were all kinds of amusements. The next day there was a bull fight; I concluded I would go. In company with several Spanish students I started early, so as to get a good view of this brutal sport, and found I had started none too soon, as the amphitheater was fast filling up. The bands, of which there were several, played the national airs. As given signal the gladiators marched in—six in all. The leader was the next to come, led by assistants. The leader of the bullfighters was a small, pale man, in perfect form, with rather a feminine cast of feature.

He was the prime favorite of the ladies, and as he marched around the forum the ladies threw their lace handkerchiefs, pocket-books and their gayly colored scarfs to him, which he accepted with a low bow and by making the Spanish signs as soon so often in New Orleans when giving alms to the poor. This man is a professional fighter from Madrid, is known as Signor Mastai Ferreffi, all comes with loyal favor. After the first bull was killed I came away disgusted with the brutal sport, and must say, to the credit of the few Americans present, they, with one accord, followed.

Havana has some elegant buildings in it—notably the government buildings and hotels, built of stone. The plaza or public square is at most a very commonplace affair, and not at all as inviting as any of our parks in Indianapolis. The population is about 230,000, of which 25,000 is floating. It is made up of every known race under the sun, but mainly Chinese and Hindoo coolies, negroes, creoles and Spaniards by birth.

The Cuban Spaniards are the moneyed men. They control everything. The Cuban's cry is Cuba for us; down with the Spaniards! Those born in Spain are sent to this island to keep the Cubans poorer and the Madrid government richer. There is scarcely a night passes but some Spaniard is sent to his long home by the assassin's poniard. This is a small knife, the blade about six inches long, and has both edges as keen as a razor. Everybody carries them, even the ladies. As a rule, those seen carry them in the back of the neck, the ladies in their dress, where they can be seen with the butt peeping out. The natural hatred that exists between the creoles and the Spaniards will again lead to war. This time no creole will be aided by the negro slaves. All that is wanting now is a Walker or a Lopez. Havana is the gateway for the products of the island, American being the largest consumer. The amount of tobacco and sugar raised on this island is simply enormous, and the revenue must be very large. It finds its way to Madrid. The slaves or pure negroes do the hard fieldwork, and do it well, although they have cruel and brutal taskmasters. In some districts the slaves are treated more humanely.

The island of Cuba is some 750 miles long and about fifty in width, and is mountainous at the south end, where the Sierra Maestra rises to an elevation of 8,000 feet. The western or Havana districts are the best and wealthiest parts of the island. It is here the finest and best sugar and tobacco are raised, which find a ready market in New Orleans and New York. Nearly eighty-five per cent. of the sugar raised here goes to America; the balance to England. Cuba imports hardware, salt, fish, furniture, flour, manufactured goods and machinery, etc. I saw in a sugar refinery a Corliss engine made in Indianapolis, and when I saw it I felt homesick. It was only momentary, though. The ladies of Havana are very beautiful. Their olive complexion is set off to good advantage by the use of their mant la folded across the shoulder in a way that makes them bewitching. If it were not for their ungovernable tempers they would be still handsomer. The weather here is very warm. At night there is a cool breeze that comes from the bay, and with it comes the old fashioned Mississippi "gallinipper." Three or four of them sucking you at once is not the best feeling in the world, and to know there are several cases of yellow jack in the city makes one feel as if he was near the jumping-off place. My advice to snowdiggers is to keep away from Cuba, except from November to March. After that time it is not pleasant, unless you can accustom yourself to the latent heat and the cankers. This is the home of earthquakes, and every well regulated family has one, and some to spare for visitors.

He Got It in Writing.

Colonel Tom Worthington, a West Point officer who commanded an Ohio regiment during the early part of the war, was dismissed from the service for alleged disobedience of orders at "the battle of Shiloh." Seeking redress, he went to Washington, and for a fifty spent every winter until he died. Constantly begging to be reinstated in the service, he bored President Lincoln almost to death. One day he called General Tom Ewing out of the House of Representatives and said to him: "Lincoln's a fool!" "What makes you think so?" asked Ewing. "Read this note," said Worthington, pulling a paper from his pocket. The letter was dated at the Executive Mansion, and read as follows: "I have several times informed Mr. Worthington, verbally, that he was unfit to be a Colonel, and now at his request I put it in writing. A. LINCOLN." —*Bar. Perley Poore.*

Odd Newspaper Statistics.

The New York *Sun* finds some interesting newspaper statistics in the nineteenth annual edition of Rowell's "American Newspaper Directory," recently issued.

The first volume of this work, issued nineteen years ago, was the first complete newspaper directory of all the States. It contained about 5,000 papers and 358 pages, while the present volume contains 1,292 pages and 15,426 papers—714 of which are in the Dominion of Canada, leaving 14,706 in the United States. The total circulation of all these publications each issue is 84,663,825 copies—so that on an average each family reads three different newspapers.

A careful examination of the names of these publications shows that more than half of the whole number are called by just forty different names. In this calculation, however, what are known as the "hyphenated" papers, or those having two names, or a compound name, are included under the one name most common to both, but one paper is included from each office where several editions are issued (as for example, the *Sun*, the evening *Sun*, and the weekly *Sun*).

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The paper having the shortest name is the *Au*, a German weekly, published in Milwaukee, and the paper having the longest name is *Die Deutsche Amerikanischer Gesuche und Industrie Zeitung: Fortschritt der Zeit*, a semi-monthly, also published in Milwaukee.

Pioneer also seems to be a favorite name for papers on the frontier, while *Whig*, which was once very common, appears now in but five towns, and these are mostly in the South. There are 32 *Telephones*, 31 *Clippers*, 19 *Headlights*, 39 *Globes*, a *Phonograph*, and 32 *Worlds*.

The religious papers can mostly be recognized by their names. There are 737 of them all told. These, with all other class journals, and all in foreign languages, are also catalogued by themselves in the directory after the catalogue of the papers and towns by States.

The agricultural journals number 149, and the live stock journals 62. Thirty-two are devoted to poultry raising, 30 to fruit and vine culture, 10 to dairying, 4 to sugar growing, 136 to medicine and surgery, 16 to dentistry, 26 to hygiene, and 10 to pharmacy; 256 are issued in the interests of educational institutions, and 96 more are devoted to education; 16 are devoted to the deaf, dumb and blind, 63 to children and young people, 43 to law, 13 to immigration, 42 to science, 9 to history, 1 to dancing, 17 to fashions, and 9 to the army and navy.

All the secret societies have their organs, the Freemasons leading with 37, and there are 21 for the Knights of Labor. There are also 87 temperance papers, 31 devoted to the Negro, and 9 to woman suffrage. Every trade and industry seems to have mediums specially devoted to its interests, and their names are generally appropriate to the business.

In foreign languages the German are the most numerous, there are 724 of them. One hundred and twelve are printed in the French language, 39 in the Scandinavian, 34 in the Spanish, 16 in Bohemian, 12 in Hollandish, 7 in Polish, 4 in Danish, 5 in Welsh, 8 in Finnish, 5 in Italian, 2 in Portuguese, 4 in Hebrew, 2 in Chinese, and 1 each in Russian, Hungarian, Swiss, Irish, and Cherokee.

An Odd Character.

Donald Padmon, famous as the paragrapher of the Louisville *Courier-Journal*, is an odd sort of man. He is as listless as he is clever. Some time ago he was offered the managing editorship of the paper, but promptly declined on the ground that it would be too much bother. In the office he lounges about in an attire as careless as can be imagined, writes a paragraph or two a day to brighten up the editorial page, and does nothing more. The story told of his courtship is as singular as that of any exploit of his life.

There came to Louisville a woman who lectured on temperance and whose lectures aroused Padmon's sense of humor. He chaffed her in the newspaper, making comments so harsh that the lecturer was stung to madness. She visited the office and sought out Padmon, intending, it is asserted, to strike him with a cowhip. The lazy wit but laughed and reasoned with her. A week or two later it was learned in the office that the two were married. The union is said to be a very happy one.

Was ever woman in such humor wooed?
Was ever woman in such humor won?
—*Chicago Tribune.*

Eucalyptus and Ague.

What has been the effect of planting the eucalyptus? Professor Tommasi-Crudeli has never attributed to these trees the least influence upon fever. On the contrary he says that in the southern hemisphere, where vegetation is more richly developed than in Europe, there are numberless forests of eucalyptus where, as Professor Liversidge, of the University of Sydney, has declared, malaria obtains to a very great extent. He also mentions the fullest effects to be note health made at the instigation of the French Trappists at the Three Fountains, where among vast plantations of eucalyptus, all the inmates of an agricultural penitentiary instituted in the neighborhood of the Abbey were subject to fevers, more or less severe. Not an inhabitant of the Three Fountains escaped the malaria in 1882, during which, in all the rest of the Roman campagna the health was excellent, and the percentage of fevers very small.—*Sanitary Rec.*

FARM AND HOUSEHOLD.

The Cellar to Ventilate.

At this season the cellar must be kept cool, dry, ventilated and clean. The doors must be kept closed, and made impossible during the day, but they may be opened about midnight, and remain open until early morning. During the latter half of the night the air is cool, and air must be admitted to keep the cellar dry and pure. If kept clean, not a great deal of stirring will be needed. If the cellar is damp, fruits and vegetables decay sooner, and it is more unhealthful than is generally supposed. Many attacks of fever, diphtheria, or other diseases, result from damp, unventilated, unclean cellars. Keeping the cellar clean and ventilated, is the best way to keep it dry; it may be necessary to use other means. Lime placed in the cellar will absorb moisture and noxious gases, and thus help to keep the air pure. Charcoal is also a great absorber of gases. The temperature of the cellar may be lowered by putting a tub of ice, and but one paper is included from each office where several editions are issued (as for example, the *Sun*, the evening *Sun*, and the weekly *Sun*).

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The agricultural journals number 149, and the live stock journals 62. Thirty-two are devoted to poultry raising, 30 to fruit and vine culture, 10 to dairying, 4 to sugar growing, 136 to medicine and surgery, 16 to dentistry, 26 to hygiene, and 10 to pharmacy; 256 are issued in the interests of educational institutions, and 96 more are devoted to education; 16 are devoted to the deaf, dumb and blind, 63 to children and young people, 43 to law, 13 to immigration, 42 to science, 9 to history, 1 to dancing, 17 to fashions, and 9 to the army and navy.

All the secret societies have their organs, the Freemasons leading with 37, and there are 21 for the Knights of Labor. There are also 87 temperance papers, 31 devoted to the Negro, and 9 to woman suffrage. Every trade and industry seems to have mediums specially devoted to its interests, and their names are generally appropriate to the business.

In foreign languages the German are the most numerous, there are 724 of them. One hundred and twelve are printed in the French language, 39 in the Scandinavian, 34 in the Spanish, 16 in Bohemian, 12 in Hollandish, 7 in Polish, 4 in Danish, 5 in Welsh, 8 in Finnish, 5 in Italian, 2 in Portuguese, 4 in Hebrew, 2 in Chinese, and 1 each in Russian, Hungarian, Swiss, Irish, and Cherokee.

An Odd Character.

Donald Padmon, famous as the paragrapher of the Louisville *Courier-Journal*, is an odd sort of man. He is as listless as he is clever. Some time ago he was offered the managing editorship of the paper, but promptly declined on the ground that it would be too much bother. In the office he lounges about in an attire as careless as can be imagined, writes a paragraph or two a day to brighten up the editorial page, and does nothing more. The story told of his courtship is as singular as that of any exploit of his life.

There came to Louisville a woman who lectured on temperance and whose lectures aroused Padmon's sense of humor. He chaffed her in the newspaper, making comments so harsh that the lecturer was stung to madness. She visited the office and sought out Padmon, intending, it is asserted, to strike him with a cowhip. The lazy wit but laughed and reasoned with her. A week or two later it was learned in the office that the two were married. The union is said to be a very happy one.

Was ever woman in such humor wooed?
Was ever woman in such humor won?
—*Chicago Tribune.*

Eucalyptus and Ague.

What has been the effect of planting the eucalyptus? Professor Tommasi-Crudeli has never attributed to these trees the least influence upon fever. On the contrary he says that in the southern hemisphere, where vegetation is more richly developed than in Europe, there are numberless forests of eucalyptus where, as Professor Liversidge, of the University of Sydney, has declared, malaria obtains to a very great extent. He also mentions the fullest effects to be note health made at the instigation of the French Trappists at the Three Fountains, where among vast plantations of eucalyptus, all the inmates of an agricultural penitentiary instituted in the neighborhood of the Abbey were subject to fevers, more or less severe. Not an inhabitant of the Three Fountains escaped the malaria in 1882, during which, in all the rest of the Roman campagna the health was excellent, and the percentage of fevers very small.—*Sanitary Rec.*

Watch the Insects.

Injurious insects demand attention throughout the summer months. Look for the borers near the base of young fruit trees; if saw-dust is seen to drop from a hole in the bark, or if a portion of the bark is seen to be depressed, cut out the borer.

If the leaves of currants and gooseberries are eaten by "the worm," apply white hellebore at once. Stir a teaspoonful of the powder in a pailful of water, and apply with a syringe. Repeat this after a few days. If later broods appear continue the remedy, which is a very certain one.

The greenish sting slug, which appears upon the leaves of cherry, pear, and other trees may be destroyed by applying air-slaked lime or wood ashes. This may be dusted upon the leaves by means of a bag of coarse fabric, attached to a pole.

The insects attacking the grape vine this month, are mainly large caterpillars, which are most readily picked by hand; the so-called "thrips," which is properly the "grape-vine leaf hopper," and not related to the true thrips. It is a little whitish insect which often rises in cloud when the vines are disturbed. The best treatment is to jar among the vines with torches, gently beating them to disturb the insects, which will at once fly toward the light.

The first appearance of grayish spots on the undersides of the vine indicates mildew, and flowers of sulphur should be applied with a bellows made for the purpose.

Whenever pear trees are attacked by blight, which comes without warning, cut away every blighted portion and burn it.—*American Agriculturist.*

Farm and Garden Notes.

As soon as the fruit is set on plum trees be ready to fight the curculio.

It is stated that there has been of late years an unwonted demand for sunflower seeds.

Keep the young pigs in pasture in the orchard; those for early market should have a meal-slop daily.

Don't use any parsnip seed unless it be of last year's growth, as such seed does not readily germinate if old.

Mr. Albaugh, well known in Ohio horticulture, says that one grower sowed oats among his grapes every spring to prevent rot, and considered it a success.

As sunflower seed is very liable to heat the safest way of keeping it for fowls is to cut off the flower head when the seed is ripe and pile it loosely till thrown to the fowls.

An English gardener states that the roots of trees may be prevented from entering between the joints of drain tiles by using coal tar. In using it mix it with sawdust to the consistency of ordinary building mortar. A layer of this should be spread on the bottom of the drain; on this set the drain pipes and then cover all over with the tar mortar. If the work be carefully performed and the mortar applied in sufficient quantities, say one and a half inches thick all round, roots may be guaranteed.

Mr. E. S. Carmen, in the *Rural New Yorker*, says: "Our practice is to cover the seed potatoes slightly with soil and then sow the fertilizer in the furrows or trenches. We have used as much as a ton of potato fertilizer—which is strong in potash—to the acre, and yet we harvested clean potatoes with smooth skins and without 'scabs.' Not so when fresh farm manure is used. This with us almost always causes 'scab' by attracting wire worms (Tulus), which eat into the skin and give the potato the same corroded surface as the fungus causes."

Recipes.

MUSH ROLLS.—Take any cold mush made of cornmeal, oatmeal or hominy, and knead into enough graham flour, not too coarse, to form a dough just stiff enough to handle with plenty of flour; make into rolls from three to four inches long and nearly an inch thick; then bake in a hot oven from thirty to forty minutes; this bread is best eaten when warm.

PUMPKIN PIES.—Take a quart of stewed or baked pumpkin salted and pressed through a sieve. Mix with it a teaspoonful of mace, one of cinnamon, one of nutmeg, two large cups of sugar, and then add two quarts of milk, nine eggs, yelks and whites beaten separately, a teaspoonful of salt. Line pie plates with this pastry, fill with the above mixture, and bake in a moderate oven.

BEEFSTEAK.—Have the steak cut very thick, with two ounces of fat to each pound of lean, and set it on a dish that may be sent to table. If liked will done, set it before a clear, hot fire for an hour and a quarter before dinner. Turn the steak once and turn the dish once, so that each side of the steak may be

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Marriages.

LOCKWOOD—SUTTON—On Monday, June 27, 1887, at St. Paul's Church, Evanston, Cook county, Territory, by Rev. E. Underwood, Julia A. Sutton, of North Plainfield, to Irving Lockwood, of Evanston.

JOTTINGS.

—A man named Thomas Lyons was seriously injured about the head by being thrown from a hammock in a yard on Liberty street yesterday afternoon.

—James Cahill was arrested on complaint of Mrs. Melville, charged with disorderly conduct. He was discharged with a reprimand.

—A game of base ball between the High school nine and the North Plainfield Juveniles resulted in the defeat of the former by a score of 14 to 8. Mr. E. Dawe acted as umpire.

—John Deady appeared before Judge Ulrich yesterday and furnished bail in the sum of $2,000 to await the action of the Grand Jury on the charge of shooting a colored man named Stants in the leg.

—The game of base-ball between a nine chosen from the employees of the Scott foundry and a nine from the Cloth factory, which was to have taken place Saturday afternoon, has been postponed for one week.

—The new drug first of Field & Randolph are doing a rushing business and the young men are well satisfied with their venture. They have many friends who are wishing them success in a substantial and practical manner.

—The weather bulletins of the United States Signal Service are shown every day from a flag staff on the roof of H. J. Shaw's drug store building on Front street. The key to the signals will be seen in Mr. Shaw's window. Special telegrams for changing the bulletins are received every morning.

—Complaints have been made against men bathing in the brook under the bridge at Evona. Chief Dodd has obtained the names of some of them, and is taking steps to secure the names of others, and will arrest, in all, with the intention of arresting them all for fiddecit exposure.

—Owing to an order issued by Bishop O'Farrell of the Diocese of Trenton, there was no dancing at the picnic given by the members of St. Joseph's church at the Crescent yesterday afternoon and evening. The five miles skating contest for a gold ring was won by Fred. Moore. Skating and other attractions were offered and the evening was passed very pleasantly.

—Two fires occurred "over the mountains" yesterday afternoon and the origin of neither could be traced to any definite source. One was the dwelling of Ephraim Giles, near Washington, which occurred about 4.30, and the house was entirely destroyed. Another was the barn belonging to Jacob Koechlein, near Martinsville, occurring about six o'clock, and destroying the building. So far as could be learned there was no insurance in either case.

—It is understood with authority that Mayor Male will officially send a letter to city council to-night recommending the erection of a modern hall for the use of city officers, to be erected in some desirable location. The city now pays about $800 annually for official rentals, and it is thought that a suitable building with modern improvements could easily be made self-supporting. Mr. Male never does things by halves and the subject will doubtless be treated in its entirety, and the feasibility of such a plan clearly demonstrated.

—Saturday evening a drunken man wandered into the yards of residences in North Plainfield, terrifying the women and children, who fled into their homes on his approach. He was finally captured by Constable Bauerschs and lodged in the lock-up. During the night he is said to have had delirium tremens, and Sunday morning begged piteously for water to take his burning thirst. Constable Bauerschs filled him with a two-quart tin pail full, which the thirsty man drank quickly and called for more. He was supplied with another quart of water, which when drunk, left him still thirsty. A cup of strong coffee was provided, when he seemed relieved. He was kept until, in the absence of Justice Austin, Mayor Cooley committed him Sunday for thirty days to Somerville, to which place he was taken yesterday morning by Constable Bauerschs.

—About half past four o'clock yesterday afternoon a man with two bundles of straw on his back, walked solemnly along Second street, south toward Central avenue, when some young men stopped him to ask questions, to keep his attention while one of their number got behind him and set the straw on fire. To have himself from being burned he threw the straw in a heap on the sidewalk, tore the fence, and while he was attending to it, the men disappeared. He started off to have them arrested, and got more straw. With the straw he had a new load later. Meanwhile the straw had set fire to the fence, alarming the neighborhood. Some of the women went for help and others went to work and put out the fire.

Base Ball.

One of the best games of base ball played in Plainfield this season was between the Crescent and Actives on the Park avenue grounds on Saturday afternoon. Both nines played fine and fast and the active men had so many superior kinds of batting to distinguish them the result would not have been so decidedly one sided. Several men on both sides made some very good plays, but of the latter Whitehead's play made by Vogel of the Actives when with his place on third and catching a man at the home base, caught the audience by storm. This was a very clever play. Gow and Shield made of applause. Mr. Dike and others of the Crescents also made some very clever catches which seem roundly applauded.

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Actives	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0

FIREWORKS AND MUSIC.

A Grand Pyrotechnical Display and Reception at the Hotel Netherwood.

The Fourth was celebrated in a royal manner at the Hotel Netherwood yesterday. There was music and elaborate coats, pyrotechnics and pretty ladies in full evening dress, while hundreds of visitors flocked there from every direction to witness the event, and went home happy for having witnessed so much patriotism and sociability. There was a concert in the afternoon from three to five o'clock by Gilmore's Band of New York, and sweet music floated round among the trees and hung there in clusters awaiting the coming of the evening entertainment. Of course the concert was appreciated and hundreds of persons sat upon the broad verandas of the pretty hotel enjoying the romantic scenery and Mr. Miller's generous hospitality. But all the people of handsome Netherwood had an interest in the event, and the names of the members of the committees that appear below would be accepted as a guarantee that the affair was a success throughout without further comment.

Toward evening it was an interesting sight to see the people going to the Hotel Netherwood from all directions, in carriages, on foot and by train, and by eight o'clock over 2,000 persons were gathered on the broad lawns and piazzas awaiting the protechnic display. The band kept one in excellent spirits, and when at 8.30 the match was applied to the first instalment of fireworks, there was a large burst of applause. And then for an hour the great display was a scene of brilliant colored fire, high shooting rockets, gorgeous spinning wheels, burning flowerpots and fiery whirligigs that flew in all directions and burst with loud reports distributing odd concetts with a lavish hand, while pretty balloons floated away in the surrounding darkness and by and by they sputtered and hissed and kept the air filled with flying sparks, many colored stars, etc.

After the display of fireworks there was a general promenade. The order went forth "choose your partners" and then into the spacious parlors the gay throng wended its way. This was at ten o'clock, and for another hour were all other things earthly forgotten while the merry guests enjoyed the mazes of the dance. The pretty dining room was the next center of attraction and the people returned to their home entertaining men but the most kindly feelings toward the Hotel Netherwood and its excellent manager.

Among those present from Plainfield were: Mr. and Mrs. Jos. W. Sandford, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Murray and the Misses Murray, the Misses Dudley, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Pedlow, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Kaufman, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Depew, the Misses Depew, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Leonard, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Brooks, Mr. Harry Dunn, Mr. and Mrs. Pliney Fiske, the Misses Marsh, the Misses Morgan, the Misses Sanford, Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Higginson, Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Miller, Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Leonard, Mr. and Mrs. S. O. Bowers, Dr. Thiers, Mrs. Eugene Everit; Miss Ida A. Pearce, of Brooklyn.

There were present from Netherwood: Mr. and Mrs. Schmidt, Mr. and Mrs. Vandewater, Mr. and Mrs. Randolph, Mr. and Mrs. George Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. Phillipson, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Brower, Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Haines and the Misses Haines, Mr. H. P. Talmage, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Drake, Mr. and Mrs. H. Brower, Mr. Wm. P. Smith, Mrs. Netherwold, Miss Grinnell, Mr. Schmidt, Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Hyde, Miss Clark.

PROGRAMME—CONCERT.

1. Ball Columbia
2. Selection, "Erminie," ..... Jakobowski
3. { Nocturne, "Florian," ..... Lenski
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4. Selection, "Buddy Boss," ..... Sullivan
5. { Andante, "Lohengrin," ..... Wagner
   { Andante, "Orgue Romain," ..... Dr. Volkmar
6. Cornet Solo, "Gallop," ..... Diller
7. Selection, "Trebizonde," ..... O'Connor
8. Selection, "Mirette," ..... Diller
10. National Airs.

ORDER OF DANCING.

1. Lancers, "Erminie," ..... Jakobowski
2. Valse, "Paris Bouquet," ..... Waldteufel
3. Lancers, "Buddy Boss," ..... Sullivan
4. Polka, "Black Hussar," ..... Wilhelmy
5. Lancers, "Black Hussar," ..... Wilhelmy
6. Polka, "Bella Bella," ..... Metra
7. Lancers, "Amorita," ..... Caballa
8. Waltz, "Mirette," ..... Dellinger
9. Lancers, "Nell Gwynne," ..... Planquette
10. Gallop, "Probs," ..... Diller

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After the Holmes' Maps.

A man from New York was in Somerville yesterday inquiring for the Holmes' maps. He pretended to know all about them. He told the clerk of the sale that they were not as valuable as supposed; that they were only of use to one man and to any one else would be worth only some $200. It was plain to see that he was a speculator endeavoring to depreciate the value of the maps, with a view of buying them.

Father O'Hanlon, whose aid was sought by the last widow, said who purchased the maps of the wife for but sixty dollars was the gainer of $6,000 or $7,000, and that Holmes after his return from prison, on an average should have $6,000 for the recovery of one which had been gotten possession of by someone else while he was in prison. Surveyors paid Mr. Holmes as high as $50 per day for the privelege of using them to survey lots, and the maps were in use by the surveyors all the time. Mr. Holmes is now the owner of the maps, and has refused $5,000 for them. He values them at $10,000 for the reason they are so valuable and because authentic.

The Athletics defeated the Tarrans in a game of base ball yesterday morning by a score of thirteen to six.

Fourth in Plainfield.

The "Glorious Fourth" was enthusiastically observed in this city in a quiet way. Long before midnight Sunday the sound of the fire cracker could be heard on the streets. The small boy was in his glory. It was indeed a gala day for him. Burned fingers and a powder-besmeared face had no terrors for him. He was celebrating the one hundred and eleventh anniversary of the nation's birthday with a vengeance. The day was ushered in by the booming of cannons and the blowing of horns. Large crowds of strangers were in town. On Saturday the 3.18 p. m. train came from New York in two sections in order to accommodate the multitude who wished to spend the Fourth in the country. Business was generally suspended yesterday. At noon Saturday the large clothing manufactory of Schapiln, Baldwin, Tuesley & Co., was closed and did not resume work until this morning. Work at the grass works of Messrs. Ellis & Co. a number of sporting men went to Dunellen to witness the shooting contests on the Middlesex Gun Club's grounds. The racing track at the fair grounds was also visited by many persons. A number of young men with a large force of torpedoes paraded the city early in the morning firing salutes at short intervals. A picnic under the auspices of the Gesang and Turning Society was held in Keller's Grove during the afternoon and evening and was well attended. Some of the populace took advantage of the excursion given by the railroad company and visited Manch Chunk and the Switchback.

A Word for the Clerks.

Mr. S. B. Fairchild, the popular Front street furniture dealer, requests us to include his name in the list of early closing merchants. This movement is intended to benefit the clerks. One merchant is said to have refused on the ground that the time was wasted in talkcoss. It is but fair to add that this uncharitable view is only held by one merchant so far as known, and is not, justified by the facts. There is nothing gained by want of consideration for the interests of employees. It is simply a question of the employer's interest. We practice what we preach, and have been accustomed to give each of our employes ever summer a weeks vacation at our expense. We believe the News is the only newspaper office in New Jersey, if not in the United States, where this is done, and we shall be to know only with the object that it may induce employes elsewhere to try the experiment. We have found it to work very well, and continue it this year as formerly. We have been an employer for nearly twenty years and in all that time never found a dissatisfied one, and that recently, as already alluded to herein, who was unworthy such special consideration. We have aimed to make a model local newspaper, and have succeded. We have a paper supported entirely by its locality. It is the paper of our merchants and our people generally as our columns bear abundant testimony daily. It is likewise our ambition to be ahead in our line as an employer. That is, we think oftentimes the best way of preventure difference between employer and employe, and we would aim for the thoughtful consideration of whom it may concern.

PERSONAL.

Mr. S. B. Doane formerly of this city is now at Beaumann Brothers, N. Y.

Miss Lizzie May Bachman, of Park avenue, has returned from her trip to Atlantic city.

George W. Taylor and family, of West Second street, started this afternoon for a two weeks' sojourn at Saratoga.

Miss Gussie Sanghen, of West Second street, left to-day for Reddington, were she will spend two weeks visiting recreation.

The Misses Anna and Sadie Searing, of West Third street, left Sunday for Perth Amboy, where they will seek recreation for several days.

Miss Lizzie Bauerschs, of Newark, N. J., is spending her vacation at the residence of her uncle Constable Bauerschs, on Harmony street.

Messrs. F. L. C. Martin and F. Heyniger started Sunday morning for Clifton, Staten Island, and returned in the evening well satisfied.

Mr. J. U. Pusky and family of Park avenue, are now at Elberon, where they have one of the most beautiful summer homes in the country.

The Misses Marie and Agnes Steinhouser of Jersey City are spending the summer months at the residence of their aunt, Mrs. Verdon on Somerset street, North Plainfield.

Hon. Jacob Kirkner, of Right street returned home last evening from Stanford, New York, where for the past few days he has been staying to look after his summer residence in the Catskills.

Miss May E. Hudson, of Somerset street, North Plainfield, returned a few days ago from the boarding school at Trenton, N. J., which she had been attending during the winter months, to spend part of her vacation with her parents there.

Fire at Round Brook.

The home of William Stall, at the corner of Union avenue and Church street, Round Brook, was destroyed by fire yesterday morning, all efforts to save it proving futile. A defective flue is supposed to be the cause. The loss was $4,000 and the insurance $2,000. The town is without a supplier fire department.

The firemen were constantly on the alert from Saturday night until this morning, to guard against fire. Hundreds of torpedoes in the empty houses all night. Fortunately their services were not required, but thanks are due for their diligence.

—William Buchanan of West Front street celebrated one of his arrest by coming in contact with a gale on Park avenue last evening.

New Jersey Wheelmen in Orange.

After running to Short Hills, through the Oranges and up the steep Eagle Rock Hill, on the Orange Mountain, yesterday morning the New Jersey Division of the League of American Wheelmen held its annual meeting in the Harrison street rink, East Orange. About one hundred and twenty-five members were present, and Chief Consul Conley; presided. The only election was that of a secretary-treasurer, E. Pennell, of Plainfield, was selected to fill the position. The subject of having a cinder path from New York to Philadelphia was enthusiastically discussed, but no formal action was taken. A resolution was adopted, thanking Gov. Hill, of New York, for signing the Bicycle Liberty bill. A committee was appointed to inquire into the feasibility of having a bicycle road built through the northern section of this State. After the meeting the wheelmen went to Upper Music Hall, Orange, where a banquet was served. They then formed in line on Main street and paraded through East Orange to the grounds at Roseville.

After the parade, the wheelmen assembled at the N. J. Athletic and Cycling Association grounds, where in the presence of numerous spectators the following races took place, several Plainfielders taking part:

ONE MILE NOVICE—FIRST TRIAL HEAT.

Wm. Lamb, Smithville, N. J., 1st.—3.08 1-5.
S. B. Bowman, Elizabeth, N. J., 2d.—3.08.

SECOND TRIAL HEAT.

E. P. Bagge, Jersey City, 1st.—3.11 3-5.
H. W. Post, Plainfield, N. J., 2d.

FINAL HEAT.

Wm. Lamb, 1st.—3.02 3-5.
S. B. Bowman, 2d.—3.03.

THREE MILE LAP.

J. W. Powers, Jr., Harlem, N. J., 1st.—9.24 4-5.
T. W. Roberts, Pokepsie, N. Y., 2d.

TWO MILE CHAMPIONSHIP.

C. A. Stenken, Jersey City, 1st.—4.12 1-5.
Wm. Lamb, Smithville, N. J., 2d.

ONE MILE STATE CHAMPIONSHIP TRICYCLE.

L. H. Johnson, Orange, N. J., No Competitors.—3.13 2-5.

FIVE MILE L. A. W. CHAMPIONSHIP.

J. W. Powers, Jr., Harlem, N. Y. 1st.—16.36 4-5
A. B. Rich, Brooklyn, N. Y., 2d.—16.37.

ONE MILE UNION CO. WHEELMEN, WESTFIELD, N. J., CHAMPIONSHIP.

A. W. Pierson, Westfield, 1st.—3.09 3-5.
T. H. Burnet, Elizabeth, 2d.—3.09 4-5.

ONE MILE STATE CHAMPIONSHIP.

C. A. Stenken, Jersey City, 1st.—3.06 4-5.
Wm. Lamb, Smithville, 2d.—3.07 2-5.

TWO MILE HANDICAP.

L. A. Howell, Millville, N. J., 1st.—5.47.
J. Van Wagoner, Burlington, N. J., 2d.

ONE MILE BICYCLE CLUB TEAM.

Harlem Wheelmen, N. Y., 1st.
Millville Bicycle Club, 2d.—7 points.

ONE MILE PLAINFIELD BICYCLE CLUB CHAMPIONSHIP.

M. S. Ackerman, 1st.—3.05 3-5.
G. W. Morrison, 2d.—3.09 1-5.
D. C. Adams, 3d.

ONE MILE CONSOLATION.

H. L. Powers, Harlem, 1st.—3.42 3-5.
W. H. Caldwell, Elizabeth, 2d.—3.43 3-5.

On account of an injury to his leg, resulting from a fall a short time ago, Frank L. C. Smith, of Park avenue, was unable to compete in the races he was entered for.

Protect our Trees.

Unless some steps are promptly taken for the protection of our elm trees, we are quite likely to lose some of the grandest of them. We urge upon our Common Council the necessity of some action to rid the trees of the worm, which is now destroying them. A few years ago some of our people had bands of tar wrapped around the trunks of the elms well up from the ground and below the branches. If this had any efficacy at the time it has not been followed up, and the result of neglect in this respect is now showing itself in the trees, the leaves of which are being destroyed by the worms which especially attacks the class of trees. This has been going on for several seasons past, and is now in some localities reaching an extent to cause alarm. Our trees are one of the things in which we glory, and we should by no means allow them to be harmed, while there is a chance for us to save them. We trust the Common Council will look into the matter without delay.

Death Roll

The funeral of Mary Emma, the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Evans of West Fourth street, took place yesterday afternoon at half-past one o'clock, Rev. Mr. Richards officiating. Interment was made at Lamberton.

Patrick, the twin son of Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Motley of West Second street, died Saturday night after a lingering illness, with marasmus. The funeral took place yesterday afternoon. Interment was made in St. Mary's cemetery.

The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. John Deady of West Third street died during Sunday evening after a short illness. The funeral took place yesterday afternoon. Interment was made in St. Mary's cemetery.

The Tennis Tournament.

The lawn tennis tournament of the Plainfield and Elizabeth clubs on the grounds of the former on Central avenue, which was began Saturday afternoon was continued yesterday and will be concluded on Saturday. The score now stands as follows:

Singles, first round—Wotherspoon beat Murray, 1-6, 6-3, 6-3; Anderson beat Post, 6-5, 6-4; Bergen beat Dunn, 6-1, 6-2; Bond beat Mc-Manager; Jacobus beat VanDerveer, 6-3, 6-0; Elliott beat Walz, 6-4, 6-0; Sewell beat Mc-Clellan, 6-1, 6-3; Gow beat Bergen, 6-2, 6-3; Smith beat Beebe, 6-0, 5-6, 6-3; Brundage beat Walz, 6-3, 6-3. Bye: Glazebrook beat Murray, 6-4, 6-4.

Second round—Wotherspoon beat Anderson, 6-0, 6-0; Green beat Rooney, 6-3, 6-0; Elliott beat Bond, 6-4, 6-4, 6-0; Smith beat Brundage, 6-5, 5-6, 6-3.

Third round—Wotherspoon beat Green, 5-6, 6-5, 6-4; Elliott beat Cook, 6-1, 6-4.

Fourth round—Rooney and Harrison beat McCutcheon and VanDerveer, 6-2, 6-4, 6-4; Cook and Wotherspoon beat Murray and Bond, 6-4, 6-4; Glazebrook beat Beebe, Wotherspoon and Jacobus, 6-4, 6-4; Beebe and Walz beat Smith and Knapp, 6-2, 1-6, 6-4. Bye: Brundage beat Sewell and Murray, 6-3, 6-3.

Second round—Rooney and Harrison beat Cook and Wotherspoon, 6-2, 6-4, 6-4; Glazebrook and Smith beat Beebe and Walz, 6-4, 6-4, 6-3.

LATEST DISPATCHES.

THE NEWS controls the service of the American Press Association and the United Press, and is the only paper published in this section that possesses a Telegraphic News Franchise.

Thermometer Record.

The following is the record of the thermometer for this day and for the corresponding date of last year, kept by Stelle's drug store, corner of Front street and Park avenue:

1887			1886	
6 a. m.	72	6	Sun rises	4 29
12 m.	78	72	Sun sets	7 35
3 p. m.	78	82	Moon sets	2 25
9 p. m.	76	76	Moon rises	

Weather Indications.

For Wednesday, in New Jersey, eastern New York, eastern Pennsylvania, and in New England, fair weather, with slight thermal changes.

Killed by Lightning.

NASHVILLE, TENN., July 5—Two young men, brothers, named Bass, were killed by lightning yesterday here. Two women and a child were also struck, one of the women being fatally injured.

A Boy and Girl Killed.

LOUISVILLE, KY., July 5—During a picnic here yesterday a thunderstorm drove a picnic party to seek shelter in a barn on a neighboring farm. The lightning struck it, and killed two men, names unknown, and a boy, named Carl Schwarz and a girl, named Emily Caldwell.

A Whole Town Wiped Out.

ERIE, Pa., July 5.—The town of Clarendon on the P. & R. R.R., was almost wiped out of existence last night by fire caused by fireworks. One hundred buildings were burned, including Weaver's Hotel, the Post Office, the Erie R. R. Depot, and Henry's Hotel. The loss is as estimated at $300,000, and the fire is still raging.

The Choristers Have an Outing.

Last evening about six o'clock the Dunham Goodwill Choristers started on a trip over the mountains. They destination was Berckley Heights, which is about two hours easy drive from this city. On these heights is located Cottage Grove farm, owned and occupied by Mr. and Mrs. George M. Jones, whose daughters are well known in Plainfield. The choristers were the guests of Henry's invited friends of the family, and were handsomely entertained.

After a fine display of fireworks, there was what was termed "The Second Annual Fourth of July Musicale," an entertainment similar to one given a year ago, when the choristers were the guests of Mr. Jones.

The choristers opened the exercises with singing, Misses Frank Gifford and Gray Cambel, and Miss Marie B. Jones and Mr. Friedman sang duetts, and there were readings by Miss Jones and Hawkins. A solo by Mr. Friedman, baritone, and another by Miss Jones, soprano, and Mrs. Sarah B. Jones gave a piano solo.

Among others who took part were Councilman Dunham, the leader of the choristers, and Mr. Albert Ackerman, Mr. Frank Van Vail and Williams, and among the guests not already referred to were Mr. and Mrs. Rhodes, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Evans, Mr. and Mrs. Hawkins, Miss L. De Bosse, Mr. A. Mack and family, of New York, Mr. and Mrs. E. Mason, of Fairfield, N. J., Mr. and Mrs. James Jackson, and daughters, Mr. Woodruff and family, and Messrs. Gifford, Gaskell, Hardy, Martin, McNally, Hankin, and Rogers.

Refreshments were served, and at a late hour the company dispersed to their homes.

The Fourth at New Market.

The one hundred and eleventh anniversary of our Nation's independence was appropriately celebrated in New Market yesterday. Large crowds of people from Plainfield, Dunellen and other neighboring towns arrived during the day to witness the interesting program which had been arranged. Bunting was displayed in various parts of the village and some of the decorations were very pretty. A match game of base ball between a Dunellen and New Market nine opened the program for the day.

In the afternoon there was boat racing, sub racing, foot racing and other athletic games, which were eagerly enjoyed by the large crowds of visitors. In the evening pyrotechnic displays were in order and they were indulged in with a vengeance. Taken all in all, the day was indeed a gala one for the quaint old village.

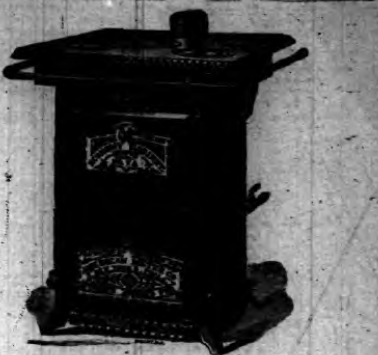
Burned With Powder.

Lewis VanLiew, colored, son of Henry Van Liew of West Third street in company with several companions was engaged "touching off" some powder on West Second street yesterday afternoon, and while they engaged was painfully burned about the left side of the face and both hands. He was taken to his home and his wounds were dressed. He is now getting along finely.

Ties to be Shot Off.

The directors of the Middlesex Gun Club have decided to hold a tournament on the grounds of the club at Dunellen, Oct. 3, 4, 5, 6, 7 and 8, at which time the national ties for the prizes given by the Atlantic Ammunition Company, of New York, will be shot off, occupying two days. The other days will be devoted by the club to sweepstake shooting, in which $3,000 worth of pigeons will be shot.

—Mr. S. A. Haines of Netherwood, attended the Republican Sunday evening at the Reformed Hall temperance meeting, during how governed by the speech of Governor of the latter was in attendance. Mr. Haines is one of the better sort, and spoke with much earnestness on the great subject of temperance, being the first speech of the kind he ever made. He is a member of the Republican Club of nearly a million persons in the United States and Canada. The warm afternoon and evening speeches were interspersed with music, Judge Harper presided, Frederick Vandebur led the singing.



NOTICE—The Plainfield Gas Light Co. would call attention of the Gas Consumers in this city to the marked improvements recently made in the construction of gasstoves for heating and cooking purposes.

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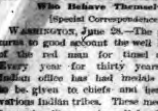
INDIAN MEDALS.

How the Government Rewards Red Men Who Believe Themselves.

(Special Correspondence.)

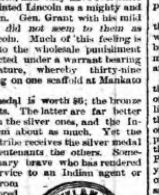
WASHINGTON, June 28.—The government turns to good account the well known love of the red man for tinsel and finery. Every year for thirty years past the Indian office has had medals struck off to be given to chiefs and head men of various Indian tribes. These medals usually bear the likeness, in relief, of the Great Father, the president of the United States, at the time they are presented. The medals bearing the likeness of Thomas Jefferson are now being made in the mint at Philadelphia. The specimen medal received by Indian Commissioner Atkins is a very fine piece of work. It is a massive oval tablet, weighing four ounces, and being as many inches long by three broad, and nearly half an inch thick. The two ends are cast in two metals, silver and bronze, about ten annually of the former and thirty or forty of the latter.



THE LINCOLN MEDAL.

It may be guessed that the great pains have always been taken to secure a good portrait of the Great Father on these medals intended for untutored savages whose standards of art are not supposed to be the highest. The portraits of Lincoln were abominable. Silver medals bearing his face have been given the Indians right along up to the present time. This war-time picture is by no means of economy, the silver medals being a little smaller than the bronze, and separate dies being required for them it was quite a saving to use the Lincoln medal rights all through the terms of Johnson, Grant, Hayes and Arthur. Another reason, however, is quite as good, and certainly more interesting. Some tribes have demanded Lincoln medals. This was the case especially among the Sioux. They felt the iron hand of national power in 1862, when the great outbreak and massacre took place in Minnesota, and they have ever since regarded the sainted Lincoln as a mighty and terrible chieftain. Gen. Grant with his mild *Quaker policy did not seem to them* as becoming the dignity of their Great Father, and doubtless, to the wholesale punishment which was inflicted under a warrant bearing Lincoln's signature, wherein thirty-nine Sioux were hung on one scaffold at Mankato in 1863.

The silver medal is worth $6; the bronze ones eighty cents. The latter are far better artistically than the silver ones, and the Indians prize them about as much. Yet the head chief of a tribe receives the silver medal only, and his descendants inherit the others. Sometimes an ordinary brave who has rendered some special service to an Indian agent or a detachment from the army is honored with a bronze medal. Then after-ward it is worn conspicuously on the breast to become an heirloom for his children and children's children.



THE CLEVELAND MEDAL.

The obverse of the Indian medal has undergone a change from the first. The design (Reverse.) is intended to teach a lesson in the arts and benefits of peace. The word "peace" shines out conspicuously at the top of the medal between radiating lines of light. Below is the scene around a thrifty settler's house. In front of his neat cabin stands the stalwart pioneer, ax in hand, by the log that he probably intends to cut into firewood to heat his prandial pot. A splendid specimen of the red man as Cooper has described him stands before him with a bow in hand. The pioneer is gracefully gesturing with his right hand toward the house as if he were inviting his red brother to come and dine with him off the fat pullet which the settler's wife in the background is going to catch. It is also easy to interpret the settler's remark to be this: "See my snug comfortable house, Hiawatha. It is a great deal warmer in winter and cooler in summer than your foul smelling tepee. Why don't you build a house like this for yourself? Of land there is enough and to spare for all of us, and the woods invite your ax and strong arms to take all the timber you need. My boy out here is plowing for potatoes and corn, and next winter we shall not run out of food and have to go into the country for rations. This is civilization. Take off that war bonnet, hang up your bow and arrows and go to work, and you will be wise and happy."

INDIAN MEDAL. (Obverse.)

"You would be surprised," said Gen. Atkins, spelling off these medals, "to see what a change the gift of a medal produces in an Indian. I saw some tough looking old fellows last year down in New Mexico and Arizona who had pleased their agent by building houses and breaking up land and sowing enough wheat to keep the flour of every living medal. They took the things from my hand as if I had been giving them crowns. Their faces were as firm in the expression of their wrinkles dignity and look, as hard and unchangeable, as bronze itself. They retired with a group of worshipful Indian men and women clustering around them to see the wonderful gifts that their great father. Forever after those Indians feel themselves invested with the duty of teaching good order, peace and industry among their people. Now and then some old codger sees the thing to beg, and we have heard of medals being pawned for whisky, but for the most part they have been treasured with great pride and solemnity. They are worn on days of dance and honor. And we intend that they shall be so held in regard, and endeavor to give them only to good and industrious Indians."

CONDENSED NEWS.

The toy pistol and the festive firecracker played their usual Fourth of July pranks in New York and elsewhere. The record of lives is certainly large and the accidents were numerous and in some cases fatal.

ON GETTYSBURG'S FIELD

THE BLUE AND THE GRAY AT THE SCENE OF FORMER EXPLOITS.

The Veterans of Both Sides Vie with Each Other in Doing Honor to the Widow of Gen. Pickett—The Demand for Her Autograph.

GETTYSBURG, Penn., July 3.—The Philadelphia brigade and the Pickett Division association began the celebration of the glorious Fourth just as the clock in the cupola of the court house struck twelve for the first stroke of 12 o'clock, midnight. The booming of cannon and the popping of firecrackers was kept up for an hour and a half. No one could be induced to sleep this quiet town since the eventful days of '63.

At a meeting in the court house early yesterday morning of the members of Pickett's division it was decided that the association should pay the expenses incurred by Mrs. Pickett on her journey here. No better proof could be had of the esteem in which Mrs. Pickett is held by her husband's old comrades than the hearty response to this proposition. After adopting resolutions of thanks to everybody connected in their reception the meeting adjourned. A union procession was formed, and a march with a Philadelphian the blue and the gray proceeded to the Eagle hotel, where the dashing regiments had their carriages and were driven to the battlefield.

Mrs. Pickett held a reception on the very ground over which her husband's command charged. Many of the old veterans in the shade of which he had formed his division. Col. Clopton, of Richmond, introduced each of the Pickett men by name, giving their rank and regiments. Mrs. Pickett spoke a few words to each of her husband's old friends, and all had a word for her. Then came the members of the Philadelphia brigade, who were as kindly received. Mrs. Pickett's son George stood at his mother's side and shook hands with each soldier as soon as his mother turned to the next.

The survivors of Kemper's, Garnett's and Armstead's brigades then formed in line in the order they were when Pickett began his charge, and the commander of each fought the battle over again in brief speeches.

The party then resumed their ride over the battlefield, passing over the Emmettsburg road, along Sickles' line to the Peach Orchard, across the bloody wheat field to the "Devil's Den," through the "Valley of Death," along Round Top's base, they reached the copse of trees where Hancock fell wounded. The "Bloody Angle" was again passed. Meade's quarters, the National cemetery and other points of interest were the features of the ride to the Baltimore pike, by which the party entered town.

Mrs. Pickett was the great attraction on the field. Some flowers which she plucked were distributed among a number of members of the division to be treasured as mementoes. Her autograph was eagerly sought, and not a minute went by unemployed in writing it.

The Hibernians spent the better part of the past two days sitting on the wide steps of the College chapel. They found it delightfully cool and shady there, and enjoyed themselves much more than did the heroes of an incident of the war which their presence brought back to the memory of an old veteran yesterday. Previous to the battle a number of young students of Pennsylvania college undertook to compose a military company and sallied forth in brilliant uniforms to repel the bold invader. A number of Early's ragged and dirty veterans came across the young recruits and scooped in the whole command, marched the nice looking students to the steps of the college and kept them sitting there for the unwilling listeners to remarks upon their personal beauty and prowess.

In the court house last evening Rev. J. K. Devereux entertained a gathering of Pickett's men on the liberty and brotherly feeling characteristic of our land, and how much these should endear it to all its citizens.

Mrs. Pickett held a reception in the division's headquarters last night, and a large number of persons shook hands with her. The G. A. R. band rendered them a serenade after the reception and the Pickett men then joined the Sixty-ninth regiment men, who were holding forth in the garden of the house. The Pickett division left for home at 8 a. m. to-day. The Wheeler Rifles, Cowan's brigade and part of the Philadelphia brigade left for their homes last evening. The remaining Philadelphians left this morning.

OHIO'S LABOR PARTY.

A Convention at Columbus to Nominate a State Ticket.

COLUMBUS, O., July 5.—The first state convention of the Union Labor party was called to order in this city at 2 p. m. yesterday. There were over 250 delegates present, 140 of them being from Hamilton county. The delegates organized by congressional districts, four out of twenty-one districts not being represented, and several having but one and two delegates. The delegates were composed of representative men from the masses of the people. They had left the workshop, the factory and the farm to take part in the organization of a new political party which promises to make the result in Ohio this fall very memorable. The great majority of the delegates are sincere in their desire for reform, but vary as to the methods by which it is to be accomplished and just how much they want. Many men prominent in the Greenback party are present in the convention, and, in fact, it looks very much as though the rag baby was about to be resuscitated and again paraded throughout the streets of Ohio this fall. The delegates are divided on the land question.

A Sky Rocket Did It.

CINCINNATI, July 5.—Mr. Stichtroth's malt house on the southwest corner of Twelfth and Clay streets, was totally destroyed by fire last night. The building was six stories high and extended from the corner of Clay nearly to Walnut on Twelfth street. It is reported that two men were buried under falling walls, but this lacks confirmation. A fireman was injured and will be learned was seriously injured by jumping from an upper window of the building. He was taken to the city hospital. The flames set fire to a brick wall when it fell damaged three houses on the opposite side of the street. The south wall crashed through the stable of the Banner Brewery, setting it ablazing and in a few seconds it looked as though the immense brewery establishment was doomed, but the flames were soon extinguished. The entire fire department was on hand and their energies were directed toward saving valuable property in close proximity to the malt house. The fire originated from a skyrocket which lodged in the tower. The loss will probably exceed $100,000.

A Great Russian Editor Dying.

LONDON, July 5.—A dispatch from Moscow states that M. Katkoff, the famous editor and statesman, is dying. M. Katkoff has exercised a most powerful influence in Russian attitude. Of late, however, other advisers seem in favor of an aggressive foreign policy have seemed to gain the confidence of the czar.

THE WOODSTOCK CELEBRATION.

Speeches by John B. Long, Clark E. Carr and William Windom.

WOODSTOCK, Ill., July 4.—There was but one celebration and a smaller number present at the celebration given by H. C. Bowen and Bowland park, Woodstock, yesterday, than the former gave on the 22d of Feb. Hon. E. B. Brigham, of Woodstock, opened the exercises with prayer. Hon. John S. Brock, of Hartford, then delivered the address of welcome. Hon. John D. Long, of Massachusetts, president of the day, made a lengthy and eloquent speech upon "The Day we Celebrate," which was received with applause. Hon. Clark E. Carr, U. S. Ex-Minister to Denmark, of Galesburg, Ill. At the afternoon session Hon. Clark E. Carr's eulogy of John A. Logan was received with great applause, and "The Education of the Negro," by Rev. William W. Patton, D. D., president of Howard university, Washington, D. C., elicited much favorable comment. Hon. William Windom, of New York, ex-secretary of the treasury, attracted the largest audience of the day. His theme, "Politics," was ably handled, and made a deep impression. The pyrotechnic display in the evening was magnificent.

A GAY DECEIVER.

How the Gallant Capt. Wood "Played" Them All, Including His Wife.

ATLANTA, Ga., July 5.—In February, 1886, *an impressive looking stranger giving the* name of H. G. Wood, of Boston, Mass., arrived in Rome, Ga., and represented himself to be a rich northerner seeking the development of southern resources. He soon made himself popular with the people, and was appointed by the Spalding Grays, the crack volunteer military company of the state. He was socially lionized, and last August married Miss Hill, a $60,000 heiress, who, after spending a few months' bridal tour in Europe.

Last May Wood announced that he had procured $50,000 through Boston, and would open a national bank with. His furnishings for the bank were of the most elaborate description, and three weeks ago he left for Cincinnati, ostensibly for the purpose of adding to the splendor of his surroundings in the new institution. Since that time nothing has been heard from the gallant captain. It developed just before he departed that he forged his father-in-law's signature to a note for $4,000, and borrowed sums of money ranging from $2,000 to $5,000 from several business men, besides mortgaging his wife's property.

INDISCRIMINATE EXECUTIONS.

Fourteen Men Killed in the Louisiana Race Riots.

NEW ORLEANS, July 5.—Late advices from Morehouse parish state that the recent riot at Oak Ridge was far more serious in its results than at first reported. It was previously stated that when a party of whites went to the negro settlement they were fired into a crowd of white men a fight ensued in which six negroes and one white man were killed, and another white man severely wounded. This was true, but it has since learned that four of the negroes who escaped from the fight were subsequently captured and hanged. On the day following two negroes were captured and jailed. The whites held a public meeting and determined to hang one of the negroes. This was openly done in the public square, after having established his innocence, was discharged. Another negro was captured a day later and hanged on the bank of a small stream near young's mill. On the 24th of June a party came up with two of the fugitives near Gibby station. They would not submit to arrest and fired on the posse, who returned the fire and killed both negroes. Already fourteen men have been killed, instead of seven, as stated in previous dispatches.

A Monument to Burnside.

PROVIDENCE, July 5.—The monument to the late Gen. Burnside was unveiled yesterday in this city. A large military display, including the state militia and G. A. R. veterans, who previously paraded the streets of the city. The Eleventh Massachusetts Light Battery, also the First Massachusetts Military Loyal Legion, and a number of other military organizations from other states were present. Governor Davis, Adj. Gen. Dyer, Governor Ames, of Massachusetts, and staff, Sculptor Launt Thompson, Gen. Sherman, and Gen. Grealy were among the distinguished guests present. Gen. Richmond, of Burnside's staff, after a very brief address, unveiled the monument, which consists of a bronze equestrian statue, resting on a granite pedestal about twenty feet high, and is both natural and imposing in appearance. Governor Davis also spoke briefly.

They Object to Temperance.

NEW YORK, July 5.—A special from Philadelphia to The World says that by the withdrawal of the journeymen brewers, beer drivers, coopers and firemen, numbering about 2,000, the Knights of Labor in that city will lose three local assemblies before the present month is ended. These men object to the temperance rules embodied in the new constitution, and will withdraw in a body, saying the special defense assessment and the per capita tax, which in all amounts to about $1.50 per year, is excessive. *They employ* justice to form an independent district and they decided not to pay the taxes and assessments in the Knights of Labor, which means speedy expulsion from that organization.

He Shot to Kill.

COLUMBIA, S. C., July 5.—An atrocious murder was committed yesterday in the resort known as Laurel St. Bridge, a noted hoser, and J. D. Sheahan, a merchant, had a dispute on Saturday, and it was thought the matter was then ended. Yesterday morning, July 4, while Bishop was standing in the court house door, Sheahan walked up with a pistol in each hand and began shooting. Bishop, being unarmed, ran into the court house office, while Sheahan followed him and continued shooting until Bishop fell dead, with several bullets in his body. Sheahan then gave his pistols to an officer and was lodged in jail.

Employed by Schnaebelle.

LEIPSIC, July 5.—The trial of Herr Klein and several associates for treason in supplying the French with information concerning the fortifications of Metz began here yesterday. A surprise and sensation was caused by Klein making a confession. He admitted having been paid by M. Schnaebelle, French commissary at Pagny, for all the French spy, *and that he had sent to the French war office* drawings of the fortresses of Strasburg and Mayence. Erhardt and Grobert, two of the defendants, plead not guilty.

A Rocket Fatally Hurts a Girl.

CHESTER, Pa., July 5.—The fire exhibition here was concluded last night with a display of fireworks. Some person threw a lighted firecracker into a wagon which contained the fireworks. The explosion ignited one of the rocket shot through the crowd. One of them struck the mouth of Ella Van Riper, of Upland, and came out one of her face was torn away. She will die.

FLYING THROUGH SPACE

A PERILOUS BALLOON INCIDENT AT QUINCY, ILLS.

Baldwin, the Aeronaut, Jumps from His Balloon at an Elevation of 5,000 Feet—Frostrated, but Not Seriously Injured.

QUINCY, Ill., July 5.—A thrilling performance was enacted here yesterday which was the special attraction of the celebration. The Baldwin, 'the aeronaut, was advertised to jump from a captive balloon at an elevation of 5,000 feet, and at 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon Baldwin jumped into the basket. The balloon was cut loose and rose gradually into the air, carried eastward by the wind. When about 3,000 feet high Baldwin grasped the string of his parachute, which hung from the setting and gave the lines a shake, straightening them out. He carried the ropes between the ring and the basket and steadied himself for the leap.

The balloon in the meantime had reached an altitude of 5,000 feet. The watching thousand were giving up, and for a few moments more would have started home. Another movement is visible in the balloon. The cottton of the parachute is thrown over the side and intensest in Baldwin and the balloon is again excited.

The plucky man has jumped. For a hundred feet he drops like lead. The parachute partially fills and the next hundred feet the velocity is decreased. The crowd holds its breath. Not a sound is heard. Every eye is fastened on the brave man in the air hanging by his hands 4,000 feet above the earth. He shakes his foot, the crowd takes it as a signal and a hums breaks forth that might have encouraged him. He is on a less perilous descent. He now travels at a slower pace, though the parachute has not filled. The cords are tangled, and though the speed is slackened the descent is more rapid. He is nearer course and the stred aeronaut sways with his umbrella.

In three minutes and twenty seconds after leaving the balloon Baldwin's feet strike terra firma. The rope strings about his wrists relax an instant and then tighten, as the wind catches the parachute and turns him over a couple of times before he is able to release his hands. With a quick movement the parachute collapses, leaving him prostrated from a muscular but most perilous aerial voyage ever chronicled, and two miles from his starting point. When Baldwin left the balloon it was at an altitude of 5,000 feet and a mile east of his starting point.

Baldwin is a native of Quincy and is 26 years of age. For several years he was an assistant to Professor Meyer, but two years ago adopted the profession of athletics. His first great feat was the walking of a rope over the bay at San Francisco. In September last he leaped to the earth from a captive balloon in that city. He was seen by a reporter *after the jump yesterday*, but was too much prostrated to give any definite account of his perilous leap. He was to have made a jump on Staten Island, N. Y., on July 11, but the loss of his balloon will undoubtedly delay that performance.

BUFFALO, July 5.—A telegram from Olean states that Elwin Clarage, an acrobat and aeronaut in the employ of Professor Meyer, fell from his balloon while performing on exhibition yesterday, and is dying of his injuries.

On to Richmond.

RICHMOND, Va., July 5.—The celebration of the Fourth of July was generally observed. The event of the day was the visit of Landers post No. 5, G. A. R., of Lynn, Mass. About 9:30 the military and R. E. Lee camp No. 1, Confederate veterans, moved out from Armory hall and went down to the depot to meet the gallant Union veterans. The streets were almost impassable. Already fourteen men ladies and gentlemen were out, notwithstanding that the skies were cloudy and rain falling. Shortly after 10 o'clock the train arrived. The cheers that greeted the Union boys were deafening. The visitors are everywhere the recipients of the heartiest welcome, and the programme will be carried out except payment for articles ordered by them.

A Fractured Skull.

NEW YORK, July 5.—James Kavanagh and Thomas Mulkin sat in front of the saloon at Hudson and Beach streets last night when Michael Mahoney and Barney McGuire passed, and in a drunken fight broke Kavanagh's face. It exploded and burned Kavanagh's eyes. A fight ensued between the four men. Kavanagh was beaten, and was finally felled to the sidewalk by McGuire, who then fled with Mahoney. Both the fugitives were afterward arrested, but before they had been brought back to where Kavanagh was the latter had died from a fractured skull. Mahoney and McGuire were locked up.

Wrecked with Dynamite.

HARTFORD, Conn., July 5.—A terrific explosion shook the eastern part of the city at 3 o'clock yesterday morning. Investigation by the police showed that an Italian fruit store, owned by Joe Nezzo, had been completely wrecked by a dynamite cartridge. A great hole was torn in the sidewalk and the front of the store was blown in and windows, counters and shelving wrecked. Nezzo boarding the building with a number of his fellow countrymen. Vengeance was threatened, and the affair of yesterday morning is *believed to be the result.*

Capt. Williamson's Apple Tree.

PARKERSBURG, W. Va., July 5.—There is an apple tree on the farm of Capt. Williamson, in Pleasants county, which is now full of fine looking large apples. The fruit contains neither core nor seed, and the tree has never been known to bloom. A year ago it was said there was such a tree on the captain's farm, but few persons would believe the story. This year a number of trustworthy persons have visited the tree, and have seen without giving forth bloom, and that the fruit at this time is large and fine and has neither seed nor core.

Maimed by a Wild Beast.

KANSAS CITY, July 5.—Dan Rice, a keeper of the animals in Forepaugh's menagerine in this city, while attending to the animals yesterday morning, caught his arm in the bars of the cage, and before he could withdraw it, it was mauled by one of the lions, torn from its socket. The animal then clawed out one of the eyes of the unfortunate man. It is not thought, however, that the injuries will prove fatal.

A Railway Man's Mysterious Suicide.

PITTSBURG, Pa., July 5.—George F. Dengler, private secretary to Western Passenger Agent Watt, of the Pennsylvania railroad, shot himself last night at his boarding house. Dengler had been married but a short time. His wife has been visiting friends in the east and is expected home to-day. There is no cause assigned for the suicide.

The Vendôme Firecracker.

POUGHKEEPSIE, Pa., July 5.—William Keller, 10 years old, child of William Keller, of this town, was frightened yesterday by firecrackers and sprang into an open well from which a woman was drawing water. The child was drowned.

GONE WITH THE BOODLE.

He Left the Key to One Safe, But Took the Contents with Him.

EVANSVILLE, Ind., July 5.—Hinton Miller, the treasurer of Perry county, Ind., passed through this city last Wednesday, and up until last evening was in known that he was a defaulter. Word was received at Rockport, Ind., that before leaving Evansville he had sent a letter to the clerk of Perry county of his confession stating that his accounts were short $67,000, and inclosing the key to the combination of the county safe. He also took $10,000 of boodle.

Miller is a Republican and was elected two terms as treasurer in a strong Democratic county by 700 majority. He succeeded a Democrat who was elected by a like majority, and who is now serving one year in the penitentiary. Miller was not extravagant, and it is supposed he took the most of the money with him. He was accompanied by his young wife, to whom he had only lately been married, his first wife having died about a year ago. He has several children in Cannelton, some of them grown to manhood.

Miller had trouble securing bondsmen for his last term, and it is said that he had only twenty-six names when the law required but two, and as the time was fast approaching when he would be obliged to either furnish bond or resign he went to Rockport and had his predecessor $10,000 and he receipted to him for that much more than he received when he took possession of the office, thus getting away with $10,000 more. The amount of the defalcation may prove to be much more upon investigation.

Death of Ex-Governor Morrill.

AUGUSTA, Me., July 5.—Ex-Governor Anson P. Morrill died at 11 o'clock yesterday morning. He was unconscious at the time of his death and had been so for several days.

ANSON P. MORRILL.

He was taken ill on Tuesday afternoon of last week by a chill, from which he never rallied. His sister, Mrs. Blackwell; his daughters, Mrs. C. W. Goddard and Mrs. Huntoon; his grandson, Anson M. Goddard, and granddaughter, Miss Lizzie Goddard, were present when the funeral will take place, the latter part of the week. He was 84 years old.

Killed on the Railroad.

ALBANY, N. Y., July 5.—While crossing the Delaware and Hudson track near Knowersville yesterday in a carriage Charles Van Alstyne, a farmer, and Mrs. Sylvia Van Benuss Churchill, of Greenbush, were instantly killed by the Osceola local, due in Albany at 10:15 a. m. They were warned of the approaching train by the engineer, but persisted in crossing. The bodies were buried by the train almost in front of the door of Mr. Van Alstyne's residence, and the scene was witnessed by his mother, sisters and daughters.

Philadelphia's Fourth of July.

PHILADELPHIA, July 5.—Three murders, seven fires and an accidental death make up the list of casualties attending the celebration of the Fourth of July in this city. At Kensington and Richmond streets, Daniel Taylor was stabbed during a row at a picnic, and Peter McGlinchey was fatally wounded by Harry Kelly while in the act of kicking Kelly. The accidental death was that of Fireman Harbauer, who was killed in the engine house while attempting to leap upon a truck.

Lynched a Negro Murderer.

CHARLESTON, W. Va., July 5.—Sunday afternoon Billy Robinson, colored, shot and killed Charles Williams, colored, at Cooper's ton. The trouble grew out of Williams' intimacy with Robinson's wife. Robinson escaped, but was captured in Kanawha county, was taken by a mob of black and whites and lynched. Robinson's wife, whom the mob tried to find, took to the mountains and escaped the fate of her paramour.

Fatal Injury to a Fireman.

PHILADELPHIA, July 5.—Shortly after 8 o'clock yesterday morning a brake out in the cellar of J. W. Wanamaker & Co.'s establishment, No. 839 Chestnut street. The loss was principally from water, and was covered by insurance. On the way to the fire Driver W. Harbauer, aged 30 years, member of truck D, was thrown from his seat and run over. He was taken to the Pennsylvania hospital in a dying condition.

A Wholesale Murderer.

VIENNA, July 5.—A man named Schimak has been arrested in Moravia who has committed six murders, three great robberies and a large number of house thefts. He had in his possession a list of persons who intended to have been murdered by himself and his associates, comprising the names of eight of the wealthiest residents of Moravia. Several persons implicated in crimes have also been arrested.

Herr Most's Fourth.

NEW YORK, July 5.—John Most made a bloodthirsty speech at a picnic of the Typographical union, No. 6, held in Sixth avenue park last evening. He said the flag of the Union was no longer that of freedom, and must give way to the red banner. During the evening Most struck his common law wife, was accidentally wounded in the face by a pistol fired by one of her friends.

A Fourth of July Drowning.

WORCESTER, Mass., July 5.—Peter J. Finnegan shot and killed his wife yesterday afternoon. Finnegan is held in custody on charge of murder, but the evidence is very conflicting. There were several persons in the room at the time; some claim that there was a quarrel, others that the shooting was accidental. All had been drinking.

Fatal Panic in a Horse Car.

PITTSBURG, Mass., July 5.—Ninety passengers in a horse car, becoming panic stricken yesterday because the driver lost control of the horses, jumped in a body from the car. Marion O'Brien, aged 30, was instantly killed. Mary O'Hara, Ellen McCarty and several others were badly injured.

New York's Tax Rolls.

NEW YORK, July 5.—The city tax rolls for the year 1887 show an increase in the value of real estate in the city to be $1,254,491,885, an increase of $60,550,794 over 1886. The personal estate is assessed at $238,140,614, an increase of $56,122,600.

THE EXCOMMUNICATION

THE FORMAL ORDER FOR DR. M'GLYNN'S PUNISHMENT.

Archbishop Corrigan Instructed to Inflict the Penalty Forthwith—The Reverend Gentleman Protests Against the Act, but Will Maintain His Theories.

ROME, July 5.—The pope, through the prefect of the propaganda, has sent to Archbishop Corrigan, at New York, instructions formally excommunicate Rev. Edward McGlynn, a priest of the Roman Catholic church, without further delay.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., July 5.—Dr. McGlynn was shown the dispatch from Rome announcing Archbishop Corrigan to excommunicate him without delay, by a reporter of the United Press. When asked if he had expected the news he said he had not. He had kept himself always positive in the matter, and all the views of his published by newspapers were not his own.

Questioned as to what he would do now the doctor said he cannot anything but to take it with the quietest resignation. "I will stick to my theories even if I should be excommunicated. My case is not like the same as that of Galileo, but I will not give up my ideas. I will never recall what I said once. Galileo was weak enough to recant because the church was strong. I will never give up my principles. I deny the right of the Roman Catholic church to prohibit me from teaching my principles and what I consider will continue to instruct the poor, the laboring people. I have fulfilled my duties as priest. I have not taught any doctrine against the rules of the church. I want everybody to enjoy life. I am to-day just as good a Catholic as the pope himself. I believe in all the teachings and sacraments of the church, but I do not believe that the pope has any right to prohibit the teaching of my land theories."

When questioned if the excommunication was certain to follow the receipt of these letters the doctor said: "Yes. About four years ago I received a letter from Rome in which I was told not to lecture any more. At that time I had written but a little more than the pope treasured. The church has not only in my case interfered a great deal with my proper and fashionable rights, but in a good many other cases. For example, in the Irish settlements question in the German colonizing and in the special missions of Mgrs. Preston and Gualdi, who shall inquire into the circumstances of the case which I am charged, there are plenty of good and reliable prelates in the Irish church that were perfectly able to give the information."

Marine Intelligence.

NEW YORK, July 4.—Arrived, Queenstown, Glasgow and Mosville; Elder, Brenan and Southampton; Niagara, Havana; Caroline Miller, Port Royal, S. C.; Carondelet, Key West; Commonwealth, Philadelphia; Lizzie Miller, Edgartown; Whitney, Boston; Colon, Aspinwall; Whitney, Portland; Santiago, Boston. Arrived out, steamer Brooklyn City, from New York for Bristol, Eng.; steamer Ems, Southampton, from New York for Hull, has passed the Lizard; Wieland, from New York for Amsterdam.

Jumped to His Death.

KINGSTON, July 5.—Henry Caney, an inmate of the asylum, jumped from a window in the Catholic chapel yesterday and had his brains dashed out on the cartestone. He was insane, but it is thought no stupid man. The attendant could not reach him in time to prevent his impulse to jump.

Couldn't Stand Democratic Turnout.

INDIANAPOLIS, July 5.—John Kiefer, superintendent of the Indianapolis car works, refused to take his wife to a picnic and their quarrel last night. At noon Kiefer shot himself through the heart.

Criticism of the Queen.

The Pall Mall Gazette is bitter at the expense of Queen Victoria. For some time its editorial, her Majesty has been a sore of "Sue" to the nation, surrounded with a halo of mystery, whose existence was a matter of doubt and conjecture. For the drawing room on the other day "She" dodged out of one of the doors of Buckingham palace and sorely disappointed many thousands of people who had waited patiently for hours to catch a passing glimpse of her face. It is the Lady's privilege, we suppose, to attend to the public in order to gratify another whim of our sovereign lady, and the nation had to pay 100 policemen $1,000 for the privilege of seeing the loyal crowd, although Cody and Red Shirt were received like royal personages.—Chicago Herald.

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Front Plainfield.

LYNN, Mass., July 4.—In a dispute about baseball Saturday night George Smith footpaced his fiancee E. Scribner (white) a heavy blow in the face. Scribner fell to the ground and died shortly after.

The President's Fourth.

WASHINGTON, July 5.—The president spent the Fourth very quietly, riding in front Oak View in the morning as usual, and rejoining Mrs. Cleveland at Oak View in the afternoon.

Death of Ben D. House.

INDIANAPOLIS, July 5.—Ben D. House, adjutant general of the Indiana G. A. R., and known as a poet and journalist throughout the state, died yesterday morning.

Accidental Fatality at Burlington.

BURLINGTON, N. J., July 5.—John M. King, aged 16, was shot and fatally wounded, accidentally, by a boy companion yesterday.

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SCIENCE AND PROGRESS.

RESULTS OF PROTECTIVE VACCINATION AGAINST YELLOW FEVER.

Underground Wires in England and Germany—A Simple Preventive Against Fire—How Needles, Steel Pens and Gold Dollars Can be Made to Float.

If a very fine cambric needle is carefully placed upon water it will not sink, although much heavier than an equal mass of water. This is due to the fact, explains La Nature, that the bright surface of the metal is not wet by the water, which is repelled from it by capillary action, the same as the mercury in a barometer is repelled from the sides of the glass tube.

FIG. 1—A SIMPLE SCIENTIFIC EXPERIMENT.

Thus a little depression is formed in the water, as shown in Fig. 2; and the total bulk of water displaced by the needle is equal to that which would fill the depression under the dotted line CD, which would more than equal the weight of the needle, which, therefore, remains on the surface.

FIG. 2—A SIMPLE SCIENTIFIC EXPERIMENT.

It is, however, very difficult to place the needle on the water so gently that it will not sink; by the method shown in Fig. 1, not only cambric needles, but much larger ones, pieces of copper wire, new steel pens, and even a gold dollar, can be made to float. A piece of blotting paper is placed on the water, and the object carefully placed upon it. In a few minutes the paper will become saturated and sink, leaving the needle or other object on the top of the water. The experiment succeeds better if it is slightly greased by passing between the fingers or wiping with an oily rag, and a novel compass may be made by previously rubbing the needle with a magnet, when it will always turn to a north and south direction.

Making Soft Wood Hard.

In England hard wood is made out of soft wood by the compression of the latter. For carrying out this process is employed a powerful hydraulic press, consisting of a strong cast iron top and bottom, with four steel columns and steel cylinder, with a large ram. In the center of this ram is fitted a smaller ram, fitting into a die, which is placed on the top of the large ram. The wood is put into this die and a pressure of fourteen tons per square inch is applied. The top pressure block, which fits the die, is then removed; and the small ram, rising, pushes the wood out at the top of the die. The London Engineer claims that the wood thus treated is made very dense and uniform and so close grained that it is capable of taking a very high polish.

Underground Wires.

Mr. R. S. Cully, the author of a handbook of telegraphy, says that more than thirty years ago underground wires were tried in England; one system running along the London and North western railway from London to Manchester, Liverpool and Leeds, another along the high road from London to Carlisle. Neither worked more than five years, although constructed with the greatest care and at immense cost. The method adopted in Germany is to form a complete cable, just as for submarine work, with a sheath of galvanized steel wire, and to coat it with bitumen while laying it in a deep trench. The cost is great, but so is that of the annually recurring breakdown of overhead lines.

Vaccination Against Yellow Fever.

Six thousand five hundred and thirty-four persons submitted themselves to protective vaccination against yellow fever in Rio Janeiro in 1885-86. During these two years, according to statements made by Freire and others to the Academy of Science, 1,075 persons have died from yellow fever, and of that number 1,007 were unvaccinated, eight only of those who had received the treatment having died. These gentlemen state that, taking as the basis of their calculation the population exposed to the contagion, the percentage of deaths for the whole number was 1 per cent., whereas for those who had been subjected to preventive inoculations it was only 1 per 1,000.

Novelty in the Medical World.

Popular Science News announces as the latest novelty in the medical world the employment of enemata of sulphuretted hydrogen and carbonic acid gas as a remedy for consumption. Many prominent physicians have testified to the immediate improvement of consumptive patients under the treatment. There seems to be no philosophical basis for this very peculiar and roundabout method of treating an affection of the lungs, and the strongest point in its favor is the high standing of the physicians who claim to have used it with success.

Foreign and Native Trees.

Professor Sargent, director of the Arnold Arboretum, of Harvard college, estimates that five foreign trees are planted in New England to one native. Yet, of all foreign trees introduced into America, the willow alone, he thinks, has qualities not possessed in a greater degree by some native. The European oak and the Scotch, American and Corsican pines all die at about the time when they should be in their prime, and the Norway spruce, at a corresponding age, is decrepit and unsightly.

A Safeguard Against Fire.

It is a common practice in France to coat the beams, the joists and the under side of the flooring of buildings with a thick coating of lime wash as a preventive against fire. It is a preventive of prime significance, although it will not check a fire when once under headway.

PHYSIOLOGY AND HYGIENE.

Dr. Edes on Candy and Chewing Gum.

Dr. Richmond Edes, Asthma and Other Ills.

Dr. Cyrus Edson, of the New York health department, is reported as stating that it is safe to eat candy in New York nowadays. Once in a great while some green little manufacturer on a side street is caught coloring his candy with chromate of lead, but the great mass of candy is harmless sugar. Contrary also to the belief of many good people who apparently think that anything people take a notion to is a deadly drug, or at least hurtful, Dr. Edson holds that the practice of chewing gum, especially before and after meals, is an excellent one. It increases the flow of saliva and aids the digestion, and there is no danger of adulteration. Gum is gum, and not to swallow, but to chew.

Relief for Tender and Painful Feet.

If the feet are tender and painful after long standing or walking great relief is said to be obtainable by bathing them in warm salt and water. A handful of salt to a gallon of water as warm as can be borne is the proper proportion. The feet should be immersed and the water thrown over them with the hand, and also over the legs as far as the knees. When the water becomes too cool, dry the feet and legs, rubbing well with a coarse towel upward. Neuralgia of the feet has been cured by perseverance in this method night and morning. It is also said that persons with weak lungs or bronchial affection, weak throats, are wonderfully benefited by gargling every morning with strong salt and water.

Blackheads and Other Blemishes.

Blackheads and similar blemishes on the skin can be generally obviated and sometimes cured, by keeping it in a clean and healthy condition. Many physicians recommend that the face be washed daily with some pure soap, and the use of a flesh brush on other parts of the body. Good results have come from washing the face in the morning with the cold water and another in the evening with cream, in which a little sulphur has been mixed. A vigorous application of the flesh brush or crash towel between the shoulders will also be found efficacious.

Remedy for the Poison Rhus (Oak).

It is a well known fact that rhus affects different persons in different degrees and some not at all. It is also well known that one victim of the poison often experiences greater relief than another while using a similar remedy. A strong solution of the carbonate of soda, as a rule, proves an efficient application for the cure of rhus poisoning. There are, however, exceptions to the rule. A correspondent in Gardening and Forestry writes that bicarbonate of soda fails in his case, but he finds relief in the application of a strong saturated solution of alum.

One View of Sea Sickness.

A physician who for over six years has made a careful trial of all he so called specifics for sea sickness entertains little doubt that in a large majority of cases the imagination is the source of trouble. For instance, he has noticed on occasions, seen ladies suffering from sea sickness before the ship had left its moorings in the docks, where there is not the slightest motion. Iced stimulants and the recumbent posture are the remedies he now employs.

How to Take Medicine.

Elizabeth R. Schofield tells how to take medicine as follows: Bitter tonics, such as quinine, should be taken half an hour before meals; iron, half an hour after meals, that they may be digested with the food. Iodide of potassium is always given after meals; it is said to be less liable then to disorder digestion.

Efficient Formula for Asthma.

In the treatment of asthma Dr. Cassnave de la Roche has found iodide of potassium, associated with cow's milk, very efficient, and gives the following formula: Distilled water, a hundred and fifty grains; iodide of potassium, eight grams; one tablespoonful of the solution in a cup of milk, twice a day.

The Removal of Superfluous Hair.

The removal of superfluous hair from the skin is possible, both by means of depilatories and by electricity. The former are mostly preparations of sulphide of barium or sulphide of calcium, and the process by electricity is very slow, each hair root having to be killed separately.

SOCIAL ETIQUETTE.

Manners and Customs Practiced in Polite Society.

In considering the training of children in the observances of good society an authority on such matters in a recent article says: "A child will remember a word spoken in secret that would pass by him unheeded if it is mentioned in the presence of others. Faults may be corrected very easily if taken in this manner. The rebuke is a sacred secrecy. A public correction, except it be for a flagrant act of disobedience, is a punishment inflicted upon a child, and it never is in wisely conducted households." In fashionable city society "children never appear except on birthdays or at weddings when there are invited guests in the drawing room. On these occasions, if properly bred, their manners will be unobtrusive and gentle. If a little tempestuous or over hilarious, and a word of disapproval is insufficient, the little rebel is sent off to the nursery without further remonstrance. One such lesson is quite enough for an entire childhood for most children. This treatment may seem severe, but it is a fact that one punishment of this kind is far less intolerable and injurious to a child's temper than that constant nagging and rebuking in the presence of visitors which was too frequently endured by both guests and children before etiquette "forbade it, refusing to tolerate longer this public offense to good taste and decent manners. Those who have not the wisdom to accept a disapproval of nagging and scolding small people before guests because it is cause and unwise will be sure to change their family usages in this matter as soon as they know that in polite society it is pronounced bad, very bad, form."

Ushers and Bridesmaids.

A pleasing and at the present time fashionable order of procedure at church weddings is one in which four ushers enter the church first, walking in pairs, then four bridesmaids also in pairs, followed by the maid of honor, after whom walks the bride with her father, guardian, or the one who gives her away. The bride is met by the groom and his best man at the chancel. In going out of church, after the ceremony, the above order is reversed and the best man conducts the maid of honor out of church into the carriage that awaits her.

Useful Points, New and Old.

The use of the finger bowl steadily increases.

A bride furnishes household linen and has it marked with her own initials.

Violet inks have vanished from fashionable writing desks.

Ragged edge paper is relegated to milliners' and tailors' announcements.

Wedding invitations are engraved, sent out and paid for by the bride's parents.

YOUNG FOLKS' COLUMN.

HOW A FRISKY PONY RAN AWAY WITH A LITTLE PAPOOSE.

An Interesting Game That May be Played with Pebbles—Historical Stories About Domestic Cats, Including the One About Dante and His Pet.

History assures us that the cat has been esteemed from remote ages. In most eastern countries cats have been great favorites. So much were these animals venerated by the Egyptians, that their bodies were embalmed, when they died and placed in niches of the catacombs. Numbered with well known stories illustrative of the Egyptians' love and veneration of cats is that told of Cambyses, king of the Medes and Persians, who lived 529 years before Christ. This king when he led his army against the Egyptians, is in fact, said to have made of his soldiers a live cat to hold before him instead of a shield, and the Egyptian yielded to the conqueror rather than injure their much loved animals.

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A TORTOISE SHELL CAT.

In England cats are such great favorites that cat shows are held every year at the Crystal palace, where all sorts of fancy breeds are exhibited. In our own country the tortoise shell cat is perhaps the most popular of all breeds. We have also beautiful Maltese cats, also Angora cats with long silky hair; then there are cats of the Persian breed, with soft glossy fur, white underneath and gray on the back. To these may be added quite a list of mixed breeds, some of which are not only beautiful to look at, but exceedingly useful in their legitimate pursuits after mice.

An English Game.

An English exchange describes a game played by English boys and girls: A little heap of pebbles is piled up in a certain spot on the ice. Each person is let, in turn, to a certain distance from the heap, blindfolded, given a stick, turned round three times and then told to start off and do his best to beat down the little heap of stones. It is delicious to see the solemn air of some of the performers, and to watch the vigor with which they push away in search of mixed heads, and the place where the stones are. No matter how you may fix their exact position in your eye, and pace it out before you are blindfolded, you are certain to go wide of it. It is an odd thing, but a true one.

Vortex Smoke Rings.

Amateur chemists may amuse themselves as well as entertain their friends by producing vortex smoke rings. All the apparatus required to produce this effect is an empty cigar box and a piece of the lid of which, being removed, is replaced by canvas tightly nailed round it. A circular hole about one inch in diameter is bored in the opposite end; inside the box is a saucer half filled with carbonate of ammonia, upon which sufficient hydrochloric acid is poured until a dense vapor of ammonia chloride fills the box, which, upon slight, rapid pressure upon the canvas end of the box, is ejected from the hole, and assumes beautiful circles of white smoke, which ascend and retain their shape till dissipated.

An Indian Baby's Perilous Ride.

Numbered with other curious scenes in the region of the Rocky mountains are the ones in which figure Apache mothers and their babes. When walking a squaw carries her babe in a little basket, strapped to her back, as seen in the picture.

AN APACHE MOTHER AND CHILD.

The baskets are of the regular Indian style and the poor papooses are laced into them tight and snug. Some squaws, when they stop to rest, remove the basket and its live contents from their backs and hang it to the saddle horn, because if left on the ground the dogs go around and lick the babies' faces, which the little ones do not appreciate.

A San Francisco correspondent tells the following story: "One rather frisky pony, with a baby on the horn of a saddle, wanders from the road and is immediately surrounded by a crowd of dogs. Their barking starts him to trot, and with a shriek the mother rushes from her place in the line to catch him. But the pony doesn't want to be caught, and from a trot turns to a run, and away he goes—the basket flapping on his side only making him run the harder. Finally the strap that holds the basket breaks, and it comes baby, thump, to the ground, face down, and the pony, after running a few more rods, is caught by a boy, while the distracted mother picks up her unfortunate infant and immediately unlacing the deerskin cover, takes it out to assure herself it is sound in body after its rather rocky ride and fall."

Little Toes of Little Boys.

"By and by" is a very bad boy;
Sings late at once and forever;
For they who travel with "By and By"
Seem coming to the house of "Never."

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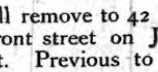

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Westward Connections.

5.10 a. m.—For Easton, Allentown, Reading and Mauch Chunk.

8.32 a. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Mauch Chunk, Manch Chunk, Delhi, Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, etc.

9.51 a. m.—For Flemington, High Bridge Branch, Schooley's Mountain, Long Branch, Asbury Park, Ocean Grove, Lambertville, Trenton, Bristol, Philadelphia, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, etc.

5.25 p. m.—For Easton, Mount Carbon, Pottsville, Williamsport, Dunkirk, Buffalo, Niagara Falls, Rochester, Syracuse, Utica, Albany, Troy, Saratoga, Lake George, Montreal, Boston, etc.

6.35 p. m.—For Flemington, High Bridge Branch, Schooley's Mountain, Easton, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, etc.

8.31 p. m.—For Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, etc.

Leave Somerville for Bound Brook, Trenton and Philadelphia, 6.05, 7.35, 8.35, 10.15 a. m.; 12.55, 3.35, 5.25, 6.15, 8.40 p. m. Sunday at 11.05 a. m.; 4.55, 7.00, 8.50 p. m.

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Artistic Rag Carpets.

The passion for old time things has brought into fashion the home made rag carpets, but according to The Decorator and Furnisher, there are more artistic ways of having it woven than the everlasting stripe. A handsome carpet is a solid center piece of maroon. The warp should be colored the same shade as the rags, and all may be colored at home, if desirable, for economy's sake, with diamond dyes, and to utilize both light and dark rags a very handsome border is made of shaded red and orange woven in the old fashioned stripe. Another style is to have a very heavy warp used twice as thick as for ordinary carpet; color it several desired shades. This produces a very pretty checked carpet, weaving in the rags in stripes.

How to Cook an Old Fowl.

Buyers of game or poultry who find themselves in possession of a mature bird instead of the young one they desired, may make a most acceptable dish of it, says The Restaurateur, by putting the fowl into a large vessel with a tight cover, and steaming it until it is thoroughly tender. It should be made ready for the dressing before the steaming process, and when done stuffed immediately, covered with the very thinnest possible slices of salt pork, and baked until brown in a very hot oven. The water in the steaming vessel must be saved for the gravy and for basting.

A Delightful Summer Dessert.

A delightful summer dessert is composed of one quart of milk, one-third of a box of gelatine, four tablespoonfuls of sugar, three eggs and vanilla flavoring. Put the gelatine in the milk and let stand for half an hour. Beat the yolks with the sugar and stir into the milk. Set the bottle into hot water and stir until the mixture begins to thicken like soft custard. Have ready whites of eggs beaten to a stiff broth; the moment the kettle is taken from the fire stir them in quickly and turn into molds. Set away in a cold place to harden.

A Light Carriage Robe.

Billiard cloth makes a very suitable carriage robe for spring and summer use, and gray or any light color is pretty. Pink the edges all round, and also pink a strip about two inches wide of a darker color, on the edge. Set the darker strip under the edge of the main piece, letting as much show as you like and which looks prettier. Embroider your monogram or any appropriate design in crewels in the center of the robe.

Effective Wall Coverings.

Chints wall coverings are quite in favor, especially for bedrooms. To be pretty and effective for a bedroom, a chints of very light ground, with small floral designs in soft blues, pinks or yellow would be good. Striped patterns should be avoided for this purpose. Darker patterns than those suggested can of course be found if a light room is not wished.

Boiling Fish.

An experienced cook wraps his fish in a sheet of paper before boiling it. Square napkins of cheese cloth are better. A sheet of paper may be placed inside the napkin, which should be pinned in place. In this way the fish may be lifted out of the pot without danger of breaking apart, and be served without being mangled by the fork.

Aerated Bread.

Aerated bread is sometimes called the perfect bread. It is made without yeast or soda by forcing carbonic acid gas by machinery through the dough which has been mixed with water alone. This method is, of course, not practicable for a housekeeper. There is no fermentation and no loss of nutritive elements or of flavor.

A Favorite Dish.

French toast is a favorite dish with children and many grown people. It is made of thin slices cut from a stale loaf and moistened in milk and eggs, two eggs to a pint of milk, and then fried on a griddle with a mixture of butter and lard, or butter and beef dripping. It is eaten with sugar or syrup like griddle cakes.

Removing Grease Spots.

The following is an excellent way to remove grease from delicate fabrics: Cover the spots thickly with powdered French chalk. Lay a piece of blotting paper over this and place a warm but not hot iron upon it. Let the iron remain a little. If the grease is not entirely removed, repeat the operation.

Fir Tree Oil.

"Fir tree oil" is a new remedy that horticulturists are recommending for all the troubles insident to plants; a half pint of the oil to ten gallons of water is the proportion for soft wooded plants. It is accredited with removing verbean rusts and destroying rose slug, etc.

The Newest Floral Decoration.

The newest floral decoration, according to Vick, who is authority in all matters pertaining to flowers, is the one shown in the accompanying cut.

FANCY FLOWER BASKET.

It is made of straw, and is filled with flowers, according to the taste of the purchaser. Ribbons with the name of the florist in small gilt letters hidden in the loop of the bow decorate the little rest. It is a refreshing change from the no or conventional baskets that are usually employed for the purpose.

Sundry Suggestions.

Rub silver spoons with finely sifted wood ashes to remove stains left by medicine.

Diluted hartshorn is good for taking ink-stains from wooden goods.

Salt and water cleans willow furniture.

Milk bread dries out faster than water bread.

To remove wet grass stains on white goods wet with water, rub in some soft soap and as much baking soda as will adhere; let stand half an hour, wash out in the usual manner, and the stain will generally be gone.

THE TERRIBLE.

A Mighty Marine Monster on French Waters.

Now that the naval maneuvers on the Mediterranean are interesting our French friends, their illustrated papers are heaping up their interest in naval warfare by publishing portraits of their mighty ships of war. The accompanying picture is the Terrible. It was begun in 1881 and, is now completed. The French give their war ships

THE TERRIBLE.

names that are likely to inspire terror. The Terrible is similar in construction to Le Hoche, otherwise the Shark. The shell is of iron and steel. It is 65 meters in length and 14 meters in breadth. It can carry 7,500 tons. Her breastplate at the water line is 50 centimeters thick at the middle, 27 at the extreme front, and 22 at the stern. Her pieces, which are placed on the gallards, include two guns of 47 centimeters, four of 10 centimetres and ten common revolvers. It is equipped with 920 men.

L'Illustration says that all the great nations of the earth are paying special attention to the improvement of their navies, and it advises France to secure the prestige of building the finest ships. It rejoices that so new and magnificent a vessel is to enter the squadron.

Frederick Douglass in Rome.

With that admirable conciseness so characteristic of the foreign press a Milan paper says of Frederick Douglass: "There is at the present time in Faliergo Douglass, the rebel slave, the author, the celebrated orator, the United States senator, the man perhaps the most popular of his country on account of his daring, his tenacity, and of the trials he has suffered." It is evident that the Italian biographers of the great Douglass are somewhat unfamiliar with the newspaper files of the United States.—New York World.

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PLAINFIELD EVENING NEWS.

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TELEPHONE NO. 42.

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JOB PRINTING OF ALL KINDS FROM A CARD TO A POSTER, IN THE BEST STYLES AND AT THE MOST REASONABLE RATES. TELEPHONE CALL NO. 42.

JOTTINGS.

—The Union County Board of Freeholders will hold their regular July meeting at Elizabeth to-morrow.

—The tennis court at the P. Bl. C. grounds has been marked out and put in order and is now ready for use.

—E. M. Adams, the enterprising Park avenue paint dealer, has had the front of his store painted many different colors.

—The railroad company charge as much for children on special excursions to Ocean Grove as they do for adults, hence the half tickets will be ninety cents this year.

—The wheelmen who left their wheels with friends in Orange, intending to get them and ride home the next day, were much disappointed by the rain yesterday.

—During the Roseville bicycle races on the 4th, a collision occurred between two of the racers; which, of course, resulted in headers, at which a Plainfield young lady spectator became so frightened that she fainted.

—There will be a five mile road race run on Saturday July 9th by the Union County wheelmen of Westfield. The first prize will be a $15 gold medal, second prize $8 medal, third prize $5 medal. The race is to be in and out.

—The gas stoves referred to in the large advertisement of the Gas Light Company, in another column, perform most excellently all cooking operations and merit the attention of all, to whom economy and expedition are a consideration. During the heated term especially these stoves are to be desired; a very great difference in the degree of heat is noticeable, as compared with coal, rendering the absence of the gas stoves, in this comparative coolness, a comfort and pleasure. A number of families using them in Plainfield speak very highly of them, and are cordial in recommending those stoves to gas consumers. We understand that some have failed to give full satisfaction. The stoves are likewise as pretty as the picture. The Company is exhibiting one. The laundry stove for heating irons, which they are now offering, is also very desirable.

PERSONAL.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Walker, of Newark, spent the Fourth with friends on Nay street.

Garret Q. Packer and family of East 30th street, are visiting Asbury Park, and will remain there until the first of August.

Mr. Allison of Mountain avenue, who for the past few weeks has been suffering from a complication of diseases, is at present much better.

The last number of The Mechanic has a portrait of Geo. H. Babcock, of this city, who is the treasurer of the National Society of Mechanical Engineers.

The friends of Rev. Dr. Lewis and family will be glad to learn that his daughter, Miss Mary, who has been lying dangerously ill with blood poisoning is much improved.

Miss Hattie M. Searing, of West 33rd street, left to-day for Union, this State to sojourn for several days. Miss Searing will be the guest of her uncle, Freeholder Doty, while absent.

Gen. John F. Wilson, of Green Brook road, is about to take a three months' vacation to secure a much needed rest, the first he will have taken in many years. He and his family start next week.

Major Rafferty, who has recently become a resident of North Plainfield, is having the property he purchased on Duer street remodeled, the contract having been awarded to Mr. W. C. Smith, the contractor.

Isaac Kennedy has just been discharged from the "Muhlenberg hospital. Eleven weeks ago he fell from a scaffolding in the dining room of the Hotel Netherwood and broke several bones in his foot, just below the ankle.

City Judge Ulrich and Messrs. George W. Moore and H. C. Drake returned Monday morning from their trip to Gettysburg, where they witnessed the unveiling of the G. A. R. monument. They express themselves as being exceedingly pleased with their visit.

While Thomas McDonald of Pearl street was sitting on the porch in front of his residence during the morning of the fourth, a bullet whizzed through the panel of the door, passing in its course within a few inches of his head. It is not known by whom the shot was fired. Mr. McDonald had a very narrow escape.

Mrs. Gross, of Seventh street, is being visited by a niece whom she had not seen in fifteen years. The young lady is from California, and this is her first visit here. She says that she had not experienced in a lifetime such variations of climate as have occurred during the past few days she has been East. Apologetically a News' reporter explained that the weather for the past few weeks had been a little cool. The visiting thunder storms, the afternoon of the 3rd but days were the exception rather than the rule; but it was no use, the weather had been too fickle to inspire her confidence in the belief such a charming climate behind. Mrs. Gross and her guest left the Nantucket Beach in a few days for recreation.

Roger Murray, of Eighth street has the reputation of being the most powerful starter of a bicycle for a race to be found hereabouts. He is consequently in great demand among the boys. He can easily put a wheel from five to ten feet ahead at the contest by his push. Monday he started Mr. M. S. Ackerman in the mile race, the latter son of Roseville, although the winning the race, was not due to the start, but to Ackerman fairly outclassing his competitors. It was Mr. Murray who started Fred. Vines giving a ten foot start to Lambert in the race at the Crescent Rink, which made so much excitement during the progress, although Young Vines was unable to march over against a competition so powerful and experienced that he had decided about every so to neither in the State who would contest with him.

CITY COMMON COUNCIL.

THE THIRTEENTH MEETING.

Mayor Male Recommends the Erection of a City Hall, and Gives his Reasons Therefor—Important Ordinances Introduced.

The pouring rain did not keep the City Fathers from attending to their official duties last evening, and the budget of important matters received the usual prompt yet careful attention. Mr. O. T. Waring, the newly elected member to council Mr. Cutters was present and took his seat. After the reading of the minutes President Marsh addressed a few words of welcome to Mr. Waring and appointed him to the assigned committees which will now be composed as follows: Fire, Water and Lamps, Messrs. Bowers, Waring, Dunn; Fundis and Appropriations, Messrs. Warhey and Stout; Sewers, Officers and Elections, Waring, Bowers and Wilbur.

The members present last evening were: Messrs. Bowers, Carey, Cox, Dunham, Marsh, Simpson, Taylor, Waring, Wilbur, absentees, Messrs. Cutter, Stout, Warhey and President Marsh.

Applications for the various licenses were referred to the License Committee and allowed later in the session. A communication from Frazee Bros. and others, asking that Bryant avenue be improved as soon as possible, a bridge erected at the upper end and gravel put on the selling public, was received and referred to the Street Committee.

John B. Cook, of South Plains, sent in a proposition offering to furnish crushed stone at one dollar per ton for East Front street, between Third avenue and Madison. Cole's hill. The matter was first moved to refer this matter to the Street Committee with power, but on a member stating that he understood Mr. Cook's measure was not up to the standard, it was tabled, to be taken up later in the session.

Numerous residents of East Third street petitioned Council to place an electric light at the corner of Third and Washington streets. The matter was referred to the Fire, Water and Lamps Committee with power, as was also a petition for two lamps on Central avenue, between Randolph road and Elizabeth street, and another for a light on the corner of Central avenue and Third street.

The recapitulation of the City Treasurer's report for the month of June showed as follows:

General Fund	$4,467.68
Library "	291.17
Poor "	2,418.72
Warrants out	7,197.89
	98.78

The City Collector's report for June showed the total receipts to have been $633, of which amount the Board of Education had received $183.59.

Mayor Male in an official document renominated William Scribner as a special policeman. He had been nominated before but failed to qualify at the specified time. The letter from the Mayor recommending the erection of a City Hall, and giving his reasons therefor, was read and referred to a Special Committee composed of Messrs. Cox, Waring and Dunham. The full text of the letter follows:

To the Honorable Common Council of the City of Plainfield.

GENTLEMEN:—Besides the special power conferred by the charter upon the common council generally enactments under which it is competent for this city to erect a City Hall.

If the power was conferred upon us when the city charter was obtained, it may properly be asked whether or not the time has arrived when the best interest of the city economical or otherwise require that such power should be exercised.

The fact that all other cities having a similar amount of taxable property is township it is a matter that will be found that Plainfield stands in a small minority. And on the basis of population the comparison will show a similar result. But the true solution will best be reached by considering the special circumstances of our own city, the present system and the extent to which that possible upon the erection of a City Hall.

At present we have a common council chamber and city clerk's office on the third floor of a building on Front street, next to Mutual Hall, for which we pay an annual rental of $430. For a city hall and police headquarters we have another building near the railroad station rented for $350 per year. For police chambers we have another room in a third building which we rent at an annual rate of $120. The Corporation Counsel and City Clerk's offices are in a fourth building the Collector's in a fifth, the Delinquent Collector's in a sixth, the Treasurer's and Street Commissioner's in a seventh, the Overseer of the Poor's in an eighth and the Health Inspector in a ninth.

Upon the score of convenience to the public it needs no argument to show the incompatibility of having that work done by several of the present system, if all these offices were collected in one building.

Besides the benefit of efficient co-operation of the different departments and offices it is apparent much would likewise be gained for the city.

Concerning the safe custody of the city records, maps and other documents the plan of a city hall available for our needs to put into the building and extending from one floor to the next affords the only practical solution.

If upon the question of economy enquiry be there should be a small increase at first it is more than compensated for in the long run by the increase convenience to the city, the more effective co-operation of departments and the economy of space. In the matter of rent it is believed that upon this single question of dollars and cents true economy dictates that the city should at once provide for the future and avoid a building suitable to the purpose. With the constantly rapid growth of Plainfield a city hall will, in a few years, become a necessity. Offices of the city, which the larger charges incommodious now, will in which to rent to the city they will decline to do so and the rent still will increase. If such property be owned by the city the amount expended represents the interest in round numbers on $30,000 at four per cent, a rate which would be considered low for a building. $30,000 to $40,000. It is believed would suffice to purchase the land and erect such a building as would serve the needs of the city for half a century to come. Land, it is safe to say, such as would be suitable for the purpose could be purchased for $10,000 or less, and the city never will be in a better condition to undertake the business in hand, freed from debt, as it will be in a few years of importance. The matter is submitted to your honorable body in the hope that it will be considered with a view to action to march your immediate and careful consideration.

Respectfully, JOB MALE, Mayor.

Dated July 6th, 1887.

Mr. Dunham said the Alms Committee had partly completed their rounds among the poor of the city and found everything satisfactory. The committee, he said, would shortly finish their tour.

Mr. Bowers, of the Fire, Water and Lamps Committee, reported favorably on the petition for gas lamps in Central avenue, to be erected as soon as available posts were provided by the petitioners. The committee also favored the petition for a light at the corner of Central avenue and Third street. In the latter instance the kind of light was not specified, but from the fact that the present descent light would probably be as cheap as the gasoline, and the Electric Light Company were now experimenting with this light without any expense to the city. The reports were received and adopted.

Mr. Cox moved that the matter that had been called to the attention of Council by Mr. Teale relating to the construction of bonus, was receiving attention by the committee and would soon be ready for a report.

The following claims were then referred and after some discussion paid:

CLAIMS.	
J. H. Platt	40.00
W. V. Mandeville	21.00
John Johnson	9.40
Plainfield Gazette	14.00
Gas Light Company	16.75
"	17.50
Union Printing Company	20.00
James Clark	106.00
Morgan C. Bird	62.30
Wm. Cook	30.00
G. M. Anderson	931.60
F. A. Dumont	20.07
"	9.00
"	6.50
Alexander Thewlis	87.50
Mutual Life Ins. Co.	31.50
G. M. Anderson	41.60
Plainfield Light Company	350.60
C. W. Drake	11.20
W. R. Mattox	4.75
C. W. Drake and Mahlon C. Cole	75.00
G. W. Grant	60.00
F. Lynch	60.00
Dr. Wentz	60.00
Globe Gas Light Co.	191.30

POOR CLAIMS.	
David Hazel	156.00
Relief Association	60.00
Mrs. Cooper	32.00
John Doherty	13.48
Wm. G. Morse	64.50
F. D. Beall	12.50
J. H. Kenyon	13.50
F. Conahey	13.50
D. S. Cole	12.00
Mutual Life Ins. Co.	15.00
Catharine Smith	13.50
A. S. Pierpont	30.00
K. Conway	4.00
J. B. Gaston	18.00
Mrs. Gallagher	4.00
B. Goodman	2.50
W. Morrison	30.00
Ford & Schenck	19.00

Under the head of new business, Mr. Cox offered the following resolutions, which were adopted:

Resolved, That the collector of taxes be and he is hereby directed to make return to the City Judge on the eleventh day of July, A. D., 1887, of a list of delinquents in the payment of taxes assessed upon lands, tenements, hereditaments and real estate in the city of Plainfield for the year A. D., 1885, together with the several amounts with which the said delinquents, and real estate in the city of Plainfield for the year A. D., 1885, together with the several amounts with which the said delinquents, hereditaments and real estate, on account thereof the same were assessed, and for which the Assessors of Plainfield shall be thereto set forth by selling the same or any part thereof as will be sufficient for the payment of the said taxes and charges, and expenses, pursuant to the statutes in such cases made and provided.

Mr. Cox also offered a resolution "that all work upon the streets ordered to be done by the Council is under the direction of the Street Committee, and the chairman is alone empowered to direct the Street Commissioner in the premises in behalf of the Committee."

Mr. Carey said this resolution was all right provided it did not give all the power in the hands of the chairman. In his opinion the committee was appointed to confer with, and be moved to table the resolution. His motion was lost and the resolution adopted.

Mr. Taylor offered an ordinance "providing for changing the grade of certain streets." It would change Peace to Broadway, Union to Arlington avenue and South street to Richmond. The ordinance met with considerable objection, particularly on changing the name of the street first mentioned. Mr. Cox said if there was a street in town that had a character it was Peace. The old Quaker meeting house was one of the land marks of the town, and it was from this estimable organization that Peace street received its name, nearly a century ago. Mr. Dunham opposed it on the same ground. The ordinance was referred to the Street Committee.

Mr. Taylor presented another ordinance respecting "building lines on certain streets," which was also referred to Street Committee.

Another ordinance was also introduced by Mr. Taylor which provides "that all fences, walls shall be well and sufficiently repaired and maintained at the expense of the abutting land owners, so as to be even on the surface, and so laid and constructed as freely to shed water and for the width of at least four feet," etc., "over fruit, berry, grass, seeds, stables and other foreign substances." Mr. Cox doubted the constitutionality of the ordinance. Corporation Counsel Marsh assured the honorable body that it was based upon a statute which had been in existence three years in operation and had not been rendered unconstitutional. The ordinance was put upon its second reading and adopted by sections, but on motion of Mr. Bowers the second section was reconsidered, as he said it would interfere with the further laying of concrete pave ments. The portion objected to provided that "in all cases in which sidewalks are now already constructed of flagstone, cement, concrete, brick or other hard substance, sidewalks shall be reconstructed at the expense of the abutting land owners, and shall be composed of the same kind of flagging," etc. Corporation Counsel Marsh said it was necessary to specify the kind and width of paving to be used, or else the provisions of the statute would not be conformed to. The ordinance was tabled for further consideration.

Under the head of miscellaneous business the ordinance providing for the setting of dogs, appointing dog catchers, and authorizing a dog pound was passed.

Mr. Simpson said the cost of repairing East Front street would probably amount to $2,000. The proposition of Mr. Cook, of South Plains, to furnish crushed stone at 90 per ton was on motion again taken up. The Street Commissioner said the offer was a bona fide one, and that the city was now paying $1.10 for the same material. The people of Fanwood had agreed to give $600 toward paving Front street, either in cash or that amount in crushed stone, and he had reason to believe that they would furnish the former just as willingly as the latter. The matter was referred to the Street Committee with power to make a contract if deemed expedient.

The Auditing Committee then reported the bills and Council adjourned.

Hospital Donations.

List of donations for the six months ending June 30th, 1887, to the Muhlenberg Hospital:

Old muslin, Miss Cock; old muslin, Mrs. Babcock; old linen, Mrs. Weber; old muslin, Mrs. Edward Cane; old muslin, Mrs. H. G. Runkle, Magazines and papers, Mr. O. R. Howard; old muslin, Miss Schipper; a pail of milk, Mrs. Taber; 8 cans of jelly, Mrs. Fox; a barrel of flour, Mr. S. A. Guinan; books and papers, Mrs. Chapin; old linen, Mrs. A. J. Marsh; old muslin, Miss Tweedy old muslin; Mrs. Cox; old muslin and dried fruit, Mrs. Haviland; old muslin, Mrs. Smiley; package of papers, old muslin, roll of pictures, Miss Berk; 13 cups and saucers, 12s butter dishes, 4 sugar bowls, Ladies' Auxiliary Board; pail of milk, Mrs. Farber; old linen, Miss Schipper; old linen, Mrs. Bogart; old linen, Miss Haviland; old linen, Mrs. J. S. King; 3 song books, Mr. Wm. Hewett; a package of books, Mrs. Plummer; a dish of jelly, Mrs. Bishop; old linen, Mrs. A. P. Newton; old linen, Mrs. VanDeventer; two dollars, Mrs. A. C. Baldwin; a bag of grapes, a bag of oranges, Mrs. Edgerton; illustrated papers, Dr. Probasco; bag of oranges, Mrs. F. O. Herring; bag of grapes, Mrs. Robert Livingston; two bags of vegetables, Chesebrough Mfg Co.; a bag of oranges, a bag of cookies, a bag of prunes, illustrated papers, Mrs. Robert Livingston; a box of flowers, Miss McGee; 3 cans of sweet corn, 3 cans of fruit, a bag of apples, Mrs. Robert Livingston; a pail of milk, Mrs. Mary Runyon, collection, to defray his warrant under his hand and seal to F. Adelbert Dunham, special policeman, the officer to whom the precepts in warrants for the collection of taxes, who is hereby nominated by this Common Council for that purpose, therein and hereby commanded that to make said taxes that may be then unpaid, by sale of the said lands, tenements, hereditaments and real estate, on account whereof the same were assessed, and for which the Assessors of Plainfield shall be thereto set forth by selling the same or any part thereof as will be sufficient for the said taxes and charges, and expenses, pursuant to the statutes in such cases made and provided.

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LATEST DISPATCHES.

THE NEWS controls the services of the American Press Association and the United Press, and is the only paper published in this county that possesses a Telegraphic News Franchise.

Thermometer Record.

The following is the record of the thermometer for this day and for the corresponding date of last year, as kept at Dudley's drug store, corner of Park street and Park avenue.

1887			1886	
7 a. m.	72	69	Sun rises	4.35
2 p. m.	90	86	Sun sets	8.02
10 p. m.	80	76	Moon rises	9.34
7 p. m.	90	86	Moon sets	

Weather Indications.

For Wednesday, in New Jersey, eastern New York, eastern Pennsylvania, and in New England, slightly warmer, fair weather, with variable winds.

Dr. McGlynn Elected.

NEW YORK, July 6—Rev. Dr. McGlynn was last night elected by the United Labor party, to represent them at the party's convention to be held in Syracuse, Aug. 16th.

Suicide of a Jerseyman.

HAMILTON, Ont., July 6.—Harry O. M. Patterson, a young man from Jersey came to this city on the 1st inst. He behaved in a strange manner and was arrested as insane. The magistrate ordered his release last night. He subsequently shot himself dead in the suburban town of Dundas.

Attachment Granted.

NEW YORK, July 6.—In the Supreme Court Chamber to-day, Judge Potter granted an attachment on the property in this State belonging to the Atlantic Rubber Co. of New Jersey. The attachment was granted on suit by Isador Lilienthal, on a claim assigned to him by Irwin C. Hyde, to recover the sum of $11,134.36, balance due for money loaned and services rendered.

Want an Electric Railway.

NEW BRUNSWICK, July 6.—At the meeting of City Council last evening, the managers of the horse car railroad made application to City Council to have the franchise of the road so altered that the Vanderpool Electric System could be used as a motive power. The matter was deferred to a special committee of seven. The railway has been the bone of more or less contention ever since it was built, about nine months ago.

The Jersey City Murder.

JERSEY CITY, July 6—The police arrested early this morning John Barrett, Thomas Lennon, Charles Bolder, all aged sixteen years; and George E. Kelly, aged fifteen, who are charged with murdering in the murder of young Robert W. Ostendorf in "the Patch" last night. They with James and William Devine and Robert Scott were arraigned before Justice Wanser, in the Oakland Avenue Court this morning. They were then first told of Ostendorf's death. They were remanded. Ostendorf's skull was fractured and he was not shot, as at first supposed.

"Uno" the Bear.

"Uno," the baby bear, which a few weeks ago was presented by a son of "Uncle Dan" Roberts of North Greene to his friend, "Uncle Billy" Moore, of Park avenue, has been sent away from Plainfield to a friend of Mr. Moore's in Harlem. We described how the bear was captured. After its capture it became ugly and young Mr. Roberts had to lash it with a horse whip, until it rolled over on its back, and put up its paws, which is its way of asking for mercy. If the chastisement stopped at that point, the bear becomes tractable. If the lashing continues the bear will not be easily subdued again, but will fight with desperation. People who mismanage children might learn from this a useful lesson. The baby bear was teething and had been off its feed. One day a son of Mr. Moore, who had become attached to the little fellow was caressing it, when it suddenly bit his finger, one of the teeth which had got through its bears gums, going almost through his finger. The tooth was long and sharp, and felt like a pin prick. The young Mr. Moore saw the blood spurting from his finger, he seized a whip to lash the bear. The stinging it received from the lash caused it to roll over on his back, put up its paws and whine. It received no further punishment, and wanted no more of it. Mr. Moore took pity on it, and released it from the lashing, while the bear licked his hand in loving, grateful, that Mr. Moore had no difficulty in handling it with utmost freedom afterwards. The bear was not fond of milk, but did not seem to be sufficiently nourished. He grew thinner and weaker, and pined away as if for home. One week or two days ago the bear refused to feed. He changed rapidly, became as playful as a kitten, and died in great agony. Monday. He also grew fat, and is now nearly half as much larger, and thinner as about a month ago. His name is still "Uno," and he is kept in Quinn's livery stable, Harlem.

—A meeting of the Board of Directors of the Y. M. C. A., was held at the Association Parlors on Monday evening at 8 o'clock.

—A fire yesterday at Alfred Centre, N. Y., destroyed eight buildings, including the Burdick House, the Post Office and the furniture store of M. J. Green, brother of Orson C. Green, formerly of this city.

—A drove of horses that have been pasturing in one of Mr. Hyde's fields, on Monday evening, got into the cornfield next door, and wandered around there during the day. They were returned to the field in the evening.

—Says the New York Sun:—"If country newspapers were to publish the names of those who have been swindled, they would be gratified by, yet refuse to pay for their home papers, the reputations of most communities would be ruined. Subscription is generally paid per year. An editor's labor is unique as wonderful or complicated. A lawyer will give you five minutes' advice in one case and charge you $5 for it. An editor will give you advice for five years in one paper, and charge a copy for his paper, and very often four cents given to an editor would pay for given to a lawyer. Many a country editor is systematically robbed and swindled out of their labor and capital to country newspaper publishers."

NOTICE—The Plainfield Gas Light Co. would call attention of the Gas Consumers in this city to the marked improvements recently made in the construction of gas stoves for boiling and cooking.

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Cent-a-Word Column.

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FOR SALE—Eight acres of land on Somerset street, known as wooden's Grove. Apply to Peter Wooden, or to law office Sayre & Stillman.

FOR SALE—Double bedstead, spring and Mattress, $6. Perfectly clean. Thirty-five Somerset street. 5-4

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LOST—A red, coral stone out of a ring, Sunday evening while out walking. Finder will be rewarded by leaving same at U. Crane's. Park avenue.

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WANTED—A respectable girl for general housework. Apply to corner of Washington avenue and Prospect place, North Plainfield. J. F. Emmons. 7-6-tf.

WANTED—Useful man that understands the care of horses, cows and garden. A. W. Haviland, Rockview avenue. 7-2

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SPORTING MATTERS.

The Record of Baseball Games and Turf Events.

Yesterday's ball games: At Chicago—Chicago, 15; New York, 3. At Indianapolis—Indianapolis, 5; Washington, 4. At Detroit—Detroit, 16; Boston, 8. At Louisville—Louisville, 10; Athletic, 7. At Utica—Utica, 18; Rochester, 3. At Hartford—Hartford, 10; Waterbury, 1. At New Haven—New Haven, 6; Bridgeport, 4.

New York, July 6.—At Brighton Beach yesterday: First race, three-quarters of a mile; Rebel Friend first, Miami's colt second, Kink third; time, 1:18½. Second race, one mile; Hilarity first, Episcopal second, Chantilly third; time, 1:45¾. Third race, three-quarters of a mile; Young Duke first, Miller second, Hatteras third; time, 1:16½. Fourth race, mile and a quarter; Ferg Kyle first, Treasurer second, Ernest third; time, 2:13¾. Fifth race, seven-eighths of a mile; Judy Oak first, Hickory Jim second, Woodflower third; time, 1:31¾. Sixth race, hurdle, mile and a quarter; Sam Brown first, Little Flow II second, Leopold third; time, 2:27½.

NIAGARA FALLS, July 6.—Yesterday's events: First race, three-quarters of a mile; Bratt first, Barnum a cond, Lady Duff third; time, 1:18½. Second race, seven-eighths of a mile; Lansdowne first, Commander second, Middlesex third; time, 1:30¾. Third race, mile and an eighth; Ligan first, Pink Cottage second, Tammany third; time, 1:59. Fourth race, one mile; Nettie first, Bellevue second, Unique third; time, 1:44. Fifth race, full steeplechase course; Cyclone first, Chandos second; time, 6:30. Pawnbroker did not finish.

Marine Intelligence.

NEW YORK, July 6.—Arrived, steamers Nevada, Liverpool; Wisconsin, Liverpool; City of San Antonio, Port Royal; Knickerbocker, New Orleans; El Dorado, New Orleans; Portia, St. John's, N. F., and Halifax, Rockaway, Nottingham, N. C.; Roanoke, Richmond, City Point and Norfolk. Ships Titari, Singapore; Regent, Calcutta; St. Mary, Pensacola; Andrew Robertson, Antwerp. Arrived out, steamers Devonia, from New York June 25, at Glasgow; City of Montreal, from New York June 25, has passed Brow Head. The Queen, from New York June 28, at Queenstown, July 4; Elbe, from New York June 25, at Southampton at midnight, July 3. State of Nebraska, from New York June 25, at Glasgow, July 3.

Society of Christian Endeavor.

SARATOGA, July 6.—The annual convention of the various branches throughout the country of the Society of Christian Endeavor opened yesterday, the attendance of delegates being very large. The morning was occupied with devotional exercises. Among those in attendance are Revs. Wayland Hoyt, Lyman Abbott and G. P. Goodwin, H. Fay Mills, the evangelist, and Miss Leitch, of Ceylon.

Injured by a Falling Roof.

SUSQUEHANNA, Pa., July 6.—A number of boys crawled upon the roof of a dining hall at Beebe's park, where a picnic was held to get a good view of a game of baseball. The roof gave way and four boys were thrown violently to the ground. Several were seriously, perhaps fatally, injured, and more received bruises and scratches.

The Sultan Did Not Sign.

LONDON, July 6.—In the House of commons Under Foreign Secretary Ferguson announced that the convention with Egypt had not been ratified. There had been no further postponement of the time within which the sultan was to act upon the matter. Yesterday was the expiration of the limit within which it must be signed or abandoned.

The Deadly Toy Pistol.

WATERBURY, Conn., July 6.—Nellie Case, aged 18, of Collinsville, while toying with a loaded pistol Monday night, accidentally shot herself in the head. She died almost instantly.

Killed on the Railroad.

UTICA, July 6.—At Oswego Falls Monday Smith Southard, an old man, was struck by a train on the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western railroad. His back was broken.

TRADE BULLETIN.

New York Money and Produce Market Quotations.

NEW YORK, July 5.—Money closed at 4 per cent. The highest rate was 6 and the lowest 4 per cent. Exchange closed heavy at previous rates; 4.84½ actual rates, 4.85¼@4.85½ for sixty days and 4.88¾@4.89 for demand. Government closed firm; currency 6s, 125¾ bid; 4s, coup., 126¾ bid; 4½s, 109¾ bid.

The stock market continued dull throughout the afternoon. In the two hours from midday to 2 o'clock there was a steadier feeling and prices rallied somewhat from the extreme decline of the morning, but in the last hour a raid on Louisville and Nashville caused a break in prices all along the line, and the lowest figures of the day were current at the close. The decline ranged from ½ to 1¼ per cent. Lake Shore was also weak, named. Norfolk and Western preferred, Central Southern, Colorado Coal, Pacific Mail, Michigan Central, Richmond and Cleveland, New York and New England, Rocking Valley and the Omahas were the next weakest stocks.

General Markets.

NEW YORK, July 5.—FLOUR—Closed quiet but easy; sales 10,000 barrels; superfine wheat extra, $3.15@3.25; Minnesota do., $3.25@4.15; city mill extra, $4.40@4.50; Ohio extra, $3.40@4.50; Southern closed steady; common to choice extra, $3.30@4.

WHEAT—Options were only moderately active, Prices were strong at the opening and advanced fractionally. Later on most of the advance was lost and the market closed barely steady at about ½@¾c above yesterday's rates; firm and higher. Spot sales 70,000 bush; No. 2 red winter, 89c; No. 3 red winter, 85c; No. 1 do., 89c; No. 2 do., 89c; No. 3 do., 85c; No. 1 red, 89c; No. 2 red winter, July, 84c; No. 2 red winter, July, 84@c; Aug., 84@c; Sept., 85@c.

CORN—Options were dull and easier, closing at ½@¾c lower. Spot lots closed ¼@½c lower. Spot sales of 70,000 bush; No. 2 mixed at 48c; ungraded do., 46@48c; No. 2 mixed, July, 46¾c; do., Aug., 46@c; do., Sept., 47@c.

OATS—Spot lots dull and heavy for all except July, which was ½c higher. The other months were ¼@½c lower. Spot lots closed steady at unchanged prices. Spot sales of No. 1 white state at 30c; No. 2 do., 37½c; No. 3 mixed, July, 29½@29¾c; do., Aug., 31@c; do., Sept., 32@c.

RYE—Dull; western, 74@76c; state, 60@70c.

BARLEY—Nominal.

PORK—Dull; $14.50@15.50 for old and new mess.

LARD—Closed dull and heavy; cash, $6.95; July, $6.82; Aug., $6.87.

BUTTER—Was in fair demand and firm; state, 16@18c; western, 10@12c.

CHEESE—Dull; state white fine, 8½@8¾; western, 6½@7½c.

OF INCENDIARY ORIGIN.

THE DISASTROUS CONFLAGRATION AT CLARENDON, PA.

The Fire Was Undoubtedly Started by a Hotel Keeper Who Had Been Refused a Liquor License, and Who Threatened to Burn the Town.

TWELVE HUNDRED HOMELESS.

The Disastrous Fire at Clarendon, Pa. The People Without Food.

PITTSBURG, July 6.—An Erie special to The Leader says: Meager reports from Clarendon, Pa., are that the scarcity of provisions is becoming more and more acute, and simultaneously in two different places. The local fire department was unable to cope with the flames, and by the time assistance arrived the waterworks was in ruins and the engines were unable to go into service. The entire town was destroyed, and at this time it is impossible to give a list of the losses more than to estimate them there are 1,200 people homeless and over 300 buildings burned.

Relief trains are running to Clarendon, as the people are without food and have not the means to procure it. Hundreds escaped in their night clothes and have taken refuge in the hills. One man, unknown, was burned to death in Mumm's feed store. But few of the buildings of the town were saved. Fifty derricks and over 100 oil tanks were burned. All telegraph communication is cut off. All the people that can are leaving by train for places of safety.

Peter—John Stewart was caught in the burning of a bank and was cremated. It is feared that many have shared a similar fate. All the business part of the town has been destroyed, and as I reported yesterday morning Henry's hotel was burning. The buildings being of pine and hemlock burned like tinder. The greatest excitement prevails. The valley is full of fire and smoking oil, and the people, becoming panic stricken, fled to the hillsides for safety.

It is now well established that the fire was of incendiary origin. Public rumor at Clarendon says that two weeks ago, when liquor licenses were refused to all applicants in Warren county, Mahoney, proprietor of the Wayne hotel, threatened to fire the town if the decision of the court was not reversed in two weeks. Yesterday morning, after the fire burned out, the citizens looked about for Mahoney, but none of the city found. A warrant charging him with arson was sworn out and searching parties scoured the surrounding country, but apparently Mahoney was not found hiding in the woods six miles from Clarendon, and, because lynching was feared, he was taken to the Warren jail. A charred skeleton was found in one of the rooms of the hotel, and it is supposed to be that of a hack driver named Sullivan, who is missing. He was seen about the hotel early in the evening drunk.

The conflagration started in the Snow planing mill, and also in the Weaver hotel, both fires breaking out at about the same time. According to the high wind the fire soon got beyond the control of the firemen. Engines arrived from Warren in time to be of some service, but the only valuable building saved was the Methodist church. Among those in attendance are Revs. Wayland Hoyt, Lyman Abbott and G. P. Goodwin, H. Fay Mills, the evangelist, and Miss Leitch, of Ceylon.

CORNELL DEFEATS BOWDOIN

In the Race for the Intercollegiate Championship.

WORCESTER, July 6.—At Lake Quinsigamond, yesterday afternoon, Cornell won the mile and a half straightaway race for four-oared crews of the Intercollegiate association. The race was very hotly contested. Cornell and Bowdoin were the only starters. When the starting signal was given at 4:41 p. m. Cornell shot out instantly, pulling a thirty-nine stroke. Bowdoin was right after them, pulling forty-one. At the quarter Bowdoin had rowed down to thirty-eight and Cornell to thirty-five. At the mile Cornell had spurted to thirty-seven, while Bowdoin continued at thirty-eight. When within 800 feet of the finish Bowdoin had come up to forty. Both boats crossed the line so close together that it was hard to tell which had won. The judges on shore said that Cornell crossed two feet ahead of Bowdoin. Official time, 9 min. 38½ sec. This is probably several seconds too fast, as the water was very rough and both boats slipped considerably in the water. Both crews were much exhausted, Peck and Fiedler, of Cornell, and Varney, of Bowdoin, especially so. Cornell has won the Intercollegiate championship and a silver cup. Teemer and Hamm coached Cornell and Plaisted trained Bowdoin. The referee was Eugene Buckley, of Boston. The crews were entertained last night by the Quinsigamond club. They left for home to-day.

Ohio's Labor Candidate.

CINCINNATI, July 6.—John Seitz, the Union Labor nominee for governor, is a farmer resident of Seneca county, and was born near Tiffin in 1836. His ancestors were among the early German settlers of Pennsylvania. John Seitz received the usual education of an Ohio farmer boy, and in 1862 had his first taste of office as justice of the peace in Bloom township, holding the office for three years, when he removed to his present home in Eden township. He served ten years consecutively in the Ohio legislature, four years as assemblyman and six years as senator. During his legislative career he introduced a bill known as the "Seitz election law," making it a felony to bribe or intimidate a voter. Mr. Seitz was once before—in 1881, on the Greenback-Labor ticket—a candidate for governor. He has been twice before the people on the same ticket as congressional candidate, once as state treasurer and once as elector at large.

The Textile Workers.

PHILADELPHIA, July 6.—The convention called by the Knights of Labor Textile Workers' union, which has been meeting at the new Union hall, has practically completed its work. The convention decided to make application to be admitted to the general assembly of the Federation of Trade Unions, the constitution of the union to be modified so as to conform with the constitution of the Trade Unions. A resolution was also passed, recommending that, wherever practicable, the union and its assemblies shall act independently in politics, and that each local assembly shall elect local and national, as will best serve to promote the object of the organization, which is to protect its members from the oppressions of conspirators seeking the general welfare of the laboring classes.

Illuminating Mt. Hood.

PORTLAND, Ore., July 6.—For the Fourth of July celebration Portland successfully carried out an unprecedented feature in the way of fireworks. It was nothing less than the illumination of the summit of Mt. Hood, the tallest snow covered peak in Oregon—12,700 feet high. The time was exactly 11:30 p. m., and the light was plainly seen in this city, a distance of fifty-one miles in a straight line. The illuminating agent was the product of ordinary red fire. The feat was accomplished by W. G. Steel, a local explorer of some note, assisted by Nelson W. Durham and five others. The illumination was seen in eastern Oregon at a distance of seventy-five miles.

ON GUARD AT NANTICOKE.

Work Resumed in the Coke Region—No Trouble Anticipated.

Pittsburg, July 6.—Advices out of Pinkerton's men arrived from the east and west yesterday morning and took early trains for the coke regions. They were heavily armed and fully prepared for a fight. Over 100 came from Chicago and about forty from Philadelphia. The party is in charge of Superintendent Linden, of the latter city. It is said that 300 more will arrive here within the next twenty-four hours, and that 500 of them are expected in the region before the close of the week.

The coke operators have determined to resume operations, and the detectives will be distributed about throughout the region to protect any of the old employes who desire to go back to work at the old wages. The presence of the Pinkerton men may cause trouble, but the operators do not anticipate any serious outbreak. They expect to have enough of their old men at work before the end of the week to put all of the works in running order.

The presence of the Pinkerton men in the coke region is sanctioned by Governor Beaver. Some three weeks ago the operators applied to the governor to swear in 100 specials for the region, declaring that a majority of the men on a strike would go to work if they were protected from the strikers. The governor thought that twenty-five special officers would be all that were necessary if the situation was as represented. The operators, however, said that it would be worse than folly to attempt to start with less than 100 drilled guards. All communication is cut off. Adj. Gen. Hastings into the region, who, after a thorough look over the field, agreed with the operators that at least 100 men would be needed.

It is understood that the men have been sworn in as special officers, whose duty it is to do nothing but keep the peace and afford protection to any men who want to work. They are not to aid in any other way in starting up the works. Adj. Gen. Hastings is in communication with Sheriff Kerr, who is in charge of the Pinkerton men, and will, on notification of any outbreak, go at once to the scene of action.

A FIFTH OF JULY FIRE

At Grafton, W. Va., Causes Damage to the Amount of $100,000.

GRAFTON, W. Va., July 6.—The most destructive fire that ever visited the town broke out here yesterday morning about 4 o'clock. An alarm was sounded and the citizens responded quickly, but the flames already had full possession of the wooden buildings, filled with inflammable material, and without fire apparatus all the efforts of the people to stay the devouring element were useless, and nearly everybody went to work removing the goods from stores and the furniture of the occupants of the dwelling houses and hotels that were inevitably doomed. The fire continued to rage for three hours, and was not gotten under control before three of the largest hotels of the town, two furniture houses, thirty-two other business rooms, such as drug stores, millinery, tobacconists, notions, dry goods, the Register-Standard Enterprise printing office and the book office of the state supreme court printer, were destroyed. Total loss is from $95,000 to $100,000, with very little insurance. The origin is not generally known, but believed to be incendiary. An engine telegraphed for at Parkersburg reached here in a run of two hours and twenty minutes, but too late to save any property.

SEVENTY-ONE ROUNDS

Fought at Nanticoke, Pa.—Both Men Beyond Recognition.

WILKESBARRE, Penn., July 6.—A prize fight for the championship of northern Pennsylvania was fought at Nanticoke on the morning of July 4, and it was the most brutal contest in the history of the ring. The contestants were Thomas Hoar, of Wilkesbarre, and Pete Harley, of Nanticoke. Both are young, about twenty-three years of age, and but have not worked at their occupation for three months, having been in training for the fight. Seventy-one rounds were fought, lasting one hour and thirty-five minutes. Both men were battered out of all shape. Harley had several ribs broken in the sixty-first round. Hoar received internal injuries. The collision was due to the failure of the air brakes on the mail train to hold.

Alfred Centre's $40,000 Fire.

ALFRED CENTRE, N. Y., July 6.—About 4 o'clock yesterday morning fire broke out in Preachell's meat market and spread rapidly through the adjoining buildings to the hotel, postoffice and Shaw's jewelry store. The fire burned fiercely, and soon the barn of the hotel and several small buildings were in ruins. The large brick block occupied by Burdick & Green, the University bank, Crandall Bros. and Burdick & Co. narrowly escaped destruction, all of the plate glass windows being shattered. The loss is about $40,000, half covered by insurance.

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Fatal Railroad Accident.

READING, Penn., July 6.—William Oldt, wife and child were passengers on the Pennsylvania Schuylkill Valley road, on the 4 o'clock p. m. train. While passing Mt. Penn, Berks county, the train ran over a bridge. Oldt's wife and child were thrown down a steep embankment, a distance of 100 feet. Oldt was killed instantly. His wife and child were badly injured.

Manitoba Mad.

WINNIPEG, July 6.—A member of Mr. Norquay's government says that the government saw in no way clear to building the road. He did not expect the Dominion government would do anything worse than disallow the act, which he understood had been done already. The feeling here over the matter is that the government had disallowed the bill rune very high.

THE MURDER OF C. LWAY

PETER COFFEY, OF STONY CREEK, ARRESTED ON SUSPICION.

A Prospect That One of Connecticut's Mysterious Murders Will be Brought Home to the Guilty Party—Some Important Clews.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., July 6.—Yesterday afternoon State Attorney Doolittle obtained a search warrant from the superior court for the arrest of Peter Coffey, of Stony Creek, who is charged with the murder of Station Agent Charles E. Way, a few months ago.

If the action was a great surprise and every effort was made to keep the matter quiet, Way's mangled remains were found on the track in front of the depot one night about 10:20 o'clock, and it was supposed at first that he had been killed accidentally, or that he had committed suicide, but a day or two later it was found that one of the foulest crimes had been committed. A few hours previous to the murder Way had received his month's pay, some $80, which he put in his pocket, and it was gone, as were all his private and official papers, letters, etc. His watch, a silver one, was the only thing found on his person.

Suspicion at once turned toward one Peter Coffey, and it was soon discovered that he and the murdered man had been engaged in illicit liquor selling. Way, it was found, had secured whiskey from New York and New Haven under cover of his position as station agent. Coffey meanwhile told several different stories. It was learned that he had been in the store in which Way was killed Way as far as Guilford, where the train stopped.

Coffey purchased a ticket for Madison, a station a few miles beyond Guilford, although he stated that the train would stop more than Guilford. He also said that he did not buy a ticket, but that he gave the conductor his watch for his fare. Coffey's story about the watch did not correspond with the conductor's, and it was believed that he went to Guilford to hide a whisky jug that would throw some light on the murder if it were discovered.

Another thing that the detectives discovered, when the ground where Way's remains were found was searched, was a twisted piece of a pair of overalls, which was tied in a knot. This it was believed had been tied around the murderer's man's mouth as a gag. The store relating to the whisky traffic were closely followed up and were found to have a strong bearing on the case. The state's theory is that Way was killed in a dispute and his body placed on the track.

When Coffey was put under oath before the coroner he told a rather singular story concerning his whereabouts on the night of the murder and there were several things that he could not account for. A day or two ago it was learned that Way had been in the act of sending a telegram when he was first molested, and this discovery caused the state attorney's action. New and startling developments are expected to-day.

Another Philadelphia Defaulter.

PHILADELPHIA, July 6.—William Turl, who for three years past has held the position of cashier and bookkeeper for Burdick & Co., better known as the Philadelphia Hat company, at the northwest corner of Eighth and Vine streets, disappeared on Saturday night, taking with him about $4,000 belonging to his employers. It was learned, when inquiry was made at his boarding house, that he had not been there since Friday. Turl is an Englishman, aged 36 years, and it is said that he was engaged to be married to a young lady visiting at Port Jervis, N. Y.

Collision on the Maine Central.

GARDINER, Me., July 6.—A passenger train going west and an eastbound mail train collided on the Maine Central road yesterday morning at Farmingdale siding. Both engines were badly damaged, and the tender of the mail train was telescoped with the postal car. Engineer Pettingill was severely cut about the head. Conductor Jewett, of the passenger train, suffered a severe scalp wound, and Engineer Leavitt, of the mail train, received dangerous internal injuries. The collision was due to the failure of the air brakes on the mail train to hold.

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WINNIPEG, July 6.—A member of Mr. Norquay's government says that the government saw in no way clear to building the road. He did not expect the Dominion government would do anything worse than to disallow the act, which he understood had been done already. The feeling here over the matter is that the government had disallowed the bill rune very high.

ONLY A NEWSPAPER RUMOR.

Archbishop Corrigan Says He Has Not Received the Order.

NEW YORK, July 6.—Archbishop Corrigan has not yet received any word from Rome concerning the formal excommunication of Father McGlynn, which was reported yesterday in a Washington dispatch. Although the evening papers last night contained alleged interviews with the archbishop and his secretary, the Rev. Dr. McDonald, they both say that they have no reporters on the matter. Father McDonald gave instructions to all the priests yesterday that all newspaper men who called to inquire concerning the matter were to be told that Archbishop Corrigan knew nothing about the matter except what he read in the papers.

While the reports of Dr. McGlynn's excommunication are only rumors to the effect that John R. Feeney, Dr. Henry Carey and Editor O'Loughlin, of The Catholic Herald, are also to be excommunicated at the same time. Messrs. Feeney and Carey, from the day Dr. McGlynn was suspended, have been the recognized leaders of the movement in St. Stephen's parish in favor of the priest's reinstatement. One or the other of these two men has uniformly presided at the meetings of the parishioners, and each has made probably a dozen speeches, all of which were archbishop and in favor of Dr. McGlynn. Editor O'Loughlin, in his paper, which is a weekly publication, has also stoutly supported Dr. McGlynn, and is thus a bitter antagonist of the Catholic church authorities. There are many who believe that Feeney, Carey and O'Loughlin will be excommunicated, if indeed they are not already.

CONFIDING BURGLARS.

They Make Known Their Business to the Wrong Man.

BRIDGEPORT, Conn., July 6.—Two confiding burglars were bound over in $1,000 bail each by Judge Pinney this morning, and are now in jail to await trial before the superior court. They are George Dalton, of Waterbury, and Patrick Cahn, of Pequot Campsaw, and Patrick Cahn, an elderly man from New York. Late Sunday night Frank B. Taylor, while patrolling Main street in his capacity of night watchman, saw them taking observations at the front of a store in a manner to excite his suspicion. He accosted them, and asked in such a way as to seem to be one of the gang. He told Taylor around and showed him Dawson's pawnshop as the one easy to crack, and said he would undertake the job Monday night. Taylor consented, and appointed a time for the parties to call. Monday night, however, Taylor and Officer Arnold kept a close watch on Dawson's, and a few minutes before 2 o'clock Monday morning saw Dalton climb in through the fanlight. When arrested inside the place he had taken two watches and four revolvers. His pal, who was watching outside as a sentry, was also captured. They seemed to think that their confidence in Watchman Taylor had somehow been misplaced.

Murder in Jersey City.

JERSEY CITY, July 6.—Robert Ostendorf, a young man 22 years old, was shot and mortally wounded last night. He had been playing pool with James and William Sequin and Robert Scott in a saloon on Halleck street. A quarrel arose, which the went outside to settle. Somebody fired a revolver and Ostendorf dropped with a bullet hole behind his right ear. The other three were arrested. Ostendorf lives at Rutherford Park.

Not Wanted at All.

ASBURY PARK, July 6.—The pastor of the Mount Zion Colored Baptist church, of Newark, came down to see Mr. Bradley regarding the use of the Fifth avenue church. The trustees would have provided him with a good horse and carriage, but when they brought their own bathing suit Mr. Bradley said the clergyman that he would rather the excursion would not come here at all.

That's the Way the Money Goes.

WASHINGTON, July 6.—The treasury department, in two official days of the present month, has expended over $13,000,000, of which $11,200,000 was for pensions. The receipts to date are about $8,000,000. The treasury department redeemed $26,500,000 of the $197,000,000 3 per cent bonds called for redemption. There was redeemed $8,230,350 of 3 per cent. bonds included under various calls, but not yet presented for redemption.

Drowned While Bathing.

SAUGATUCK, Conn., July 6.—John Marples, a plane maker, employed by Martin Beecher, was drowned while bathing at Compo Island while bathing. He was unable to swim and waded beyond his depth. His companions, who were with him, were too far distance off. Marples was 27 years of age, and leaves a widow and two children.

Murdered His Superior Officer.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 6.—First Sergt. Frederick Hoffman, of Troop A, Second United States Cavalry, was shot and killed in the barracks yesterday by Private Thomas N. Bateman, of the same troop, whom he had reprimanded for neglect of duty. Bateman was arrested over to the civil authorities. He enlisted from Kentucky and Sopher enlisted at Chicago in 1884.

Bubble's Death Rate.

BUFFALO, July 6.—The extreme heat of the past week had the effect of increasing the death rate to double the ordinary. For the corresponding week last year, the deaths being ninety-three and fifty respectively. Cholera infantum is credited with the greatest number of victims. For the week the mortuary statistician at 3:30 yesterday recorded 95 dogs.

A Murderer's Suicide.

CHICAGO, July 6.—John Feisthammer, who stabbed John Orkner, one of the Swedish brothers, on Division street, Sunday morning, committed suicide by hanging himself at his residence, 300 Sedgewick street. He left a note, giving as the cause of the act that he had been attacked by robbers. Orkner died Monday.

Killed by a Train.

NEWARK, N. J., July 6.—A passenger train on the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western railroad struck and killed a man, presumably a tramp, at about 7 o'clock yesterday morning opposite the Harrison switch. The train was stopped and the body placed on the baggage car to this place, where it awaits the action of the coroner.

Murdered by a Child.

AUGUSTA, Ga., July 6.—Milo Thomas, of white and negro parentage, of the Port Royal and Augusta railroad, slapped Charles Lockley, an 11-year-old negro boy, for abusive language several times. The boy drew a spring back dagger and stabbed Thomas in the heart, killing him. Lockley was arrested.

Death of a Popular Comedian.

BROOKLYN, July 6.—Edward Lamb, the comedian, died last evening, aged 36 years. He had been ill for several months with cancer of the stomach. He leaves three sons and two daughters.

BULGARIAN POLITICS.

ANOTHER ATTEMPT TO SELECT A HEAD OF GOVERNMENT.

The Effort Will Doubtless End in Failure, Because if Her Russian Neighbor Disapproves of Any Action of Hers—Both Countries Will.

LONDON, July 6.—The Bulgarian sobranje has once more assembled to renew its futile efforts to elect a prince of Bulgaria who will be permitted to ascend the throne and govern the principality in accordance with the desires of Russia, the country which created, created and assented to his questionable authority.

The prince who may be elected by the sobranje is the honest choice of that body will, of course, stand no chance of assuming the rulership of the country in view of the enormous strength and influence of Russia. That Russia, the czar will not for a moment recognize the pretension of a prince indorsed by England or Austria, or both, in the event of the latter being the choice of the sobranje of a ruler whose sole or chief claim to that doubtful honor rests upon the recommendation of Russia; the election of a candidate who opposes the favor of the latter power is out of the question, and it is difficult to see how an indefinite prolongation of the present deadlock can be averted, or how the question can be ultimately settled except by arbitration or war.

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WHEAT CORNERS.

HISTORY OF THE LAST AND MOST DISASTROUS ONE.

How the Bulls Had to Actually Buy Up All the Wheat in Store in Order to Make the Corner—Philosophy of Corners of All Kinds Explained.

[Special Correspondence.]

CHICAGO, June 27.—A few days ago a cyclone struck the wheat corner of 1887, and a few hours later nought was left but a mass of ruins and a horde of wild and shrieking victims. Chicago has become accustomed to corners; they are nothing new here, and yet the town has rarely been so stirred up as by this speculative collapse. This was the biggest corner ever attempted in this market, and, quite naturally, the tumble was a terrific one, once it had started. It was a most mysterious deal, too. Along in the last days of March the grain gamblers here first began to feel that some outside influence of large resources and definite purpose was at work in the market, hulling the price of wheat. So far as could be discovered, the clique's headquarters were at Cincinnati, whence came all orders to the brokers in this city. The telegrams were simply signed "W." So much outside of the office of four or five brokerage firms knew who was furnishing the money for the operation. There were many surmises, which have in part so-feel that some outside influence of large resources and definite purpose was at work in the market, hulling the price of wheat. So far as could be discovered, the clique's headquarters were at Cincinnati, whence came all orders to the brokers in this city. The telegrams were simply signed "W." So much outside of the office of four or five brokerage firms knew who was furnishing the money for the operation. There were many surmises, which have in part proved correct, but as a matter of fact such caution and secrecy were maintained by the clique that for more than two months the identity of the principal manipulators of the grain market was quite unknown. There was, however, no doubt about the clique's purpose, which was to obtain control of the grain market by the sheer force of capital, push up the price, and squeeze big profits out of all who dared stand in their way. There was nothing in the state of trade, nor in the condition of the new crop, to warrant such a movement for higher prices; but these purse-proud schemers, exaggerating their own shrewdness and the power of their wealth, plunged ahead regardless of the laws of supply and demand and of the conditions which make markets, and in this collapse of their enterprise meet with retribution most just and fitting.

It was a very large contract which the clique took upon themselves. The operation of cornering wheat is a very simple one and an easy thing to accomplish, providing you have a purse of sufficient length and breadth. There is nothing legitimate about an enterprise of this sort any more than there would be about a scheme to buy all the bread in the village of Smithville, with the idea of compelling the inhabitants to pay an extra nickel a loaf or go without bread for their dinners; but in carrying out their operation the conspirators found it necessary to do a little business that is ordinarily considered of a legitimate kind. Upon beginning their deal they found about 4,000,000 of bushels of wheat in the big elevators in this city. This they had to buy outright—not on margins, but for cash—and for this "cash wheat" they paid rather more than eighty cents a bushel. Here was an investment of more than three millions and a half of dollars. Possession of the "stock in store" corner high, but the nerves had to have it. Nor was this all. As the price of cash wheat gradually rose under manipulation from eighty cents toward ninety, country holders began to think it is about time to market. Elevator men shipped what they had on hand, and the old farmers who are always "holding for a rise" emptied their granaries. Wheat soon began pouring into Chicago from all quarters, and rather sooner than the clique had looked for the huge elevators were full to their very roofs. All this wheat the conspirators were compelled to buy; and in this manner $8,500,000 were invested. Why did the clique need to own warehouse receipts for all this grain? Simply that by such monopoly it might create a "corner." With the clique holding all the wheat in town nobody else could offer any for sale; and with no offerings prices were bound to go up. It must be remembered, however, that $7,000,000 were not needed to gain control of the 16,000,000 bushels of wheat in store. As fast as one batch of elevator receipts were purchased the clique's agents sent them to the bulls as collateral and on them borrowed money to the extent of 60 or 65 cents a bushel and used the funds thus secured in buying more warehouse receipts. Thus the actual cash outlay which the clique found it necessary to make for the wheat in store was about twenty cents a bushel, or more than $3,000,000. But this was only the foundation stone for the corner building, and the superstructure, as we shall see, cost the designers several millions more.

The scheme in running a corner is to buy and hold the actual stuff in order to send the prices up, and at the same time go around making wagers with a lot of fellows that prices will advance. That is just what the clique did. While it was investing three or four millions in cash wheat, it was also placing bets of three or four millions more on the market. That was the "option" or "futures" part of the operation—the grain gambling on margins.

Well, for a long time the conspiracy appeared to be getting along in a swimming way. Everybody had confidence in the clique and its ability to raise all the funds needed to carry on its great deal. At the end of May it had raked in a few hundred thousands of profits on options for that month, and already during June a number of "shorts" had, in fact, speculators who had wagered that wheat was not going higher—had concluded to cut short a bad bargain and settle up. In this way the clique raked in some more profits, and was counting on a great inflow at the end of the month.

But the clique was reckoning without its host. For some reason, probably an outcropping of that disinclination to be bled around by the nose which all Chicago speculators are possessed of, a large number of rich and bold operators here not only refused to "sell on" after the clique, but fought it in competition inch by inch. This bear party was a powerful one, and while they were not able to prevent the clique getting control of the wheat in store, they offered such a heavy line of wagers on the bear side of the market that the bull clique had need for all its nerve and money. As the price steadily advanced some of those bears "lay down" and settled at a loss, but a number, and among them many heavy traders, continued to put up margins again and again, with a complete gall which looked like recklessness. In other words, it was wolf against wolf, and the Chicago wolf was fighting in his native jungle. In his native jungle, near the head waters of Michigan creek, the Chicago wolf is a bad animal.

The Chicago crowd was not content to make the ambitious clique dizzy with much margin betting, but sought to harass it in another way. As soon as the elevators had been crammed full of wheat at the clique's expense the manipulators supposed they had reached the top of that hill, but just at this juncture the Chicago board, controlled by the bears, sent about providing new storage room and declaring it regular. Under the old rules of the board grain could not be delivered on contract unless stored in a regular elevator, but the bears struck terror to the hearts of the clique by declaring that they would pass a rule making stock and bares regular warehouses, as well as freight cars and the holds of vessels.

"Why," declared the bears, "it is our duty to provide storage room for all the wheat the country can send us, and if necessary we'll rent the Exposition building and fill it full of wheat."

Twenty miles of side tracks in and around Chicago are covered with cars laden with wheat, and out in the country are miles and miles more.

"Great heavens!" exclaimed the clique; "they'll make us buy all the wheat in the country before we get through."

That was the fear that struck most. The clique began to waver. First one of its members became frightened and secretly endeavored to "unload" upon his confreres and save as much of his own losses as he could. His fellow conspirators detected his little game and hauled him over the coals. Before this quarrel in the clique had been settled the bears made a terrific rush on the market. The clique brokers telegraphed in vain for funds with which to fight. Over the wires flew a rumor that the Cincinnati bank, whose chief owners were two of the cliques, had closed its doors—and then the cyclone struck the wheat pit and left ruin in its wake.

The collapse of corner was a huge one. Into it in one way or another, the clique must have put something like eight or ten millions of dollars. In cash wheat they had nearly four millions, on which interest was piling up. Hundreds of option holdings it is thought they had placed, before abandoning the field, an average margin of ten or twelve cents. The expense of carrying their cash wheat, elevator charges, interest at bank, etc., was $600,000 a month. Probably one-half of the whole sum invested on clique account is lost.

A good many people made money on the break. Not a few were lucky enough to get $10,000 for $600 as the result of an investment covering two or three hours. During the last three days of the deal operations were carried on here on a most astounding scale, something like 100,000,000 bushels changing hands on margin during that time. The country has really ceased to be a bear's front for the corner. About 19,000,000 bushels of wheat were marketed at the artificial price which the clique managed to create, although but little of this was the farmer deal-ity. The colleges had killed the corner business for years to come. It will be many a day before another clique summons up enough courage to attempt cornering the market. The immunity from manipulation has been purchased at the price of a good deal of worry and temporary disturbance of values, but it was cheap; and the country has had the satisfaction of knowing that the cornerers were the chief losers, and that in a week or two the market will again reach its normal condition.

It is the fashion to condemn grain corners as injurious to the business interests of the country, but the facts scarcely bear out this view. The first and inevitable result of a corner is to advance prices and stimulate the marketing of products, and the country, having grain to sell rather than to buy, profits by the manipulation. The country always takes advantage of the artificial prices created by corners to market what product it has on hand, and it would be a good thing for the farmers if there were a corner each year.

Contrary to the general impression, corners are generally disastrous. The first corner was in 1867, when H. D. Hutchinson, "Old Hutch," made a shortage of the fact that there was only a million bushels in store, and forced the price up from $2.10 to $2.85. Then he sold out, and prices came down 90 cents in a day. In 1872 John B. Lyon tried to corner wheat, forced the price to $1.50, was then unable to put up more margins, and in the afternoon 25 cents in half an hour, and 20 cents the next day. In 1874 Jack Sturges and B. F. Allen ran a corn corner which bankrupted them both and closed the doors of the Corn Exchange bank. Jim Keene and his associates managed to make a success of one corner, but in attempting a second lost upwards of $5,000,000. P. D. Armour, Peter McGeoch and other Milwaukee men have carried several successful deals, which were shrewd manipulations rather than corners. Truman B. Handy, of Cincinnati, and his associates made a couple of millions out of a corner in 1881, but Handy broke himself in a subsequent deal. Armour was not in this corner, but managed to make a nice little pot of money out of it. As soon as he had sized up the operation he went out on the line of his railroad, the St. Paul, and bought up several million bushels of wheat. This he was ready to throw into the market at the moment most inopportune for the clique, and the conspirators were forced to call upon the great speculator and make terms. He was not hard on them.

Corners are not so easily manipulated as they were years ago. There is a great deal of idle money in the country, and the number of wealthy speculators is very large. A clique to control and boom prices now soon finds itself met by a bear clique which is its equal and always sure to prove more powerful. The most this clique was able to accomplish, with all its millions, was to advance wheat from 80½ in April to 96½ in June, an advance quite insignificant compared with some of the booms secured years ago on one-tenth the capital. It is freely predicted in Chicago that the end of "cornering" has been reached in this, the world's chief grain market.

WALTER WELLMAN.

Octoroons in New Orleans.

A correspondent of the public paper, writing from New Orleans, says:

History cannot fix the date when an octoroon population began to form here; the answer of the oldest authority is: "They were always here." Octoroons, or at any rate quadroons, came in with the first Spaniards, and still more with the French; when the province was received from France by Jefferson's appointees they were numerous enough to have churches and society of their own; and in 1814-15 they organized a battalion to fight in defense of the city. A little later many of them found slaves and left themselves identified with the Southern cause, so much so that they actually organized to "resist the Yankees." Emancipation rapidly wrought a peculiar change; every colored countryman who acquired wealth seemed to want a octoroon wife, and that class known as placees disappeared. The regular "octoroon ball" of the olden times has not been an institution for many years; and to revive it for the amusement of the "visiting statesmen" in 1876 the promoters had to search the city pretty thoroughly. The mixed-ness of New Orleans form a good class of citizens. They have as many wealthy men as the average white population of the west, and their progress in education has been surprisingly rapid since the war. One college in the city has 800 colored pupils, including the children of well to do planters and officials from the British West Indies; and in all the parishes where the mixed-ness are numerous their schools are in a flourishing condition.

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Not Dying Out.

Croquet is not dying out. One firm sends out 30,000 sets every year. The balls are made by a machine which converts them from a rough stick four feet long in ten minutes.

WHAT SHALL WE WEAR?

STYLISH AND CONVENIENT WRAPS FOR TRAVELERS.

How Misses, Young Ladies, Matrons and Elderly Ladies Dress Their Hair—Picturesque Hats Designed for Country Wear and Costume Notes.

The season of garden fetes is at hand, and fashion hints are consequently in order. The hats here given represent three striking models, which, while differing in style, are equally fashionable. Very quaint and becoming is the mushroom brim, delicately shirred and trimmed with ruchings.

HATS FOR GARDEN FETES.

The wide brimmed straw hat, decorated at the front with large full loops of picot edged ribbon, is a very popular shape, and one that is perhaps not more so than the remaining one, a Tuscan straw trimmed with ribbon, flowers and foliage.

Fashionable Hair Dressing.

The hair is generally worn only a medium high in a round, soft coil, or braided round and round. Very young ladies wear a very small Grecian bend, which is a coaxing out from the head; but this is a severe style, and is becoming only to well shaped heads; the larger round braided coil close to the head is more generally becoming, and is used by young and elderly women. The French twist is less fashionable than formerly; instead, the back hair is waved across and carried up easily—not too tightly—from the nape of the neck to the coil. The straight bang is convenient in warm weather, and will be worn again quite short, not covering more than half the forehead, as all dressing for the front hair now leaves more of the forehead than formerly. The pointed or curved Russian bang is still popular. The newest fancy is to brush the short front hair up from the forehead, curving it slightly and letting it rest against the long hair back, which is puffed upward slightly, but without a roll or cushion underneath, and is drawn back to the coil without parting. Elderly ladies wear soft chatelaine braids in two loops that are both high and low without being extreme in either. Children are again wearing their hair short, shingled closely, and with a small bang just in front, not beginning far back on the top of the head. *Harper's Bazar.*

Convenient Wraps for Travelers.

A convenient traveling wrap, by which is meant one that is easily put off and on, that protects the dress under it from dust and dirt, and at the same time does not soil readily, is in demand at this season of the year. Whether one journeys by steamer or rail such a wrap is a necessity. Ladies, as a rule, desire that this practical garment shall not only prove comfortable and convenient, but be attractive in appearance, and to these the two models shown in our cut will prove welcome.

TRAVELING WRAPS.

The model illustrating a long traveling cloak of light gray cheviot, and designed for Fashion's Bazar, is trimmed with bands of black and white checked wool. A band of the plaid is set along the edges of the fronts, and on each side of the skirt of the back, and a plaid pleating is inserted in the back of the collar and cuffs are plaid. The manner in which the sleeves and front of the garment are finished is shown in the cut.

The remaining wrap, which is one of the season's patterns, illustrates a long duster or cloak with a hood and cape, and furnishes an equally attractive garment with the first one described, while differing from it widely in style and finish. The soft cloth has been with this wrap is an English walking shape, popular for traveling, boating and the like.

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WEST INDIAN SEAS.

From the Bahama Islands to Hole in the Wall.

[Special Correspondence.]

HAVANA, June 15.—While one out of a hardy clime may soon tire of ravishing scenes of tropical luxuriance, it was with something like a pang of regret that I was so soon compelled to leave countless scenes and incidents which gave promise of rare interest in daily ance and research.

We set our course to the northwest from Nassau, and in one balmy night, through which the stars glowed and the zephyr like winds brought from near shores innumerable suggestions and hints of perennial fullness, narcotic odors of passion hearted flowers, *orange groves and ripening pines*, we came with the tender dawn again in sight of the famous "Hole in the Wall," and found we had been sailing over an area through a vast field of gulf weed, which, completely covering the water as far as sight could discern, at first sight brought with a rush the memory of a vast field of ripened barley, when that year and I so well knew when we were boys upon the farm.

This floating gulf mud is one of the most interesting forms of marine life you meet with in those latitudes. It is a different species from that found along the rocks and beaches of our American shores. After crossing that inscrutable sea, Sahery, the gulf stream, and reaching the "horse latitudes," its appearance is quite frequent, and you will see it floating about here and there like numberless colored mantles drifting upon the water. On a nearer approach to the Bahamas it is oftener seen mat in wider reaches of drifts, and here you will come upon it in great patches, from rods to miles in length and width, while countless sea fowl hover above it, circle about it and rest and plume their wings or feed upon it. It said to be always found in vast mats between the Bahamas and Bermudas, and this gulf weed, or mistletoe of the ocean, as all other things of the sea, has its legend, which is that its origin was to mark the location of a lost continent which, upon a time, in an instant here sank into the fathomless depths below.

But we were soon abreast of Hole in the Wall, and entering the narrow channel between Abaco Island and Great Stirrup Key which forms the single entrance to a passage across the famous Bahama Banks to the West Indies. For two weeks every calculation had had for its terminal point this spot.

In fact, Hole in the Wall began and ended every labored figuring, every senseless confab, every methagrarian yarn. I had come to imagine it some yawning vortex, through which we might possibly be fated togo whirling and tumbling down to some rare and wonderous tropic sea, where all sorts of queer things would be experienced. In all honesty, I had rather stranded reaching this briny wonder. But there stood the captain, now that his eyes beheld it, with a look of triumph in his face.

"Damme, I we ain't there!" he remarked, with a wave of his two skinny arms.

"Ay, ay, sir; here she be, sir!" echoed the first mate, in a stupid sham of victory in his beady little eyes.

"Jess the same tough ol' nut, sir!" piped the second mate.

The mate at the wheel yanked another "chaw" of tobacco, and allowed we war there.

It was pleasant to be assured of it, but I ventured to inquire just where this wonderful Hole in the Wall might be. The captain blurted out: "—!" The first mate did the same. So did the second mate. The captain was going to leave me in just the awful state of ignorance he found me wallowing at that very moment. So were the two mates. But he turned back. The mates also returned. I feared they would weep over the matter right there. But the captain partially overcame his piteous contempt. So did the mates.

"Why, Satanas, don't ye spirit over there!—have ye got eyes!—wher that hole is. That's it. That hole us'ed to be a round hole, with rocks as big as mountings on top. It was a pirit fantasie. Mowin 1,400 year ago, I ch-wed up right ther—lured on the rocks by pirits!"

"By pirits!" echoed the two mates, dreamily.

"Sh—what's ye pirits?" I calmly inquired, probing a little for facts.

"Yes; by pirits!" repeated our captain, with a glare of scorn for my query, thus gaining time to splice his yarn improved. "The hole pirits got too swelled up for anything, an' was laid flat one day by some genuwine millionaire pirits, the days we had genuwine sailors. I'm shootin'! 'n' they made a landin', clomb the rocks, shooted on top where the pirit had his fastnis, an' wax jess helpin themselves to shed loads of plunder when the pirits rebell off a mile he had an' 'n' blowed the top of 'nair hole, 'n' every dodrotted sailor higher'n a frig'n mast sky'd!"

"And we sailed by and by, all by the hole and the boys up with, captain?" I asked respectfully.

"Oh, ——!" he snorted, striking down the companionway.

"Oh, ——!" echoed the two mates, as they followed after.

The fact is I was not perfectly harrowed up that morning. Old eats are killed quickest by bandillators, when the cook's trembles at their murderous yarns, and I was getting a little tired of it all; so was glad forward to the Bahamas, and the sailors there were not too proud to talk to me, benighted as I was.

And so I learned that this notorious haggop, Hole in the Wall, was simply a bold promontory jutting out into the sea at the southeastern point of Abaco Island, with broken ledges at its feet, and in front of it a tall, almost perpendicular ledge of rocks which, centuries before, had joined the main land, and perhaps had shown a gigantic arch where the mighty sea had eaten through. Because this might have been, some lively minded hydrographer had set it down in the charts as Hole in the Wall; and because every vessel making Cuba across the Banks is compelled to round the headland through the narrow passage between it and Great Stirrup Key, the innumerable vessels which have, in the years, plotted it welcomingly out of stormy cruises to the north and left it heavenly behind to stay passed into the traditions of the sailors, and thus has made its name and fame become a part of every old sailor lounge of romance and lying, legend and love. The association of certain impressions with certain facts always colors the perspective of memory, sometimes making very queer history; and I shall never recall this picture of solemn headland without seeing the bold yellow and the bloody "pirit"—the former streaking the lambent air with their miserable particles and plunder, "Higher than a frig's main skyal," and the latter waving his glowing fuse in a fiendish glee of victory. EDGAR L. WAKEMAN.

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JOTTINGS.

—We ain't saying much, but do you catch on to our telegrams.

—For white lawn suits or light-weight jersey jackets, see Bee Hive adv.

—The meetings of the young People's Association of the First Baptist church will be discontinued during July and August.

—Men were engaged to-day repairing the damage to the cupola of St. Mary's church which was damaged by lightning in a recent thunder storm.

—Mrs. John Deady called on us yesterday afternoon and stated that her child that died Monday morning had been sick from its birth, and that it did not die from want of care as reported. She further states that she did not desert her child but went on a week's visit to Asbury Park with her husband's consent.

—The hay crop in Union county is reported to be unusually heavy. The wet weather, several weeks ago, gave it an excellent start, and the last week of June, which is the great haymaking week was what is known as "curing weather." The drop of rain fell, and the farmers cut and dried their grass without interruption. The man who didn't get his hay gathered in was either seriously hindered or he wasn't much of a farmer.

—At a meeting of the Rahway Common Council held Tuesday evening, a lengthy debate arose on a scheme to meet the interest on the water bonds. Councilman Durie thought that the city should pay an annual water tax of $25 per hydrant. The proposition was desperately fought by Councilman Denike, the chairman of the Finance Committee and after a debate lasting an hour was defeated by a vote of six to five. The six voting aye then left the chamber and the meeting adjourned without adopting the tax ordinance as a whole. The defeating of the scheme gives general dissatisfaction, as it would have settled long ago the trouble over the water.

—The law relating to the shooting of woodcock, reads that the bird may be shot "between" July 1st, and a subsequent date. A man shot woodcock on July 1st, and was arrested, as we have already published. He was considered to have violated the law, because he did not wait until after that date. The law does not include July 1st, it appears. The probable intent was to include all the month, but the act was evidently drawn by some novice, or careless legislator, and to illustrate more trouble to other persons who have no intention of wrong doing. In its present shape it is misleading to the average reader.

—James Hallenbeck was arrested at Somerville on Saturday by Constable Smith for being implicated with Frank Hallenbeck, his brother, in selling empty beer bottles. Frank pleaded guilty and implicated several others with him, and exonerated his brother from being connected with the matter, and James was discharged as no evidence could be produced against him. Frank was fined $25 for selling bottles not marked belonging to a dealer named Norris. Before he paid the fine charges had been preferred against him where the bottles were marked "not to be sold," and these cases will come up for hearing before the Grand Jury. He was held in $250 bail on each charge.

—At the meeting of the Middlesex County Board of Freeholders at New Brunswick yesterday a communication was received from John Thompson, of Woodbridge, who claimed that through the negligence of the Freeholders' Bridge Committee of Woodbridge, in not repairing the abutments of a bridge at that place he had had his youngest child by drowning. The petitioner served notice the board should immediately investigate the facts and impartially consider the responsibility. A committee was appointed to that end. It is mooted in Woodbridge that Mr. Thompson has a good case for damages against the Middlesex Freeholders, and that he intends to push the case in the civil courts.

Can a Minor Hold Real Estate.

The Rahway Census replied as follows to a query recently put to that office:

Can you tell me if a minor can hold real estate. My son is 19, has some money and wants to buy a lot and build a cottage. Can he legally hold the property? W.

Minors, or as they are termed in law, infants, are capable of taking by devise, bequest, purchase or gift any property whether real or personal, and holding it in the same manner as if they were of full age. While infancy is termed a disability it is in effect a privelege, about the only disability being want of power to make a will, which is regulated by statute.) All contracts made may be enforced by the infant against the contracting party, but not by such party against the infant. With the exception of the delegation of authority to others to act for them, nearly all acts of infants are voidable and not void. They may buy and sell and make contracts, and upon their arrival at majority affirm or disaffirm at pleasure.

There are some exceptions to the rule relieving infants from their contracts. An infant cannot plead infancy upon breach of contract of marriage, nor in an action to recover for necessaries.

At common law infants may hold office and their acts in an official capacity are binding. But infants are debarred by statute from the holding of such offices, so that questions as to their official actions seldom arise.

W. C. T. U. Convention.

The State Women's Christian Temperance Union of New Jersey will hold, their annual convention at Ocean Grove, commencing this morning at 10 o'clock. The services will open with devotional exercises led by Mrs. M. R. Brennan of Newark. Mrs. S. J. C. Downs, the president of the State Union, made the opening address. Addresses will also be made by other ladies prominent in temperance work. The session will last two days, and will be largely attended by temperance workers from all parts of the State. Among those in attendance from this city are Mrs. Dr. Tomlinson, who will read a paper on "Parlor Meetings," and Mr. and Mrs. Aron M. Powell; the latter will read a paper on "Social Purity."

HE LOST HIS BOOTS.

How a West Third Street Politician Celebrated the Fourth.

Stories concerning the celebration of the national holiday may be a little antiquated just now, but a story that points a moral is never out of place. This is always lots of fun for good old "Pro Bono Publico," and nothing tickles that fossil more than to thrust upon newspapers productions from his pen that should either have been written weeks before or—not written at all. But he is good natured in his way and believes in telling facts just as he finds them.

Listen to what he says.

A politician who claims a residence on West Third street wanted to celebrate the Fourth in a good old-fashioned style, and to make sure that he would be on time to see the whole performance, he made the start on Saturday evening. He wanted fun, and he had it. The fun which he was looking for mig ht not, be desirable to every one, but it would be a very slow man indeed who would'nt allow some one else to select a hilarious time for him, particularly on the Fourth of July. The W. T. S. P. started with some friends, or rather some friends started with him, because politicians who enjoy the hospitality of friends are very rare indeed. Twelve o'clock p. m. found our friend hunting for his residence on the western part of Third street, and fearing lest his neighbors should misunderstand his condition and intimate that he had been drinking, he whistled and sang songs and occasionally uttered a shout to keep his spirits up, and the neighbors' suspicions down. The exact minute of his arrival on the front plazza is not chronicled by the dispondent, the only accessible record shows that he "got there," and after quietly removing his boots reposed himself upon the soft side of the board floor, and await the faint streaks of the morn ing dawn and the tinkling of the milkman's bell, when the hired girl would arise and he could slip up the back stairs without disturbing the sharer of his domestic felicity.

At two o'clock a policeman on Park avenue was aroused by a noise that occasionally resembled the tearing of heavy cloth, and after skirmishing around for a few hours the cause was located at the residence of our above mentioned friend on West Third street. He was asleep, and he snored, but the snore savored not of sola water and "a very little cream, if you please," to the policeman's comprehended the situation with "an eagle glance," and adjusting a pair of handcuffs to our friend's boots he toted them off to the station house. "Pro Bono" affirms that the mistake was not discovered until the cell was reached, but there are some who doubt this theory. But the policeman gave the politician the benefit of the doubt when he declares that he does not believe any complaint was entered by the hired girl against the pair of boots. But the man of brass buttons and stern demeanor is said to be still looking for the man who wears boots of a given number, while the owner of the boots feels like offering a reward for the return of the above mentioned coverings for his pedal extremities. He declares they were stolen—to his immediate family — while his "confidential friend" is in possession of facts which lead them to believe that he is not quite sure what became of them.

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Mayor Male's suggestion is accepted as a timely one, and it is believed that it will receive the careful and prompt consideration that it deserves.

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A Plainfield Assessor in 1820.

Daniel W. Ayers arrived in Plainfield Saturday and went to the home of William C. Ayers, on West Second street. Daniel and William are brothers. Daniel is seventy-two years old. He left Plainfield forty years ago, and is now a resident of Talbot county, Md. He visited Plainfield four years ago, and has a fondness for the "Queen City of New Jersey" the home of his youth. James C. Ayers on Second street is another brother. James is eighty-seven years old, and William C. is seventy-nine. Their combined ages is 237 years. The old gentlemen propose to have a good time together.

Daniel was a constable in Plainfield in 1837, and tells some interesting stories of the old fashioned way of holding elections here. The man who was first elected constable in 1837 refused to serve. The Whigs urged Mr. Ayers to accept a nomination, and a second election was held. His opponent was Daniel Bullman, a merchant on Front street since dead. Westfield was then the most important town in this section and the elections were held one year at Westfield the next at Scotch Plains, and the next at Plainfield. The election referred to was held at Scotch Plains. It was the custom for all the voters to assemble together, and appoint one of their number moderator and another a clerk. At this election, Col. Stansbury of Scotch Plains was chosen the moderator, and the clerk was Jonathan Osborn of Scotch Plains, afterwards sheriff of Essex county, which then included Union county. Old Col. Stansbury had been a moderator so many years, some twenty or thirty, that he could nearly always guess to a man the number for each side.

On this occasion moderator Stansbury got upon a wagon in the roadway, and a board fence on the other side of the road, and the milkman's bell, when the hired girl would arise and he could slip up the back stairs without disturbing the sharer of his domestic felicity.

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LATEST DISPATCHES.

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Thermometer Record.

The following is the record of the thermometer for this day and for the corresponding date of last year, as kept at Stelle's drug store, corner of Front street and Park avenue.

	1887	1886		
6 a. m.	72	66	Sun rises	4 35
9 a. m.	76	75	Sun sets	7 34
12 m.	85	85	Moon rises	8 34
4 p. m.	90	90	Moon sets	

Weather Indications.

For Friday, in New Jersey, eastern New York, eastern Pennsylvania, and in New England, slightly warmer, fair weather.

Two Boys Drowned.

PROVIDENCE, July 7.—This morning Adam Deiard, eight years old, and Joseph Eravlin, nine years old, were drowned while bathing here. Neither could swim.

A Pretty Woman's Game.

WASHINGTON, D. C., July 7.—Mrs Carvell a pretty woman aged 22, and William Coombs were arrested to-day for playing the confidence game on unsuspecting visitors.

To-Day's Ocean Race.

SANDY HOOK, July 7.—The wind was westsouth-west and blowing nine miles an hour, and the yachts Titania and Shamrock were seen in low passing out at half-past nine this morning. The atmosphere was very hazy.

Their Last Game.

NELSONVILLE, O., July 7.—Two boys, named Lewis Anderson and Herman Fiddler, aged respectively thirteen and fourteen years old, were found dead this morning under a furnace, where they had, while playing hide-and-go-seek, gone to hide and were suffocated by gas.

Prince Ferdinand, of Saxe-Coburg-Gotha, Elected to the Throne.

TERNOVA, July 7.—The Sobranje has elected Prince Ferdinand, of Saxe-Coburg-Gotha, to succeed to the Bulgarian throne. The selection causes the greatest enthusiasm.

A Married Man's Suicide.

BROOKLYN, July 7.—William H. Clark, a married man, separated from his wife at his mother-in-law's, 111 Lewis street, yesterday morning. He called to see her twice yesterday afternoon and again this morning, but did not succeed. After waiting about the locality for about an hour for her to come out, he shot himself dead. It is supposed he intended to murder her.

A New Invention.

WASHINGTON, D. C., July 7.—A typesetting machine, to do the work of ten average compositors, is the latest sensation in newspaper offices here. A company has been organized, and fifty new machines now ready are to be put within two weeks, in New York, Philadelphia, Baltimore, Washington, Cincinnati, Chicago and other leading cities. The company propose to make offers to publishers to do their type-setting, the publishers to do their own presswork.

Mr. Blaine's Autograph.

CHICAGO, July 7.—A London cable to the NEWS says: "Mr. Blaine met with an extraordinary surprise at the American Exchange this morning. News of his coming had been sent by an irrepressible way to a feminine colony of autograph hunters, who, upon his arrival, besieged the staircase en masse. Mr. Blaine did be felt any displeasure at the state of affairs, managed to conceal it, and scratched his name in the books of the fair petitioners.

The Penalty of an Awful Crime.

JOLIET, Ill., July 7.—Christine Gustafsen, the pretty Swede, who strangled her illegitimate babe, has been sentenced to ten years imprisonment. The details of the girl's crime are most revolting. She was engaged to a young farmer named Peter Johnson from Sweden, having with him the child, then nearly three years old. She strangled the child and hid the body under the barn, where it was subsequently found by her brother, who had caused a search for it to be made.

Shot by the Sheriff.

SIOUX CITY, Ia., July 7.—Walter Ross, a deaf mute, was fatally shot to-day by Sheriff Brown of Union County, while driving away with a team and wagon which he had stolen from Ales Dodd. He had driven thirty miles when his pursuers came up with him and the stolen horse became exhausted. He showed fight, but fell after receiving three shots from the sheriff's revolver. He was undoubtedly crazy.

Cattle Disease in Nebraska.

LINCOLN, Neb., July 7.—Texas fever has broken out among several herds of cattle here. Over one hundred head in one county alone, and hundreds are in a sick or drooping condition. All the roads and pastures where the cattle have grazed have been quarantined. Mr. Holmes, a prominent stock dealer, charges the smuggling into the State of one thousand diseased cattle from Texas.

Murdering by Wholesale.

PORTLAND, Ore., July 7.—A number of Chinese mining camps scattered along the Oregon side of Snake river, and about forty to fifty miles above Lewiston have been raided, and from the number of mutilated bodies of Celestials floating down the river, it is believed that the Celestials have all been murdered. It is considered the work of white men, who rob the Chinamen of their money. Sheriffs and detectives from Lewiston have sent up stools to investigate, and the Chinese consul at San Francisco has also gathered further information. Gen. Powell is being strongly urged by Idaho papers to offer rewards for the capture of the perpetrators.

A FLAMING FORTRESS.

The Gibraltar of America Gutted by Fire.

QUEBEC, July 7.—At midnight fire broke out in the cavalry stables on the northeast corner of the Citadel and all the horses, to the number of about twenty-six, were either burned or suffocated. The fire from this point spread to the western portion of the frontage and speedily made its way toward the entrance, destroying in its course ammunition wagons, guns, the great field forge built for such campaigns as the Northwest, and immeasurable stores were entirely consumed. The fire then made its way across the main entrance and is now burning to the western extremity of the block. A number of bombs are exploding and the worst fears are entertained. Many thousand citizens are leaving the city thinking the magazines are sure to go. Lt. A. P. Caron, Minister of Militia, who was in the city, was speedily on the spot, and rendered the most valuable aid to officers and men in their heroic efforts to subdue the fire.

At 4 o'clock a. m. the fire was under control and the panic stricken citizens who had fled from their homes began to return, $150,000 will not repair the damage to the citadel.

In Connection with the Reports of Tuberculosis in New Jersey.

TRENTON, N. J., July 7.—Dr. E. M. Hunt, secretary of the state board of health, stated to a reporter that the alarm evinced in Philadelphia and elsewhere over tuberculosis in cattle in southern New Jersey is without sufficient foundation. The secretary, who is an expert in the knowledge of the disease, thinks that the report made by Veterinary Surgeon Miller, which started the scare, was exaggerated. There have always been some cases of tuberculosis in the state, but now more cases have been discovered in this state than in the country generally. It has never been proved that the disease can be communicated to human beings by the consumption or drinking the milk of affected cattle. Creighton, in England, and some other noted authorities assert the identity of human and bovine tuberculosis, but many others hold this view doubt the communicability of the disease. Virchow denies even the identity of the disease in animals and man.

Dr. Hunt authorized the statement that the New Jersey herds were never in better condition than at present, and that they will compare favorably with those of other states.

PERSONAL.

Mr. H. B. Nichols and family have left town for the Summer.

Harry Brokaw of Dover street is spending several weeks with friends at Troy, N. Y.

George Schenkel, the Librarian at the Y. M. C. A. rooms, has returned from his trip to Pennsylvania.

The family of Asa Collier, the Park avenue jeweler, are stopping at Soaring's Hotel over the mountain.

Mr. D. A. Lowitz and family, of West Sixth street, are stopping at the Surf Avenue House, Ocean Grove.

Will Moffett, the genteel son of Assistant County Collector Moffett, has secured a lucrative position on the Pullman road.

John M. Crane's family of LaGrande avenue are summering on the banks of the Hudson river, near the Peekskills.

Col. A. S. TenEyck, says the Somerville Messenger, has sold 300,000 bricks to be used in the construction of the new tool factory at Plainfield.

Miss Fannie Hall of Union avenue, has returned home from Avalon Hall school, Poughkeepsie, where she has been a student for many years.

On Friday last the household of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Hooley was made happy by the appearance of a young daughter. Both mother and child are doing well.

Ex-City Judge Snyder and family went to As ury Park yesterday. They are guests at the Metropolitan House. The judge is much improved in health and is trying the sea air for a change.

John S. Voorhees, of New Brunswick, has been appointed by Dairy Commissioner William K. Newton, to prosecute the interests of the State in the counties of Monmouth, Middlesex and Somerset.

Mrs. S. B. Newhall, of Seventh street, who for the past two weeks has been staying at Nauneypashemet, Mass., starts to-day for Concord, N. H. She will make a short visit there before returning to Plainfield.

Charles J., infant son of Silas J., and Charlotta D. Pierson, died at their brick, on evening at the parents' residence on North avenue. The child was four months old. Funeral services on Friday at 2 p. m.

Messrs. James M. Bus and A. D. Peck, Jr., passed through the city to-day enroute from Boston, Mass., to Baltimore, Md., on bicycles. They stopped at Leing's Hotel for lunch and at three o'clock again started on their long journey.

Charles L. Young and Miss Amelia Pierson were married at the residence of the bride, in Westfield, Tuesday evening. Rev. Cornelius Patton officiated. The groom is much esteemed in Plainfield as a popular grass exporter and is well known in the Produce Exchange.

Thomas Sparling, one of Plainfield's oldest residents, died at his home on Arlington avenue, this morning in the 73d year of his age. The funeral will take place on Monday next at 2:30 o'clock p. m. Interment at Greenwood Cemetery.

Margaret, the three year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Kelleher, of Manning avenue, died yesterday afternoon after a short illness of cholera infantum. The funeral took place this afternoon from the residence of her parents. Interment was made in St. Mary's cemetery.

Muzzle the Dogs.

War is declared upon the unmuzzled and vagrant canines Yesterday those citizens about to leave for the Summer. Owners of dogs who wish to save their pets from the destructive shot gun, will do well to lay in a supply of muzzles of the most approved pattern at once. It is mildly suggested that this is a good time for the proprietors of those dogs to cut off their pet's tails just behind the ears. Dogs so mutilated will be spared much suffering during the hot summer days, and their owners will be spared the dog tax.

NOTICE—The Plainfield Gas Light Co. would call attention of the Gas Consumers in this city to the marked improvements recently made in the construction of gas stoves for heating and cooking.

The SUPERIORITY of this Gas Stove for roasting, baking and broiling has been demonstrated in the cooking schools of New York, and requires unquestioned.

We invite inspection of these stoves at our office corner of Fourth and Washington Sts.

Persons desiring to test the capacity of the stoves can bring articles to be cooked, and gas will be furnished for such tests FREE OF CHARGE.

SPECIAL RATES will be made for gas used for cooking so that the cost will compare favorably with the use of coal. The stoves will be offered to our consumers AT COST, or can be rented at moderate rates. PLAINFIELD GAS LIGHT COMPANY.

Cent-a-Word-Column.

BOARDERS wanted at Mrs. Smith 73 E. Second street. 5-8

FOR SALE—Full leather top, side bar, two seated phaeton, in perfect order, set single harness, cheap. A. White, Furnace avenue and Park place. P. O. Box 1428. 6-2.

FOR SALE—Eight acres of land on Somerset street, known as wooden's Grove. Apply to Peter Wooden, or to law office Shydam & Stillman. 5-6

FOR SALE—Double bedstead, spring and Mattress, $8. Perfectly clean. Thirty five Somerset street. 5-8

FOR SALE—Two buggies, one extension top phaeton, one open runabout, and one double harness. Enquire at McDonald's livery and sale stable, W. Sixth street. 5-3

FURNISHED ROOMS to let, or without board, at No. 21 West Second street. 5-2tf

MONEY to loan on first mortgage on real estate in sums of $500 to $5000. Apply to Jackson & Codington. 29-tf

MONEY to loan on first mortgage. Box 1291. 5-4tf

PASTURE for horses. Enquire of D. Isaac, Netherwood. 5-1tf

WANTED—A young girl for upstairs work and to make herself generally useful. 10 East Fifth street. 7-1.

WANTED—A trimmer and a porter in a wholesale clothing house. None need apply without understanding the business. 200 Broadway, New York. 6-2.

WANTED—A respectable girl for general housework. Apply to corner of Washington avenue and Prospect place, North Plainfield. J. P. Emmons. 7-5-tf.

WANTED—Useful man that understands the care of horses, cows and garden. A. W. Haviland, Rockview avenue. 29-tf

50,000 celery plants. Henderson's half dwarf and white plume, also late cabbage and cauliflower plants in variety at Denton's, Halsted street. 29-tf

MRS. WARD has removed her intelligence office from Cottage place to the corner of Richmond and Sixth streets. She can supply ladies with girls willing to go to the city or country.

EXCURSION

of the

M. E. Sunday School

to

ASBURY PARK

and

OCEAN GROVE

Friday, July 15,

There will be several hours for Bathing and other Seaside Pleasures.

Tickets $1.25.

RECEIVER'S AUCTION SALE OF FURNITURE.

The subscriber will sell at Public Auction, at the Furniture Warerooms of Frank C. Green, No. 18 Second street and Park avenue, Plainfield, on

Wednesday, July 13,

At 9 o'clock a. m., the remaining stock of Furniture in said warerooms, consisting of Parlor suits in embroidery, repp, and tapestry; Lounges, Sofas, Rockers, Bureaus, Chiffoniers, Wash and Extension Tables, Bedsteads, Mattresses, Spring Beds, Feather Beds, Pillows, Bolsters, Carpets, Oil Cloths, Mirrors, Pictures, Crockery, Glassware, Cutlery, Lamps, Stoves, Ranges, Refrigerators, Kitchen Furniture, Tinware, Woodenware, Hammocks, Baby Carriages, Clocks, Bric-a-brac, Cornices, Curtains, Shades, Fixtures, Bedding, Blankets, Comforts, Sheets, Pillow Cases, Towels, Table Linen, Oil Paintings, Chromos, Engravings, Etchings, Frames, Easels, Mouldings, Picture Cord, Tacks, Nails, Screws, Hooks, Eyes, Hinges, Locks, Latches, Bolts, Knobs, Pulleys, Sash Cord, Sash Weights, Sash Locks, Sash Lifts, Sash Balances, Sash Fasteners, Sash Supports, Sash

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A PRIEST IN PRISON.

The Rev. Francis Dent Begins His Seven Months' Term.

BUFFALO, July 7.—The Rev. Father Francis Dent, who was convicted of criminal libel at Little Valley on Saturday and sentenced to seven months' imprisonment, was assigned to cell 324 in the Erie county penitentiary yesterday, and next week will be ordered to work in the convict school. Father Dent was charged with publishing a libel in a circular, in which he accused Father Haupert, another priest, of wronging one Maggie Bauer and then murdering her. The trial lasted all the week, and Father Haupert was on the stand three hours. His denial of the charges made in the circular and all knowledge of the woman with whom the anonymous letters had charged him with criminal conduct. Bishop Ryan, of Buffalo, was on the stand two hours. He has been active in the prosecution. Dent's irregularities resulted in his being deposed from the priest's office, and the libels were his form of revenge. He is a scholar, a linguist of no ordinary ability, is gifted with rare intellectual powers and is an agreeable talker.

Legislating Against the "Corner."

NEW YORK, July 7.—The grain committee of the Produce Exchange have adopted an important addition to the rules. It requires on sales for future delivery of grain, on all contracts. Heretofore the basis of delivery has been No. 2 red. The change will make it very different to corner wheat, as in case there is any No. 2 red, or any deliveries of No. 1 hard can be made indeed and as the crop of the latter amounts to 90,000,000 or 100,000,000 bushels annually the task of cornering it would be a truly arduous one. The average price of No. 1 hard is two or three cents a bushel above that of No. 2 red, but the saving would be to dollars and cents well worth to avoid the differences if they thereby avoid being pinched by a corner.

The Founder of Milwaukee.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., July 7.—A colossal statue of Solomon Juneau, the founder of Milwaukee, was unveiled to-day by W. H. Metcalf and C. T. Bradley, two prominent citizens, was done in diamond park yesterday afternoon in the presence of Miss Kate White, a granddaughter of Juneau. The statue and pedestal are thirty-one feet high the statue being fourteen feet in height. The order of the day was E. D. Holton, and the statue was accepted on behalf of the city by Mayor Walber. Addresses were also made by other prominent citizens. Dr. M. Girvin occupied a seat on the platform reserved for old settlers and speakers.

The "Boys in Blue" Paid the Bill.

PHILADELPHIA, July 7.—The expenses incurred at Gettysburg by Mrs. Pickett and her son in attending the reunion of Pickett's division were paid by the Philadelphia brigade. It has been definitely by the "Boys in Blue." As soon as it was learned that Pickett's widow had voted to settle the bill W. S. Stoddard, of the Seventy-first Pennsylvania, comments says that the members of the brigade at once notified the division that Mrs. Pickett and her son were considered the guests of the Philadelphia brigade, and desired as a special honor to act as host to the lady whose presence on the battlefield added so much to the pleasure of the reception.

Damaged by Wind and Rain.

EASTON, Pa., July 7.—The high wind and rain-storm which prevailed in this vicinity Tuesday did much damage to buildings, roofs and trees, and caused delay on the railroads by washouts.

WILMINGTON, Del., July 7.—Tuesday's heavy rain caused the Brandywine creek to overflow its banks early yesterday morning. The market house bridge was carried away, and about 300 feet of the Bangor and Portland railroad track was washed out at Eleanora station. Edelman's quarry was submerged, and it will take six months to pump it. The United States quarry at Pea Arg'l was also filled with water.

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TRADE BULLETIN.

New York Money and Produce Market Quotations.

NEW YORK, July 6.—Money closed at 1 per cent. the lowest rate of the day. The rate of interest is 1 per cent., exchange closed steady, posted rates, 4.85@4.86½; actual rates, 4.80@4.85½ for sixty days and 4.85@4.86½ for demand. The commissioners closed as follows: Union Isis, regular, do land grants, 108@108, do sinking funds, 119@ 119; Central, 104@104.

The stock market this morning was moderately active, while the tone was heavy. The opening figures were from ½ to ¾ per cent. lower in nearly all the stocks. Michigan Central was exceptionally heavy, declining 1 per cent. The market became weak again after midday, but there went steadily lower up to 1:30 o'clock. After that time there was a slight recovery, but the primary feeling and a sharp rally resulted. The closing prices were generally ½ to ¾ per cent. lower than the last previous. The weakness of the market was mainly attributable to rails by the bears.

General Markets.

NEW YORK, July 6.—FLOUR—Closed quiet but steady at unchanged to 10c. lower; winter extra, $2.95@3.60; Minnesota do, $4.15@4.60; city do extra, $4.10@4.50. WHEAT—Spot, $1.08@ $1.08½. Southern flour closed steady, common to good, $3.00@4.50.

WHEAT—Options were only moderately active and irregular, and closed weak and ½@¾c lower. Sales, 2,000,000 bushels, including: Spot sales of No. 1 red state at 90c., No. 2 do., No. 2 red winter, 89c., No. 3 do., 88½c., and no grade at 87½c. No. 1 white, 90c., No. 2 winter white, do., Aug., 84½c. bid; do., Sept. sold at 86c.

CORN—Options were moderately and easier closing at 1@1½c. lower. Spot lots closed 1c. lower. Spot sales of No. 2 mixed, cash, at 45¾c., and ungraded, do., elsewhere. No. 2 mixed, July, 46c.@ 46½c., closing at 46c. bid; Sept., 42c.

OATS—Options were fair and active and irregular, closing buoyant. Spot lots closed ¼@½c. higher. Spot sales of No. 2 white state at 30½c., and No. 3 do., 29½c. No. 2 mixed, do., at 30½@30¾c.; No. 3 do., 29½c.

RYE—Dull and nominal; western, 58@59c.; state, 60@61c.

BARLEY—Nominal.

PORK—Dull; $14.50@15.50 for old and new mess.

LARD—Closed dull and lower; cash, $6.90; Aug., $6.87; Sept., $6.98.

BUTTER—Dull; western, 10@19c.; state, 13@20c.

A JERSEY ELOPEMENT

WHICH GIVES FOOD FOR THE GOSSIPS OF MIDDLETOWN.

In His Excitement the Young Man in the Case Starts Off Half an Hour Ahead of Time—They Are Married, However.

MIDDLETOWN, N. J., July 7.—A highly romantic and somewhat excitement in the village has been caused by the fashionable people of its village. The story did not get out until late yesterday. The lovers were Edgar C. Taylor, a popular young man of this village, and Miss Rebecca F. Hendrickson, the eldest daughter of Evan Isaac Hendrickson, a well known field grower, and one of the wealthiest men in the community. Miss Hendrickson is 20 years old, a blonde, tall and graceful in figure, stylish in appearance, well educated, and an heiress. She was decidedly the belle of the place, and had a host of admirers. Her mother being dead, she was the mistress of her father's house as well as the pride of his heart. He only sugar is yet a school girl.

It is said that Miss Rebecca has had at least half a dozen offers of marriage. She was sought after by the most eligible young men of the community. Within six months she has rejected one young man who is reputed to be worth $60,000, notwithstanding the 9 her father and all her family constantly urged upon his acceptance, and even up to yesterday were hoping to induce her to change her mind. But her heart was already given to Mr. Taylor, and to him it forfeit was given him. Taylor is a descendant of one of the oldest families in the county. His father was at one time a very rich man, but extravagant living reduced his fortune before his death, and it has since dwindled under poor management until now the estate is a mere bagatelle. But Taylor is a young man of excellent moral character, of energy and ambition, and has set out to make a fortune for himself. Though but 23 years old he is already in business on his own account and is doing well. He is generally liked and is considered a leader in society circles. But though Miss Rebecca had him devotedly and unhesitatingly her father refused to permit him to visit the house. This opposition only intensified the love of the young couple, but found no difficulty in meeting at the numerous social gath erings of the region. As they could not be married at the bride's home with the paternal blessing, they resolved to be married in the best way they could away from home.

The arrangements were so carefully planned that only three people in the village knew anything of what was going on until it was all over. Miss Rebecca had no difficulty on Tuesday in finding an excuse for visiting Red Bank, three miles away, whither she was escorted in the morning by a mutual friend, who was in the secret. The arrangements for this friend to put her on the Pennsylvania express train which passes there at 5:45 p. m., and Taylor was to board the same train at Middletown seven minutes later, when the couple would be together for a New Brunswick, where the young man has relatives living, who were to receive them, and the ceremony was to be performed by the Rev. Dr. Polhemus. The programme was carried out all right; but the young man, in his excitement and eagerness, jumped aboard a New Jersey Central train passing Middletown half an hour ahead of the appointed time. He searched the train with a palpitating heart, and was all broken up when he failed to find his bride. A thought flashed into his mind as the train whirled along, and the young man remained oblivious to everything but his own sore disappointment. But when the train stopped at Matawan he had the sense to get off and set the telegraph in motion in search of the missing one. As that failed to bring him information or consolation, he took the next train back to Middletown and then discovered his mistake, and also learned that the lady had meantime gone on board the proper train. Then the telegraph again served them, and her natural anxiety was allayed as she sped along alone in her evening or explanatory message. She was duly received in New Brunswick by Taylor's friends, who had also been notified of the unfortunate mishap, and in the early evening he arrived there also, and again they were happy.

The ceremony was performed at the residence of an aunt of the young man, in New Brunswick, by a Dutch Reformed clergyman, and immediately afterward the young couple traveled on to Philadelphia. They will return to Middletown the last of the week, and will be received by friends of the election Tuesday. Thomas Elderken being chosen as his successor. Out of a total membership of 1,200, only sixty-four votes were cast. The split involves the accounts for the defeat of Powers. His enemies—Socialistic and personal—saw their opportunity and utilized it. Powers elected has created much dissatisfaction, the result of which, it is said, will be a split in the Seamen's assembly, or the prompt ousting of the clique who have grabbed control of the organization.

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ANOTHER CLARENDON FIRE.

The Losses by Monday's Conflagration. Insurance Adjusted by Sheldon.

CLARENDON, Pa., July 7.—Fire in the woods surrounding Clarendon was driven back over the site of the town yesterday by a change of the wind. The town and oil well rig of Patrick O'Connor, of Clarendon, took fire, and the well, rig and tanks of Beatty Brothers, of Warren, were burned, with five outfits owned by Shaffer & Anchor & Company, together with other miscellaneous oil well appliances.

A revised count of the buildings burned Monday makes the total 281. The loss overruns $400,000. The tents sent by Governor Beaver have arrived. Quantities of lumber have been sent in. The surrounding country and everybody there is under shelter. James Mahoney, the alleged incendiary, had a hearing yesterday and was held for trial under heavy bail.

The American Party.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 7.—Delegates from various portions of California met three days' session here in formulating a plan for the organization of an American party. The platform of the new party, as adopted at a mass convention, calls for the total abolitional repeal of the naturalization laws, modification of the immigration laws, so that shiftless, criminal and other undesirable classes may be excluded; prohibition of alien land holding; total separation of church and state; non-interference by any church with the American school system, and also calls for a law compelling children to attend the stations. A state central committee was organized, with Oliver Eldridge as chairman.

THE PRESIDENT'S TRIP.

He Will Visit the Grand Army Encampment at St. Louis.

ST. PAUL, July 7.—Senator Vest, of Missouri, arrived here yesterday, and is awaiting the arrival of Senator Allison, of Iowa; Don Cameron, of Pennsylvania, and Governor Hauser, of Montana, who will join him here today. The party will make a trip to Alaska, and in an interview Mr. Vest said it was not a junketing trip at the expense of the public, but a private one for pleasure. He said that a few days ago, while in Washington, he, together with Senator Cockrell, called on President Cleveland and Col. Lamont. The president said he proposed to go to St. Louis about the time of the G. A. R. encampment, whether the G. A. R. liked it or not. After leaving St. Louis the president will go to Milwaukee, thence to St. Paul and return east, stopping in Chicago. Col. Lamont will go ahead and make necessary railroad arrangements for the trip. Mr. Vest said the people in the west are indebted for this movement on the part of the president to the spirited speech of Senator Sherman at Nashville.

MORMONS CAUSE TROUBLE.

A Serious Outbreak Feared Against Exclusion from Utah.

CHARLESTON, S. C., July 7.—Serious trouble is feared on the banks of the Savannah river near Augusta, Ga. The Rev. David Burton and Elder S. O. Simpson and Joseph Murray, Mormon missionaries, have been preaching in that locality for some time. They have converted about twenty-five families of the more ignorant white settlers. The doctrine expounded is that all who do not adopt the faith of Mormonism and go to Utah before 1888 will be destroyed by fire; that no marriage is in accordance with the laws of God except those sanctioned by the Mormon church, and that no woman can attain to heavenly perfection in the future state unless married in this life. Notice to leave the locality has been served on the missionaries by the more responsible citizens, but they have refused to comply. The missionaries are backed by their converts, and declare that they will resist any attempt of the regulators to drive them from the country. The Mormons have been finally ordered to leave within forty-eight hours.

Utah's Constitutional Convention.

SALT LAKE CITY, Utah, July 7.—There was a lively debate in the Mormon constitutional convention over the anti-polygamy and the separation of church and state clauses. There was a strong opposition to them, but they were finally adopted in committee of the whole, and will pretty certainly be agreed to by the convention to-day. There is, however, no certainty that the people will ratify this part of the proposed constitution at the popular vote in August. Many anti-polygamy Mormons oppose the clauses as bitterly as some of the polygamists do. The convention has not yet completed its labors.

Accused of Robbing Postoffices.

CARLISLE, Pa., July 7.—Benjamin Johnson, a young man living near Mount Holly, has been arrested on the charge of breaking into the postoffices at York Springs, Hunter's Run and elsewhere and robbing the mails. The robberies were committed some months ago. The attention of the postmaster at Mount Holly was attracted by the young man's conduct, and Inspector Darby, of the postoffice department, came on. A number of the stolen articles and the mail lock key were found in Johnson's house.

The Opera Comique Sufferers.

PARIS, July 7.—M. Bertheleti, formerly minister of public instruction, has announced to the relief committee in aid of the sufferers by the burning of the Opera Comique, that the total amount thus far received from all sources is $136,400. The aged persons and orphans whose dependence was upon victims of the fire will receive temporary relief or annuities, as may seem necessary, and the entire fund will be disbursed or allotted and the accounts of the committee closed with the month of December.

A Bigamist Sentenced.

NEW YORK, July 7.—Henry Gibbons was yesterday sentenced to five years and six months in the state's prison for bigamy. He married Lydia Soule at Danbury in 1874, left her in 1885, came to this city, and married Mrs. Mary Owens, a widow, in 1882. The first wife, believing Gibbons dead, married a Mr. Pitman, in Boston, but learning his fate came to this city and informed the second wife, who made common cause with her against the gay deceiver and secured his conviction.

Victim of a Practical Joke.

PITTSBURG, July 7.—Joseph Workman, carriage maker, of the west end, Pittsburg, died Tuesday, the victim of a practical joke. The cause was elicited just before the taking of the fatal dose by the nurses last evening. It appears that while drinking with convivial companions on the night of the Fourth they dosed their drinks with enormous proportions of croton oil. He immediately repaired to an adjacent barn, went into convulsions, and finally died.

A Noted Stone Carver Killed.

ERIE, Pa., July 7.—Marcus A. Shannon, of New Orleans, recently of Erie, well known as one of the most skilful stone carvers in the United States, was killed yesterday by a fall of fifty feet from a scaffold on the new government building here. He had been employed to remodel the Corinthian capitals, and fell while examining the work. His skull was crushed in and his legs were broken. He died almost instantly. A wife and daughter survive him.

Poisoned by Ice Cream.

NEW YORK, July 7.—A case of wholesale ice cream poisoning was reported to the authorities yesterday afternoon. The number of victims, it is thought, will exceed fifty. Of these eighteen are known to be very ill, but physicians think that they will all recover. A certain confectioner sold ice cream, and the proprietor offers $500 reward for a solution of the mystery as to how the cream was poisoned. The cream is being analyzed.

Chopped His Heart in Two.

LONDON, O., July 7.—Yesterday afternoon two wood choppers employed on the Bonner farm, one mile north of here, named Andrew Chaffin and George Scott, quarreled. Chaffin attacked Scott with an ax, striking him in the breast. The blade cut the heart in two. After further mutilating the body Chaffin escaped, and has not yet been arrested. There is strong talk of lynching.

Would Have Been Wedded Today.

MACON, Ga., July 7.—Frank G. Allen, a bookkeeper, committed suicide here yesterday afternoon. He was to marry an estimable young lady here. He was out of money and without a situation, and took poison in his room in the Daisy house. He told his former employer that he would rather die than be found guilty, and was committed to the Tombs.

An Attempt at Lynching.

BALTIMORE, July 7.—Six masked men tried vainly to force an entrance into the Towson jail early yesterday morning, to lynch James Jackson, colored, who had outraged a little white girl. A repetition of the attempt by greater numbers is anticipated.

ENGULFED BY THE LAKE

OVER A HUNDRED PERSONS KILLED IN THE DISASTER.

Two Hotels and Forty Occupied Dwellings Sink Out of Sight in the Silence of the Night—A Baby's Miraculous Escape.

BERNE, Switzerland, July 7.—The beautiful town of Zug, nestled at the foot of the towering Zugerberg, on the shores of Lake Zugarsee, was visited by a terrible calamity Tuesday night, resulting in the loss of more than 100 lives. Without warning and almost simultaneously several large quays recently built into the lake, and upon which had been erected the Hotel Zurich, a handsome four story structure, and an inn and some forty dwellings, silently sank with great rapidity into the lake. Not a vestige was left of the great structure except such furniture and framework as floated from the general wreck. The horror of the scene was greatly heightened by the oppressive silence when the waters closed over all. The cries of the few victims who were awake were hushed in a moment, and those who witnessed the awful sight were too dazed by the strange phenomenon to utter a sound.

The Hotel Zurich was full of visitors and the inn was crowded also, and many entire families were in the private houses. The exact number has cannot therefore be ascertained at this time. It was still dark when the accident occurred, and many undoubtedly were engulfed while they slept.

Many bodies have been found. A few bodies have come to the surface, but the majority are held down by being pinned in the wreck. Men from the silk and cotton mills and from the tanneries have offered their services, and active steps are being taken to recover the bodies. Fully half the new quays have vanished, and it is not possible that they can ever be rebuilt as there is no certainty that the foundations will be secure enough. People moved precipitately from the houses on the other quays and are seeking homes farther inside, who the lake. Great terror has seized the inhabitants because of the mysterious accident. Somewhere in the neighborhood of 1,000 persons believe it is but a kind of landslide on the mountain side which was caused by the action of the lake.

One of the most striking incidents of the terrible disaster was the discovery at daylight of a cradle floating on the lake several hundred feet from shore. Several boatmen put off to secure it, but what was their surprise on rowing alongside to find a babe sleeping peacefully. Whether the cradle was pushed from a window in one of the doomed houses or was accidentally released from the wreckage will never be known. The little child was uninjured. The scene on shore among the matrons who had gathered there to join in the general lamentation was pathetic, each woman in turn gazing wistfully into the face of the babe in the effort to identify it. The people of the whole town were on the lake shore all day, and work in the factories and homes was neglected.

The town of Zug has a population of 4,477. There is a gymnasium and public library, and the inhabitants are engaged in fishing, cattle raising, in tanning and in silk and cotton spinning. The lake on which it is situated is nine miles long and two to three miles broad. The Zugerberg towers from the east shore of the lake to a height of 3,251 feet.

The canton or state in which it is situated is Zug. It is the smallest state of the Swiss confederation and is surrounded by the cantons of Schuria, Underwalden, Lucerne, Aargau and Zurich. It has a population of 22,773 and an area of ninety-two square miles. The town of Zug is fifty-two miles northeast of Berne, and the lake is 1,361 feet above the level of the sea. The town is about seventy-five miles south of the southern boundary line of Germany.

The Bulgarian Sobranje.

TIRNOVA, July 7.—The Bulgarian sobranje is holding meetings with closed doors for the purpose of discussing the choice of a prince of Bulgaria. Prince Alexander, the favorite candidate of the deputies, having declined to accept a re-election to the throne.

The Deadly Cigarette.

NEW DURHAM, N. J., July 7.—William Cranston, a 15-year-old boy, died at his home here yesterday. Dr. Schlam said his death was caused by the excessive use of cigarettes.

Indians to be Court Martialed.

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WOMAN AND HOME.

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Lecture for a Husband—Education of Children—Signor Max Talks—Before the Mirror—Care of Children—Farmers' Wives—Hints and Helps.

Country residents are proberbially hospitable; and for that reason we should be doubly careful not to impose upon them, for, as a general rule, they are so overrun with company that the end of the summer finds them worn out. Every member of a household is an added care to the head of it, especially if, as is often the case, there are few servants, or none at all, and if the mistress is fortunate enough to possess a corps of well trained domestics, too much company is apt to disarrange the household affairs in the lower regions.

If you are fortunate enough to have a friend to whom you know a visit will afford real pleasure, by a little forethought you can yet make it still more enjoyable. In the first place, fix a definite time for your departure before you arrive. If she is not wise enough to do so, be sure when you write to announce your coming, to say on what day you will leave, and then be still more sure that you do leave, no matter how hospitably you may be urged to prolong your stay. It is better to have your departure sincerely regretted than to have the faintest feeling of relief that you are gone.

There are many ways in which a summer visitor may be a real help. *If circumstances* warrant it, you can offer your aid in household matters, and spend an hour hulling strawberries, or whipping the cream which you afterwards to enjoy, and if you see that assistance of that kind will not be acceptable, there will be still something that you can do; you can arrange the flowers that perhaps the busy hostess mother never finds time for, and yet *enjoys* so much; you can coax the children out of the kitchen, when you know she is specially busy, and entertain them in your own room, and there are countless other little things that a kindly heart and a quick eye will discover, in which you can make your presence a constant comfort.

Then, too, one's own personal habits have much to do with the pleasure of entertaining.

I knew a lady who came across the ocean to visit friends of mine, who perfectly, were each her welcome by her one annoying habit of unpunctuality. She was charming in every other way, and yet, although they would not have said so, I know they were delighted when she went away, simply because she was always behind time. Every housekeeper knows how the work drags if the breakfast table has to stand for an hour, and she was never ready for any meal in time.

Money matters are always a delicate subject between friends, but though we can seldom remunerate them for the trouble they take for us in dollars and cents, yet sometimes there will be ways in which it may be done. It is easy to give presents to children, and although it is better to give anything to the mother, yet by exercing a little tack, you may be able to do it. She cannot refuse a pretty piece of fancy work that you have made during your visit, and books and magazines can usually be safely offered, and remember that while all these things may seem very trifling, yet they are little that make up the sum and substance of our comfort and happiness.—Flora M. Wright in Good Housekeeping.

Didn't Ask Mor Right.

Mr. Burdette insists that he overheard a woman lecturing her husband as follows on board a train: "Now I'll tell you why I wouldn't go into the restaurant and have a cup of coffee with you while we were waiting *for the train. I didn't like the way you asked* me. You have been to the floor. You stand at the *base of the pyramid.* They should be well equipped for their life. The farmers' wives bear the brunt of the hardships. Their life is made doubly hard from the lack of suitable facilities. The same remarks may apply to many country hamlets.

Now, many of these housewives are intelligent and bright women. They enjoy dainty appointments, lovely surroundings, elevating thoughts. They have as good minds, as keen insight, as quick intuition as those who preside over our city homes. They wish to live so that the higher life may have its place and influence. How are they handicapped! They are the limbless trees of a country district. Men folks, who are "set" in prejudice, and answer every suggestion with: "Mother always got along so, and you can. If they have any children, servants or mechanics their income is often small—$450 to $600 a year. How can they live in genteel poverty in such a case?—'A Country Parson" in Good Housekeeping.

Carbolic Acid for Babies.

It is pernicious to allow children to be held in arms as is the almost universal custom, or to allow them to grow to the age of creeping or walking on soft beds. A comfortable spread upon the floor for the child to lie on furnishes resistance to the movements, and strengthens the muscles. A padded box, one foot nigh by four or five feet square, is an excellent contrivance for the little ones. On its sides can be hung a variety of playthings to attract the eye. Draughts upon the box or comfortable must be avoided. As the child grows, the sides of the box can be raised, and it may be kept a happy prisoner for a longer or shorter time. In this way children learn to help themselves, and not to expect constant attention at all their wants. Too close watching and too much help make little tyrants of them.—Mrs. E. G. Cook, M. D., in Demorest's.

Hints to Mothers.

"My advice for this summer to all mothers with babies under five years of age," said a prominent children's physician the other day, "is as follows: To give them a bath in the morning and again about 4 o'clock in the afternoon; fill the tub with tepid water and let them splash about in it for twenty minutes or a half hour. Dress them in flannels next to the skin and put on as few other clothes as possible; be careful not to overfeed them; let them sleep on a hair mattress, or anything of the kind; feathers are far too heating even for tiny babies; keep them out of the sun from 10 until 5 o'clock, but let them play out of doors all that is possible; make them take a nap in a cool, darkened room every afternoon and they will be healthy and happy, and you will be wise."—New York Journal.

Stitches Safer than Safety Pins.

"What is safer than a safety pin?" was the conundrum asked at a recent mothers' meeting. The answer was "stitches." There are thousands of fond mothers who sew on baby's clothes while he is in long dresses. Those who have not yet begun to think at the idea, but mothers know that even small safety pins, when placed in the little flannel band, annoy the tender skin of baby. If rose leaves troubled the princess while she slept, why shouldn't brass pins annoy baby? So the tender mother threads a needle with soft darning cotton, pulls the band forward over baby's hand and holds with her thumb, then deftly takes four or five snig stitches, and the band is on for the day.—New York Journal.

A Woman's Translation.

Helen Sparrell, of London, has made a translation of the Bible which is highly praised by scholars, and is said to be far more enjoyable to the English reader than the "revised version" of recent times. This lady, we are told, seems to have drunk in the dramatic spirit of the Hebrew more profoundly than the male translators, while her delicate ear for rhythm, and her sense of the fitness of words, several other books, furnished a key to a sincere interpretation. In the language of a reviewer, "So translator in the future will venture to ignore her work."—Demorest's.

Sun Baths for the Baby.

If a baby is irritable and fretful and won't go to sleep, throw up the window shades and let all the sun you can get into the room. Let the child play in the sunshine and presently he will go to sleep without trouble. At this season of the year the sun should be allowed free entrance into our houses. A little while ago his stay was too short to have much effect; presently it is to be feared he will be too ardored and now we should make the most of our opportunity to give the house a thorough sun bath every day.—Farm and Fireside.

Lifting Children by the Arm.

"If a nurse maid used one of my children like that I would discharge her at once."

"Why, mothers do it as often as the nurse maids."

"Yes; but they are thoughtless."

The nurse maid was lifting a child off a car by only one arm, when in bringing it to the curb-stone in the same way. Misshapen shoulders and arms are the inevitable result.—New York Sun.

Cracks in Floors.

Cracks in floors, around the skirting board or other parts of a room, may be neatly and permanently filled by thoroughly soaking newspapers in pasts made of one pound of flour, three quarts of water and a tablespoonful of alum, thoroughly boiled and mixed. The mixture will be about as thick as putty, and may be forced into the cracks with a case knife. It will harden like papier mache.—Home Journal.

A Picturesque Record.

Mrs. J. Wells Champney, the wife of the artist, is making a picturesque record of the childhood of her two children. She catches them unawares in all sorts of attitudes and groups and costumes. Just now they are all being casted in a big book, which will be more interesting to these young ones as they grow older than any other possible legacy.

Mrs. Archie Shaw, of Lawrenceburg, Ind., is likely to make a fortune out of a dustpan that she has patented. It is in appearance like a half pipe, and the fat side lies on the carpet; it can be easily moved with a broom or fock, and when lifted by the ball tips backward a little to prevent the dust falling out.

A society has been organized among Japanese women to cultivate a taste for foreign cooking. Many Japanese women of good birth are invited to dinner by Europeans in Yokohama, *Tokio and Nagasaki*, and they find it very difficult to accept the hospitalities offered."

The clever wife of a professor in a Western college has found a follow in one of these confession books where people put down their opinions on all sorts of subjects, in answer to the question: "What is your idea of a heroine?" An educated American woman who does her own housework."

Senorita Ernestina Perez passed her medical examination in Santiago a short time ago, and is now practicing in Valparaiso with the title of "Medico-Cirujano." She is the first Chilian woman who has studied medicines successfully.

A few years ago it was thought improper for a woman to be a foreign missionary unless she was a missionary's wife. Now there are 2,400 unmarried women in the mission field, besides, probably, an equal number of married women.

Marie Augustin Despeissis, of London, has *patented a device for creating a regular and* unchanging thickness of the plates of flame of steamboilers, which is said to work well.

Mrs. M. Louise Thomas, president of Sorosis, has been one of the most successful housekeepers in the country, making 10,000 pounds of honey in a year.

Lemon juice and sugar, mixed very thick, is useful to relieve coughs and sore throats. It must be very acid as well as sweet.

A good way to take cod liver oil, to make it palatable, is by putting it into tomato catsup.

Set a dish of water in oven with cake when baking, and it will seldom scorch.

Water in which white potatoes have been boiled will cleanse delicate colored woolen goods.

Camphor gum put with silverware prevents it from tarnishing.

White kid gloves can be cleaned with sweet milk and white soap.

Nothing restores colors taken out by acid so readily as barbarism.

Dreaming to Some Purpose.

In the winter of 1839-40 the writer was teaching school in Bedford county, Pa., and boarding with an intelligent and substantial farmer of German extraction by the name of Anthony Felton. The family was a remarkable one for ingenuity. One night after school the conversation turned upon difficult problems in mathematics. I mentioned one that my brother had sent me which I considered quite intricate. The question was as follows (I reproduce from memory): "Sold 5,000 ells Flemish at clock for $21,250, and gained as much per yard as one-eighth of the prime cost of an ell English. What was the prime cost per yard, and of the whole piece?" On repeating the question to him how he promptly that it could not be done. I repeated it several times for him during the evening, till he had its conditions well fired in his mind. I left, however, I had solved it by algebra, of which he knew nothing.

The next morning, on coming from my room, he said: "I can tell you all about that problem now." Upon asking him how he had reached the solution, he said: "I dreamed it out." I smiled incredulously, for I had no faith in such straight dreaming. I said: "Let me see your solution" and to my astonishment and delight he produced an arithmetical solution that was a marvel of analytic simplicity. When asked more particularly about his dream, he said: "An old man, to whom I had at one time gone to school, came to me in my dream, and seeing I was troubled about something asked the cause. I repeated the question to him, and told him that *it had told the 'master' that it* could not be solved. The old man told me it made no difference what you told the 'master,' it can be worked, and then told me how to do it." And he remembered it so distinctly that he solved the question by the instructions received in his dream.—John Milton Akers in Christian Advocate.

Many of the large hotels of New York use potatoes imported from Germany instead of using Bermudas. The advantage is in price rather than quality.

THE WOMEN OF INDIA.

DR. ANANDIBAI JOSHEE, WHO HAS BEEN EDUCATED IN AMERICA.

A Forward Step Taken in the Matter of Progress Among the Hindoos—Great Interest Felt Generally as to the Result in India—Interesting Facts.

The friends of humanity, and especially those who labor for the improvement and freedom of the women of India, mourn the *loss of Dr. Anandibai Joshee, the Hindoo* woman who was graduated at the Woman's Medical college of Pennsylvania not quite two years ago. The life and trials of this remarkable woman give us a proper estimate of the immense difficulties in the way of reform in India, and the narration is of interest in itself, as she was one of the original and progressive minds of the world. Naturally there are four great castes in India, besides the outcasts or pariahs; but in effect there are so many races, religions, dialects and local governments, that the divisions are multiplied indefinitely, and the English officials count the minor castes as high as 143. And the condition of women varies in each class, caste and race, from the high tribes, where she is practically free as a man, to the Mohammedans, where she enjoys a qualified freedom, and the pure Hindoos of the old blood and higher caste, among whom she is a hopeless prisoner or an ignorant slave or toy.

ANANDIBAI JOSHEE AND HUSBAND.

Anadibai Joshee belongs to what might be called the upper middle class; she enjoyed a little freedom in girlhood, and at an early age imbibed the spirit of the few Hindoo women who are agitating for better things. She was married at a very early age to a Hindoo gentleman who shared her views, and after an ineffectual struggle to secure education at home was enlarged for the United States, arriving at Philadelphia late in 1882, aged but 17 years. Despite the influence of her husband, the native prejudice against her scheme was so intense that she feared to embark at Bombay, capital and seaport of her native province, but crossed the country to Calcutta, where foreign influence has created more liberality. Her husband secured a place in government employ at Serampore, but the hostility to him and his wife was so great that she suffered a public address in defense of her design.

"Why do I go to America?" she asked. "And why do I go alone? There are no schools in India where I may learn to benefit my sex. And shall I be excommunicated (or rather 'put out of all castes') when I return? And why do I enter on that which none of my sex have ventured? I will go as a Hindoo, live there as a Hindoo and return as a Hindoo; I will not increase my wants, but live as simple as did those before me. I will trust in the Almighty Father and live purely." Dr. Rachel L. Bodley, dean of the Women's Medical college, bears testimony to the strictness with which the delicate woman kept this vow. All the three years of her study in Philadelphia she made no change in her customs, food or dress, except as the severer climate rendered it necessary to life and health. Her husband came to Philadelphia to witness her graduation. She received the degree of M. D., and before returning to India was visited several American cities, making addresses on the creeds and customs of the Hindoos.

As the first Hindoo woman who ever took a medical degree, Dr. Joshee naturally attracted much attention, and on her departure for India the papers of many Christian people went with her; but in a few months came the sad news of her death. She had already done much. While attending on a patient in the mountains, she stood in the cold night air. Dr. Joshee contracted a disease of the lungs which soon terminated in death. But her example had excited others to the same work, and her cousin, Pandita Ramabai Saraswati, has taken the lead in laboring to gain more freedom and education for Hindoo women. The chief obstacle, of course, is habit, long continued that it has become second nature; the women of highest caste being most secluded, woman's freedom has come to be associated in the Hindoo mind with licentiousness. The wild people, the very poor and the pariahs alone can afford to be free. The hidden season is thought the proper place for women of rank and respectability.

Adulteration of Milk.

The adulteration of milk in this country consists usually either in the removal of cream or in the addition of water. A San Francisco chemist has communicated to the agricultural department the composition of a milk adulterant, which has been largely used in that city. The mixture consists of common salt, saltpeter, saleratus, a trace of caustic soda and a large quantity of sugar. The color is imparted by caramel. The purer the milk supply the cheaper will be the demand from consumers. The nearer the producers can come to the consumers with their pure, fresh milk product, the larger and more satisfactory will be the trade.—Boston Budget.

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Leave Plainfield at 5.43, 6.52, 7.56, 8.42, 9.42, 10.42, 11.42 a. m., 12.42, 1.42, 2.42, 3.42, 4.42, 5.42, 6.42, 7.42, 8.42, 9.42, 10.42, 11.42 p. m. Leave Newark at 1.30, 3.30, 4.30, 5.00, 6.00, 7.00, 8.00, 9.00, 10.00, 11.00 a. m., 12.00, 1.00, 2.00, 3.00, 4.00, 5.00, 6.00, 7.00, 8.00, 9.00, 10.00, 11.00 p. m., 12.00 night. Sunday, 2.30, 3.30, 4.30, 5.00, 6.00, 7.00, 8.00, 9.00, 10.00, 11.00 a. m., 12.00 night. Sunday, 8.00 a. m., 12.00 night.
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Leave Somerville at 6.05, 6.35, 7.05, 7.35, 8.05, 8.35, 9.05, 9.35, 10.05, 10.35, 11.05, 11.35 a. m., 12.05, 12.35, 1.05, 1.35, 2.05, 2.35, 3.05, 3.35, 4.05, 4.35, 5.05, 5.35, 6.05, 6.35, 7.05, 7.35, 8.05, 8.35, 9.05, 9.35, 10.05, 10.35, 11.05, 11.35 p. m., 12.05 night. Sunday, 8.05, 8.35, 9.05, 9.35, 10.05, 10.35, 11.05, 11.35 a. m., 12.05, 12.35 night.
Plainfield and Boston.
Leave Plainfield at 5.43, 8.52, 9.21 a. m., 4.08, 2.16, 4.34, 5.16, 6.35, p. m. Sunday at 5.10 a. m.; 6.43 p. m.
Leave Boston at 9.00 a. m., 12.00 m., 4.15, 7.00 p. m. Sunday at 7.15 a. m.; 7.00 p. m.
Westward Connections.
5.10 a. m.—For Easton, Allentown, Mead ing and Manch Chunk.
8.52 a. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Wind Gap, *Manch Chunk, Delhi, Upper Lehigh*, Geneva, Williamsport, etc.
9.21 a. m.—For Flemington, High Bridge Branch, Schooley's Mountain, Lake Hopatcong, Stanhope, Andover, Reading, Harrisburg, Manch Chunk, Williamsport, Tuscarora, Nanticoke, Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre and Scranton, etc.
3.08 p. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Manch Chunk, etc.
4.34 p. m.—For Easton, Wind Gap, Manch Chunk, Tamaqua, Williamsport, Dirlton, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, etc.
5.16 p. m.—For Flemington, High Bridge Branch, Schooley's Mountain, Lake Hopatcong, Easton, etc.
6.35 p. m.—For Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Manch Chunk, etc.
Long Branch, Ocean Grove, etc.
Leave Plainfield at 3.37, 5.43, 8.06, 9.32 11.08 a. m. 1.55, 2.25, 3.51, 5.34, 6.50 p. m. Sunday except Ocean Grove 5.37 8.37 a.m. and 3.30 p. m.
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Leave Somerville at 6.30, 8.05* 9.30 10.30 a. m.; 1.40, 3.30, 5.00, 6.00, p. m. Sunday at 8.15 a.m.; 5.30 p. m.
Leave Plainfield, Warren and Tucker Streets, at 1.20, 9.15,* 10.10, 11.35 a. m.; 1.34, 4.15, 5.50, 7.40 p. m. Sunday at 1.35, 7.40 a. m.; 5.30 p. m.
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Odeorium is a Latin compound; it is derived from the two words "idiot" and "sarcum," from the same root comes the old saw, "A fool and his money are soon parted."

Col. Beasley McIntyre, who has subscribed $50,000 to the princely scheme, says that the odeorium will have a "seating capacity for 75,000 souls." It will be built of stone, brick and iron and will be absolutely fireproof. The style of architecture will be mixed—Doric, Sapphic, Ionic, Sulphuric and Physic, with a dash here and there of the Lewis K. Torx renaissongs. The theatorium will be in the shape of a horn: there will be orchestra stalls upon the main floor, then four rows or galleries of private boxes, and finally three rows of balconies. The tapestry drop curtain will be 150 feet long, 100 feet high and five inches thick, and it will be illuminated with a hand painted tableau of Apollo, the nine muses and a company of nymphs apprec'iated. Chicago over the Michigan Central railroad and under the interstate commerce bill in a long train of Pullman palace cars. Large sounding boards will be placed here and there to increase the acoustics of the hall. In the basement there will be a barber shop and a Turkish bath, which, to use the words of Col. McIntyre, "will be a fac simile of the famous Roman baths of Caracalla." The building will be about fifteen stories high, the highest artificial structure on the continent, except Pike's Peak and Long John Wentworth.

This imposing odeorium will be used on special occasions only—for political conventions, opera festivals, schools of summer philosophy, national butchers' conventions, Thomas concerts, literary reunions and the like. It will cost about $6,000,000, but it will be a corker.—Chicago News.

Honesty Always Wins.

Irate Citizen—See here, sir, that land you sold me is under water half the time.

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Question of Cereals.

O'Brien—Piwat ails yur fut, Casey

Casey—I has a corrn, an' it shpoils me shoes.

O'Brien—Faith, it's rye that shpoils moine.—Judge.

The Dark Side of Things.

Some people will persist in taking a gloomy view of everything. There is a man of that kind in Austin, living in ward No. 13. A neighbor knew and to drop in to see him the other day and found everybody lively except the head of the family.

"How are you all rounin on?"

"We are all tolerable except Bob. He is laughing and joking because he is going fishing. I just know that he is going to come home drowned and howling with a fish hook sticking in him somewhere."

"Well, the rest seem to be cheerful."

"Yes, sir-ee. Jemima is jumping and skipping about because she is going to a candy pulling, but I know something will happen to her. I heard of a girl in Philadelphia only last year who was coming from a candy pulling, when a drunken man threw his wife out of a three story window and killed her."

"Kind of cheerful."

"Why, no; there she is; but it might have been like to have had been on the pavement below just as well as not."

"Well, you are fooling headily."

"Yes, I feel just like the man old who dropped dead in New York last week from heart disease. He was high spirits and had a good appetite, and 'them's just my symptoms."—Texas Siftings.

Pat's Idea of Civil Service Examinations.

"There was Pat McGinnis (said an Irishman who was seeking a place in the navy yard). He says to himself, says he, I'll go for a job as an attendant to the Ward Island institution. Sure Pat Divver, our alderman, and a foine man he is, do you moind, gives him a card. 'Here's this!' says Pat. 'We mean,' says the chairman, 'ye will have to prisint yerself to the whitechoker fellows at the city hall, and they will ax you some questions.' 'What koind of questions?' says me howld Pat. 'It's all right, me man,' says the alderman, 'me name will shove you through,' and so Pat goes down to the city hall and they shove him in a room. He looks around and that d'ye think he sees? He sees a dozen and more gentlemen with eye glasses, and no rust on the sprinkles of their pantaloons. 'Be heavens!' says Pat, 'schoolmasters from the cold dart, and a foine show I'll have.' The first question that was axed him knocked him out. A little sweat off chap, with red whiskers on the side of his face, axes Pat: 'That's the distance between the sun and the airth? 'Ye can go to h—l,' says Pat, 'and take the question with you. I'll go back along shore,' says he with."—Cincinnati Enquirer.

Tell the Whole Story.

A religious exchange, in a column of "Anecdotes of Animals," tells of a dog owned by the Kingston City Gas-fixture and Brass Foundry Company which recently watched the blacksmith shop one of the hands, and then "made use of his own powers of reasoning (which enough that he, too, wanted to be shod." It does seem as if a church paper, above all others, shouldn't be afraid to tell the whole truth, but it appears in this case to. After the blacksmith had refused to shoe the dog he sat around the shop till night, while the fire was renewed and everything else was in readiness, when he found favor in the eyes of the blacksmith and was shod. Now, the whole truth is that the dog was owned and employed in the Kingston City Gas-fixture and Brass Foundry Company, and the blacksmith shod him because he was employed by the day or on contract, doing all the machinery in the shop.—Detroit Free Press.

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JOTTINGS.

—Work at the Scott Press Works is booming.

—The Middlesex County Board of Freeholders have been asked to construct a new bridge at Dunellen.

—The W. C. T. U. will hereafter admit men to membership in their organization on paying a double initiation fee.

—Sheriff Stiles evidently favors the erection of a City Hall, declaring it to be a necessity which will grow with the growth of the city.

—The new pastor of Trinity Reformed Church is rapidly becoming popular. His genial presence did much to enliven the social last night.

—The Daisy Chair Society of the Presbyterian Church held a picnic at Washington Rock yesterday. The children were in charge of Mrs. D. W. Skellinger.

—Mr. B. T. Barnes, for whose excellent ice cream the demand has become so great as to tax his facilities to the utmost, has decided not to deliver orders on Sunday.

—The Central Railroad has taken a determined stand against the transportation of liquor for exercises. Two societies were recently obliged to abandon proposed excursions on account of the refusal of the company to carry their supply of exhilarating beverages.

—Next Friday the Methodist excursion to Asbury Park will take place. The advertisement in another column and the showy posters give assurance that a good time may be expected. The committee are sparing no pains to make it the most enjoyable event of the season.

—For the W. C. T. U., excursion this morning there was a train of fifteen cars at the depot, but there was only enough excursionists to fill six of the cars. Two extra cars were taken with the train, however, so that the company would not be crowded, and, having a fine day, they will no doubt enjoy themselves.

—There are four assemblies of Knights of Labor in Plainfield, and these claim a total membership of 400. It should be said to their credit that they do not go into any crusades to injure our industries, the only strike of any consequence here, that at the Scott works last year, having been really instigated by outsiders who had no interest in the welfare of Plainfield. The Plainfield Knights set an example which their brethren in some other localities might follow with profit.

—A special collection will be taken up at the Crescent Avenue Church on Sunday for the benefit of the Ladies' Relief Association, which requests that persons leaving the city for the summer leave donations for the society with the treasurer, Mrs. Van Nest Talmage. It is to be hoped that our generous people will give this most worthy organization the financial assistance necessary to the carrying forward of their good work during summer.

—One of our most popular druggists declares that the amount of absenic consumed by ladies in this city to "improve" their complexions is simply appalling. Fowler's solution and the newly invented tablet are in shady demand. The deadly drug imparts a chalky whiteness to the skin, which by the practised eye is never mistaken for nature's purity. Plainfield is no exception however if it is not greatly surpassed in other localities. Intelligent women should make a crusade against the habit in self-protection.

The Work of the Y. M. C. A.

The monthly meeting the Board of Directors was held last evening. The reports indicated substantial and gratifying progress.

The average attendance at the Young Men's meetings during the month was 43.

140 persons visited the reading room during June. The largest number of visitors in the history of the association was 220, who attended in the month of May.

The general secretary has just returned from a ten days attendance at the Bible Institute which is now being held at Northfield, Mass. Mr. J. A. Robinson leaves today to attend the school during the remainder of its sessions. Among the many prominent theologians who are assisting Mr. D. L. Moody, president of the school, are Prof. Henry Drummond of Edinburgh University; Rev. Joseph Cook of Boston; Prof. Townsend of Boston University; Rev. Arthur T. Pierson, D. D., of Philadelphia; Dr. Broadus of Louisville, Ky., and H. K. Trumbull, editor of the Sunday School Times.

The Indianapolis convention, under charge of the association, was never in better condition.

A movement to increase the number of out-of-door sports is rapidly taking a practical shape.

The Last Sociable at Trinity.

The handsome parlors of Trinity Reformed Church overflowed last night with a throng of youthful merry makers. Pretty faces and attractive dresses were there in profusion, contrasted with black coats of the sterner sex, who were anything but stern last night. The ladies who had charge of the cake and cream were kept busy, and the excellent programme was thoroughly enjoyed.

One of the most laughable events of the evening was a blackboard contest for a cake, in which eleven young gentlemen, all blindfolded, participated. They were each given a piece of chalk and ordered to draw a pig on the board, the most successful artist to receive the cake. Many of the drawings had not the slightest resemblance to the grunty animal, and the attempts of the blind artists caused roars of laughter. The cake was finally awarded to Mr. J. Ran Dunn. The festivities were kept up until a late hour.

A BREEZY MEETING.

Theatricals and Excursions Warmly Discussed by the Reform Club.

The attendance at the monthly business meeting of the Reform Club last night was very small; but the meeting was one of the most lively held since the club came into existence. President French was in the chair and Mr. G. W. F. Randolph acted as Recording secretary pro tem.

The President announced that many persons who had promised to subscribe to the sustaining fund had forgotten their promises; that had not forgotten to criticise the Executive Committee for leasing the hall for theatricals.

The secretary notified the club that hereafter their property would be taxed the same as any other property in the city. The announcement created a breeze of indignation. According to our charter said President French we are a charitable and beneficial organization. No one makes a cent by the holding of this building, and we should be as free from taxation as any church in the city.

The chair appointed a committee to be present at the meeting of the Board of Appeals and endeavor to have the assessment abated.

The Financial Secretary reported disbursements for the year $256.16; cash on hand $582.11; in the fund for the employment of labor $100. The report was accepted and ordered on file.

Dr. Burnett announced that the hall could be let to great advantage on Sundays for temperance instruction, but action on his proposition was deferred until the exact nature of the services for which the hall is wanted can be ascertained. The Doctor promised to make a satisfactory report in the matter at the next meeting.

The announcement by the President that he was about to conclude arrangements with Mr. H. P. Baldwin, of the Central railroad for an excursion to Rockaway on August 9, caused a hot discussion in which Mr. Anglesman, Judge Harper, President French and Dr. Burnett took leading parts. The excursion was objected to on the ground that there was a bar on the boat that would be a source of temptation to many. Mr. Anglesman led the opposition to the proposed excursion, rising to his feet continually and declaring with uplifted hand that he would be a party to no scheme which indirectly classed hands with the liquor traffic.

President French explained that it would be impossible to get a safe and commodious steamer without a bar. There are, he said, any amount of bars at Rockaway, but that is no reason why we should not go there, and if any of our members are so unmindful of their honor and pledge, that they get drunk there.

On taking a rising vote the action of the President was almost unanimously sustained, and the excursion will accordingly take place.

Repair the Sidewalks.

The ordinance introduced by Councilman Taylor at the meeting Tuesday evening making it compulsory to keep in repair all sidewalks at the expense of the abutting property owners is a step in the right way. On some of the streets in the city after a rain storm the sidewalks are almost impassible. This is especially so in the winter and spring. The owners could at a slight expense put these in proper repair and the thanks of the travelling public would assuredly be showered upon them for the trouble. The rules in governing the free delivery service provides that the streets of the city in which it is to be introduced must be paved. This is another object for property owners to see to it, that a good and substantial sidewalk be laid in front of their residence.

Insurance that Insures.

The following letter speaks for itself:

PROVIDENCE, June 9, 1887.

"A. W. Goding, Agent of the Fidelity and Casualty Co., New York:

DEAR SIR—It is with pleasure that I acknowledge the receipt of your Company's draft for seven hundred dollars in payment of my claim for injuries received February 25, 1887. This prompt and full settlement, without any delaying inquiries as to the cause of the injury, has been confined to the house, convinces me that I am with confidence cheerfully recommend your Company to all desiring accident insurance, as prompt, liberal and courteous.

Yours respectfully,

"MRS. F. BROSS."

This is the Company whose advertisement appears in another column, whose secretary is the energetic John M. Crane of this city, and whose agent is the wide-awake real estate agent, Joseph T. Vail, opposite the depot.

Beware of the Tramps.

Plainfield seems to be a centre of attraction to tramps. The influx is general, greatly to the disgust of the housekeepers, whom they endeavor to intimidate by their boisterous talk. Yesterday one of their specimens of the human species entered a house on Madison avenue, and because the food which was offered did not suit him, turned on his heel and walked away very indignant. Some of them endeavor to try and gain an entrance to the house by sending the lonely woman to some other part of the house on some pretext or an other. Housekeepers would do well to be on their guard against these fellows, as they are a class, with but few exceptions, who would steal any thing they could lay their hands on.

Shall We Have Band Concerts.

In conversation with a reporter this morning Mr. H. H. Guttman, the leader of the Plainfield Cornet Band, said the members of Band will hold a meeting on Tuesday evening next and will consider the advisability of giving free open air concerts at short intervals in the City Park during the summer. He further stated that he had no doubt but that the "boys" would be willing to give the concerts providing the public spirited citizens would erect a band stand and have an electric light put in the park. At the meeting the members will decide on some evening to go to the park and give a concert to show the people what they can do. Let us have the concerts by all means.

HIGHLY RECOMMENDED.

What Plainfield People Think of Dr. Thiers' Preparation.

"Do I know anything about 'Stomatine'?" said a well-known gentleman yesterday. "Well I should think so. Why it is owned and manufactured right here in Plainfield by Dr. C. H. Thiers, and is the only remedy of its kind in the market. Its component parts are of such excellent material and quality that it is prescribed by leading physicians who know of its existence, and one of our most eminent doctors, who is now absent from town carries it with him wherever he goes. What is it used for? First let me tell you the application of the name, 'Stomatine.' It is derived from the Greek work 'Stoma,' the mouth, and the Latin word 'Tinos,' pertaining to—so that you see the term signifies pertaining to the mouth. Do you know of any preparation in the market that is prescribed by physicians for healing the mouth and throat, removing all diseases such as spongy gums, canker sore mouth, sore throat, mercurial salivation, torn or bleeding gums, smoker's catarrh, irritation of the bronchial tubes, etc., and at the same time be so pleasant and desirable to the taste that it is constantly used as a dentifrice? No? Of course there are mouth washes, lotions for the throat, and tooth powders innumerable, but there is positively nothing but 'Stomatine' in the market which meets all these requirements at one and the same time, and very effectually, too. It is also used to counteract the effect of medicine on the teeth, which with its antiseptic and prophylactic properties combined with a cooling aromatic fragrance makes it really a necessity as well as a toilet luxury for the sick. I tell you Dr. Thiers has one of the best preparations ever introduced, and if he takes my advice he will push it into the market as rapidly as possible, advertise it liberally, and be prepared to reap the fortune which must of necessity follow. My conversation may sound to you a good deal like a patent medicine advertisement I reads, but I mean all I say and I know what I am talking about, and scores of Plainfield people will endorse every word of it, because they have tried 'Stomatine' and know what it is. Ask Dr. Thiers about it.

And the reporter did ask Mr. Thiers.

"Well" said the modest tooth-puller, "I don't care to talk too much about this thing myself, only that it is the only remedy of its kind in the market. It has proved itself to be all that I claim for it, and my friends are loud in its praises. Everything is very where. The name 'Stomatine' was selected by the late Dr. Burlingham, who manifested a great interest in it, and prescribed it freely. Thirteen years ago I first began experimenting with it, and used it extensively for my patients. It gave entire satisfaction, and when it was not until three years ago that I was induced to manufacture much of it. Then one of our leading physicians asked me to prepare some of it for a patient, and he was so well pleased with it that he urged me to place it in the market, and he has prevailed at ever since. You will see by some of these testimonials what is thought of it here. The Rev. Dr. Yerkes says he has used it with the most gratifying results, and as a tonic to give strength and clearness to the voice, it is superior to anything he has ever used. Our genial mail agent says he has been free from throat trouble ever since using it, and he finds his gums in a much healthier condition. Rev. J. B. Cleaver is of the opinion that it is the best antiseptic, the most speedy cure for relaxed vocal cords, and most perfect prophylactic known to him. Mr. Jas. Bross says it is the best article used, and it effectually cured a chronic soreness of others teeth and removed fever blisters from his mouth. Dr. Anderson also recommends it very highly and I have letters from scores of others testifying to its excellent character. Maude Burke, the well-known actress, uses it freely and other celebrated ladies of the stage recommend it highly for strengthening the vocal chords and as a dentifrice.

Several Plainfield druggists were called on and heartily recommended "Stomatine" as fully meeting every claim made for it, and said it was certainly the best preparation in the market and occupied a field of its own. Mr. R. J. Shaw said he had manufactured large quantities of "Stomatine" for Dr. Thiers and of course he knew that it was just what it was claimed to be. "I know of several instances," said Mr. Shaw, "where it has proved most beneficial. I recall one in particular where a lady had had an ulcerated sore mouth so long that she could not speak articulate. One bottle of "Stomatine" cured her. Where I prefer other institutions exist I would have no hesitancy whatever in embarking in the manufacture of it on an extensive scale, and believe I would meet with a rapid sale and prove an excellent business speculation."

The New City Hall.

Several sites are spoken of for the proposed new City Hall. One is at the corner of Park avenue and Fifth street, from which the Frazee boarding house was removed last Fall. Among the grand ideas on this plot, it was thought that building could be shoved off to fine advantage. The owners are Messrs. Frank Hubbard, Director of the Board of Freeholders, John W. Murray, ex-President of the Board of Education, and ex-Postmaster Elias R. Page. Mr. Page says he would not sell the property for any such purpose, as he owns other property in the neighborhood, and does not want it depreciated, as it would be with a jail in the building. The lot is 125 feet on Fifth street, by 140 feet on Park avenue.

A large frame house on West Second street, said to be owned by Mayor Male, is reported offered to the city for $9,000. But it is not considered desirable because it would cost too much to put it in suitable condition. It is the general opinion that the Hall should be either on Front street, Park avenue or North avenue.

Monmouth Park Races.

For the convenience of all who are interested in the races at Monmouth Park we give the following:

First Summer meeting—July 4, 6, 7, 9, 12, 14.

Midsummer Meeting—July 16, 19, 21, 23, 28, 30; Aug. 2, 4, 8, 9, 11.

Second Summer meeting—Aug. 13, 16, 18, 20, 25, 26, 27.

Added money, $167,850. Six or seven races each day. Rates begin at 2.30 p. m.

LATEST DISPATCHES.

THE NEWS controls the services of the American Press Association and the United Press, and is the only paper published in this section that possesses a Telegraphic News Franchise.

Thermometer Record.

The following is the record of the thermometer for this day and for the corresponding date of last year, as kept at Stelle's drug store, corner of Front street and Park avenue.

	1887	1886		
6 a. m.	75	70	Sun rises	4 37
9 a. m.	79	79	Sun sets	7 36
12 m	85	98	Moon rises	9 47
3 p. m.	86	99	Moon sets	

Weather Indications.

For Saturday, in New Jersey, eastern New York, eastern Pennsylvania, and in New England, slightly warmer, fair weather, and on Sunday fair and still warmer, with southerly winds.

Divorced and Married in Two Days.

LAFAYETTE, Ind., July 8.—Lydia M. Wilson applied for and was granted a divorce from her husband, Austin F. Wilson. This action caused considerable surprise, as it was supposed that they were happily wedded. A still greater surprise was created when it was learned that on the following Tuesday (July 5) Mr. Wilson applied for and was granted a license to remarry the woman who was divorced from him two days before.

$10,000 Damages for a Lost Wife.

GRAND RAPIDS, Mich., July 8.—Gen. L. W. Heath, of Grand Rapids, was arrested on a capias issued at the instance of Robert J. Walker, foreman of Perkins & Co.'s machine works, at Holland, for $10,000 damages for the alienation of his wife's affections. Gen. Heath is a prominent citizen and politician. He succeeded Zachariah Chandler as member of the Republican National Committee for Michigan, and has held the position for the last six years. He was released on bond for $5,000.

Arrested as a Deserter.

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., July 8.—Paul Giacchpesser is a prosperous wholesale fruit merchant and the foremost Italian citizen of Birmingham. In his youth he served the time required by law in the Italian army, and after receiving his discharge came here few years. After two years' service, however, as his friends here say, he left for America without taking the trouble to get a discharge. This was seventeen years ago. Some two months ago he went back to collect a legacy that had been left him, and now comes to his friends that he has been arrested for desertion and imprisoned.

Cut His Wife's Arm Off.

GALENA, Ill., July 8.—Last evening while Mrs. Frank Bantsch, of Land Prairie, this county, was engaged in cleaning a horsepower feed mill that her husband was operating, her hand was suddenly caught and drawn in between the rollers and horribly crushed. Mr. Bantsch stopped the machinery, and being unable to draw his wife's hand out cut the mangled member from the arm at the wrist. Mrs. Bantsch drove to town and submitted to re-amputation of the arm by physicians, and returned home over a rough road, riding fourteen miles with the mercury nearly 100 in the shade.

Great Alarm Over Poisonous Milk.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., July 8.—The health department made a startling discovery yesterday in Henry Wessel's South St. Louis dairy. He keeps fifty cows and supplies a large part of the city with milk. Fifteen cows died during the last week of pleuro-pneumonia, and the remainder of his cattle are down with the fever. The milk was distributed until yesterday. Inspector Mulhall destroyed fifty gallons of infected milk, which he found on the premises. An investigation showed that a load of Texas cattle had been driven through Wessel's lot. Louis Lemure where Wessel's cows had been feeding, and the disease is supposed to have been spread in this manner. One other dairy in the same vicinity is affected and others are undergoing examination.

Protecting Women on the Streets.

LONDON, July 8.—The morning papers today devote much space to the Cass arrest and to a meeting of shopkeepers who remonstrated against the police and the magistrate. The Telegraph has the comment: "One or two references were made at the meeting, to the contrast shown between the condition of the New York streets and those of the English capital on the American city. Mr. Jay said, with perfect truth, that the young ladies who walk out on the streets at night were not insulted, and had no suspicion cast upon them; and he thanked God that he had been driven through obliged to mingle with disreputable characters. America in this respect is a long way ahead of the old country."

A Will to Buy Negroes.

WASHINGTON, July 8.—The office of the Register of Wills for this district is being overhauled and repaired. Among the old papers found in the search was an instrument made by Gen. Kosc usko on May 5, 1798. The paper reads as follows:

I, Thaddeus Kosciusko, being just in my departure from America, do hereby declare and direct that should I make no other testamentary disposition of my property in the United States, I request and desire that Mr. Thomas Jefferson to employ the whole there of in purchasing negroes from among his own or any other lands, and giving them in my name; in giving them an education in trades or otherwise, and in having them instructed for their final condition in the duties of morality that may make them good neighbors, good citizens, and good husbands and wives; and, in their duties as citizens, teaching them to be defenders of their liberty and country, and of the good order of society and of whatsoever may make them happy and useful; and I make the said Thomas Jefferson executor of this.

Signed.) T. KOSCIUSKO."

A Man Cut in Two.

MARQUETTE, Mich., July 8.—Gabriel Grobe, a Finlander employed in the Barnes mill here, fell against a circular saw last night and was cut in two diagonally from the hip to the left shoulder, the heart being bisected.

Died of Old Age.

PUTNAM, Ct., July 8.—The mother of "Doc" Levi Wilson of the famous Wilson-Morn case has just died, cause of death, old age apoplexy and worriment. She made no confession regarding Levi's birth.

Cyrus W. Field Makes a Statement.

NEW YORK, July 8.—Cyrus W. Field has issued the following statement regarding the sale of the Manhattan stock: "So many conflicting reports having been circulated in regard to the late sale of the Manhattan stock, I have decided to give the following statement: My self and associates sold 78,000 shares of Manhattan stock to Jay Gould unconditionally. I state further that Gould acted in a satisfactory manner, and there is a most friendly feeling between us. I have no idea of resigning my position as director."

Woman's Battle with a Weasel.

NEW BRUNSWICK, N. J., July 8.—To-day Mrs. William Conklin, of Dunham's corners, six miles from here, was in town to have her wounds dressed by Dr. Inslee. She had been killing fell, on her face. She, however, man used to catch the chicken by one leg, when the weasel sprang at her throat. The right hand sank through to the bone. She dropped the chicken and with her left hand caught the weasel by the back of the head, but it soon broke caught the forefinger of her right hand in its mouth and chewed it up horribly. She kept her grip, however, and finally succeeded in strangling the weasel to death. All this time she was lying on the ground. She regained her feet thankful that she had escaped with her life and kept the weasel from her throat. She is proud of her achievement and had the weasel with her to-day to have it stuffed, to show to her friends.

PERSONAL.

Mr. M. A. Davis has returned from a business trip to Pennsylvania.

Thomas Randolph, Sr., of Central avenue, is confined to his house by illness.

Mrs. Paul Kotzel is still an inmate of Muhlenberg hospital, but is slowly recovering.

Mr. W. S. Stevens and wife are spending the day with some friends at the W. C. T. U. meeting in Ocean Grove.

John Cawston and Miss Minnie Hull, both of this city, were united in marriage on Saturday last by the Rev. D. J. Yerkes.

Frank Marsh, President of Common Council, started to-day for Spring Lake, N. J., accompanied by his wife, two daughters and son, to be absent about a week.

Percy Stewart, of this city, is pitcher on the Yale College nine. He is now home for the summer vacation. The Yale "Crescents" last Monday in the game won by them.

Joseph, the eight months old son of Patrick and Ellen McGawley of Washington avenue died this morning of cholera infantum. Funeral to-morrow at three p. m.

Mrs. Dr. Tomlinson's paper on "Parlor Meetings" read yesterday before the meeting of the W. C. T. U. at Ocean Grove was one of the most interesting documents brought before the Association.

Mr. Theodore Mullen has disposed of his property at No. 20 North avenue to Mr. Frederick Furtz of North Plainfield, and will leave the city to engage in business at New Rochelle, New York.

Fred. Knowland, of East Seventh street, has been appointed to a position on his farm on the Alleghany river near Pittsburg, and will return there again on Saturday for further instructions. Mr. Knowland's farm in the Alleghany runs through Mr. Knowland's farm, and the spot is enjoyed in fishing for salmon. Mr. Knowland has been a victim of chills for the first time in thirty years. The Pittsburg markets are stocked with this youth some fish. Mr. Knowland is a member of the Court of Common Pleas of this County and Union at the expiration of said three months when exceptions thereto may be filed by any person interested.

Dated May twenty-fourth, eighteen hundred and eighty-seven.

W. R. CODINGTON, Assignee.

Died.

McGAWLEY—Joseph McGawley, age eight months, son of Patrick and Ellen McGawley of Washington avenue, died this morning at five o'clock, of cholera infantum. Funeral at 3 p. m. to-morrow. Relatives and friends invited.

Cent-a-Word-Column.

BOARDERS wanted at Mrs. Smith 29 East Second street. 5-6

FOR SALE—Eight acres of land on Somerset street, known as Woodland's Grove. Apply to Peter Wooden, or to law office Suydam & Stillman. 7-4

FURNISHED ROOMS to let, with or without board, at No. 11 West Second street. 7-2-tf

FOR SALE, to rent, or would exchange for Brooklyn property, my handsome new residence in best location. Terms easy. For particulars address P. O. Box 1504, Plainfield. 8-4tf

HOUSE and lot with stable near Grant avenue for sale, splendid opportunity for investment, buildings in good order. Address Box 1368. 7-8-eod-4tf

LOST—A sum of money with check part of table to Carney Brothers. Reward for its return to Carney Brothers, 9 and 11 Somerset street.

MONEY to loan on first mortgage. Box 1211. 5-tf

PASTURE for horses. Enquire of D. Read, Netherwood. 7-1-tf

TO LET—Four rooms pleasantly located on Read street, opposite No. 134 East Second street. 8-2

WANTED—A young girl for upstairs work and to make herself generally useful. 10 East Fifth street. 7-2

WANTED by a young colored girl a situation as nurse girl or light housework. Address B., care EVENING NEWS. 8-1

WANTED—A respectable girl for general housework. Apply to corner of Washington avenue and Prospect place. Mrs. Plainfield. J. P. EMMONS. 7-6-tf

50,000 celery plants, Henderson's half dwarf, and white plume; also late cabbage and cauliflower plants in variety at Denbow's, Hillside avenue. 29-3

Legal Notices.

ASSIGNEE'S NOTICE TO CREDITORS.—Notice is hereby given to the creditors of Frank C. Green, of the City of Plainfield, Union county, New Jersey, that all claims against his estate must be exhibited to the subscriber, assignee at his office on the west corner of Park avenue and Second street, Plainfield, New Jersey under oath or affirmation on or before the thirteenth day of July next being three months from the day of the assignment or be forever barred from coming in for a dividend of the estate; and said creditors are further notified that a list of the claims against the said Frank C. Green will be made within the time allowed by the Court of Common Pleas of this County and Union at the expiration of said three months when exceptions thereto may be filed by any person interested.

Dated May twenty-fourth, eighteen hundred and eighty-seven.

W. R. CODINGTON, Assignee.

NOTICE—The Plainfield Gas Light Co., would call attention of the Gas Consumers in this city to the marked improvements recently made in the construction of gas stoves for heating and cooking.

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A REPORT THAT DETECTIVES HAVE KILLED FOUR MEN.

Should the Report Be Verified an Uprising Will Doubtless Take Place—The Coke Operators Will Adopt an Aggressive Course.

USHONTOWN, Pa., July 8.—Six thousand Hungarians, of the 12,000 strikers in the coke regions, are on the eve of an open revolt. Last night 100 Pinkerton men were on guard at the West Leisenring coke works, and a conflict with the strikers is hourly expected.

The sheriff was notified last night that the Pinkerton men had been forced to kill four strikers in order to hold their ground. He had just returned from the scene of contention a few hours before, knowing the imminent danger and expecting trouble. He believed that the report had not gone to the public. It spread rapidly throughout the entire region, and before the reporters could reach the works the report had created as much excitement as the day it had been true.

It is feared the strikers, incensed by the report of the killing, will attempt deviltment to-day. Posse after posse has been sworn in.

The coke operators have decided upon an aggressive course, and will evict all strikers from their houses who do not return to work, and bring in new hands, either from New York or Chicago. Notices to give up property will be served by the sheriff and deputies at a number of works on Monday. More special police will be employed.

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What is Thought of the Letter by Grand Army Men and Others—A Belief That the Encampment Will Condemn the Hostile Expressions.

ST. LOUIS, July 8.—The following letter, which was given out for publication yesterday, explains itself. It is addressed to the committee that invited him to St. Louis, Messrs. David R. Francis, mayor; Frank Gaiesone, of the Merchants' Exchange, and John W. Noble, of Frank P. Blair Post No. 1, G. A. R.:

"EXECUTIVE MANSION,
"WASHINGTON, July 4, 1886.

"GENTLEMEN: While I have hitherto made no formal response to your invitation given in February last to myself and Mrs. Cleveland to attend the national encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic, to be held in St. Louis from the 27th to the 30th of September next, I have verbally indicated my purpose to accept it if I could find it possible then to be absent from Washington.

"The statement contained in your letter that the organization was never in so flourishing a condition as now nor its membership so large; that new efforts are being spared by the citizens of St. Louis to insure a welcome of unusual warmth at this the first encampment of the Grand Army held in a southern state, and your suggestion that no compliment more fitting could be bestowed upon the valiant defenders of a common country by the chief executive of a common country and of a restored union, and none would be more highly appreciated than that conferred by his presence at such a time and place, enabled me to make the decision either from New York or Chicago. Notices to give up property will be served by the sheriff and deputies at a number of works on Monday. More special police will be employed.

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THE FRIGHTFUL DEATH OF MISS MUCHMORE AT ARLINGTON.

An Explosion of Gas Cotton Causes the Burst Walls to Fall Upon Her, She to Burned to Death in Sight of Helpless Friends.

ARLINGTON, N. J., July 8.—An explosion occurred about 10 o'clock yesterday morning in the Schuylkill Powder Blasting Company's works. The works where the explosion took place are located in the center of the town. The nine buildings comprising the manufactory were all of brick. The explosion of two. The explosion occurred in the drying room, throwing the machinery and debris high in the air and scattering bricks and mortar for hundreds of feet around. Six of the nine buildings were totally demolished and two others were partially leveled to the ground.

Fire followed immediately after the explosion, and spread so rapidly that all that was left to burn was consumed in a very short time.

The cause of the explosion is attributed to a new hand, a young Swede, named August Hulangren, who was carelessly handling some gun cotton. This, however, can not positively be known, as Hulangren's body, after the explosion, was found in a neighboring field horribly mangled.

Miss Ariana T. Muchmore had been sitting in an armchair in the packing room, nearest the drying building, when the explosion took place. The side of the building and a mass of bricks were blown upon her, burying her nearly to the shoulder. Superintendent H. S. Barnes seized her arms and tugged desperately to extricate her. Deputy Coroner R. D. Craig, Dr. James A. Eaton and others, who had rushed into the grounds when the explosion occurred, joined him. The flames swept toward them and they clambered back through the debris. The fumes remained longest, and the flames blistered his face before he abandoned the girl, who was still living. Even after him two other workmen, Frenchmen by birth, lingered in and made another effort to drag the girl out. She moaned as they tugged at her shoulders, but in an instant the flames drove them back and they were compelled to leave her to her fate. As soon as possible search was made for the remains of the unfortunate girl. All that remained was a charred fragment of the trunk and the bones of the skull, which were so burned that they crumbled to pieces when picked up. The remains of both victims were taken by Deputy Coroner Crane to East Newark.

James Fay was found unconscious on a coal heap. He had been struck in the side by some flying missile. By Deputy Coroner Crane's orders he was taken to St. Michael's hospital, Newark, where it was said last night that he would probably die.

Charles Hall was in the mixing room when the fiery blast drove across from the drying rooms. He plunged through the falling walls just in time to escape from the explosion of the alcohol in his own room. He was badly burned and cut all down one side and about the head, but his injuries are not serious. He left a gold watch and roll of money.

George Van Emburgh was the worst hurt of those who escaped from the collar and cuff building, but his wounds and injuries are not dangerous. The injuries of all the rest consists of cuts, burns and bruises from the flying debris, and none of them are serious.

Across the street from the office building the windows were blown out of the machine shop of H. E. Ashcroft, and another large building just being fitted up for a factory had its roof lifted, its side wrenched and broken, and all its window frames blown out.

On the other side of the railroad, and fully 150 yards from the explosion, the windows of Beckett & McDowell's machine shop were blown in, bricks were torn from the walls, and the state roof was broken up. A frame street beyond the railroad also suffered even more damage, one side being smashed in.

The postoffice, an eighth of a mile from the works, had a large window facing toward them. It went, sash and all. At C. Lawrence's Arlington market, a quarter of a mile away, up a hill, with trees between, the show window went out.

The explosion caused a panic in the village, hardly a house or a store having a whole window left. The Greenwood Lake railroad station, which stands about 150 feet from the Callenite works, was badly wrecked, the doors being blown off and other damage done. The force of the explosion was so great that persons were knocked down in the streets and at their houses.

The factory was owned by Philadelphia capitalists, and was engaged in making reproduced were collars, cuffs, umbrella handles, piano keys, etc., made from celluloid.

The loss on the factory will reach $50,000, on which there is no insurance. The loss to people will lose several thousand dollars. There is no fire apparatus in Arlington, but the inhabitants did everything in their power to quench the flames and look after the safety of the employes.

The Swiss Lake Disaster.

ZURICH, July 8.—The pecuniary damage resulting from the disaster at Zug on Tuesday night will amount to $250,000. Seventy persons are missing and 80 rendered homeless. There were three distinct disappearances of the land, the last one carrying with it five houses. The funds of the municipal treasury have been removed from the town hall to the post office as a measure of precaution against further landslides taking place. The roof of the Hotel Zurich is still visible above the surface of the water.

Must Keep a Level Head.

GORDON, July 8.—Superintendent Lawler, of the Reading railroad, has issued a notice to all employes of the Schuylkill division that they must abstain from intoxicants whether on or off duty. If any be reported to him as having been seen taking a drink of *liquor or beer will be summarily dismissed* from the service of the company. He says in his order that there is no business that needs level headed men more than railroading, both for the safety of the employes and the traveling public."

A Poor Abused Thief.

NEW YORK, July 8.—Henry Lang recently wrote Mayor Hewitt a pathetic letter charging the Knights of Labor with persecuting him and preventing him from getting a living because he was not a union man. The mayor wrote the papers about it and there was much denunciation of labor organizations. Through the mayor's influence Lang was appointed janitor of a flat. Wednesday night he was arrested for disorderly conduct by the occupants of the flat. The police say he has a bad record.

The Queen's Catholic Subjects.

LONDON, July 8.—The queen has addressed to Mr. Henry Matthews, home secretary, who presented her majesty with an address from the grand council of the Catholic Reading Union, in which she says: "I have always felt full confidence in the loyalty of my Catholic subjects, both in and out of Ireland."

Fatal Fall in Brooklyn.

BROOKLYN, July 8.—Five men were seriously, one of them fatally, injured by the falling of the roof of the lately erected shed on Franklin dock, near the Wall Street ferry. The men were at work on the roof when one of the ferryboats struck the pier, the concussion causing the roof of the shed to fall. Several others of the men, seeing the roof tottering, escaped in time to prevent being crushed in the falling debris.

An Octogenarian Celebrates.

STAMFORD, Conn., July 8.—Mr. Nathaniel R. Adams, one of Stamford's oldest residents, celebrated his 80th birthday by an entertainment given to some of his intimate friends last night. Deacon Adams has been a striking figure in Stamford for half a century. He is a local justice of the peace for over twenty years, and not one of his decisions has ever been reversed by a higher court.

Ruined by the Elements.

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., July 8.—Dispatches from Carlisle and Arkadelphia, Ark., state that those places were visited by a severe wind and rain storm Wednesday afternoon. The Baptist church at Carlisle was blown down and several other buildings were completely destroyed. It is impossible to estimate the loss to crops and property. So far as ascertained there has been no loss of life.

The Alleged Chinese Outrage.

WASHINGTON, July 8.—A representative of the Chinese minister says that no official notification had been received with reference to the outrages on Chinese miners escamped on the Snake river, in Oregon. In the event of complaint being made the information will be first lodged with the Chinese consul at San Francisco and will then be formally laid before the minister in Washington.

Mrs. Ernst's Assassin on Trial.

NEW HAVEN, July 7.—The trial of Henry B. Chamberlain, who, with James B. Taylor, is charged with the murder of old Margaret Ernst, in this city, on May 10, was begun today in the superior court before Judge Stoddard. The prisoner pleaded not guilty. After a jury had been secured the court adjourned to to-day. The grand jury have not yet reported in the Way murder case.

Shot His Assailants Dead.

PALESTINE, Tex., July 8.—Ben Craig and John Hill were shot and killed yesterday by Green Hill, a brother of John Craig and John Hill had quarreled with Green Hill over wages claimed to be due them for labor in the latter's camp. Yesterday they attacked him, and, in defending himself he shot them dead. He then gave himself up.

Charges Not Sustained.

NEW YORK, July 8.—Police Captain Allaire was tried yesterday by the police commissioners on charges of discriminating against or in favor of certain gamblers. The evidence was so weak that the captain was told by the commissioners not to offer any testimony in defense. It is therefore considered certain that they will dismiss the charges.

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Illustrations and Description of the New Game of Ringoal, Played by Our Rentish Cousins and Greatly Resembling the Old Time Sport of La Grace.

A so called new out door game, recently described in London Field as "ringoal," is in reality a development of the old fashioned game "la grace," which was played by throwing a light hoop off into sticks. The hoops used in the game of "ringoal" are heavier than were the grace hoops, while the action with which these are thrown is not the same as that used in "la grace." In ringoal the whole strength of the body can be brought into play.

FIG. 1. GAME OF RINGOAL—THROWING.

It is possible, with a little practice, to throw the ringoal hoop more than 100 yards almost horizontally, whereas the old la grace hoops would not travel more than half that number of feet, even if described in a half circle. Moreover, it is said, as in battledore, the object of the players is to keep up the throw as long as possible, while ringoal resembles lawn tennis in keeping strictly the reverse. The cuts show the positions in throwing and in catching the hoop.

FIG. 2. RINGOAL—CATCHING.

The game requires two goals, erected facing each other, at a distance of twenty-six yards. In front of each goal and six feet from it there is a cross formed with the goal line a base within which each of the players takes his or her stand. One player takes the hoop on both sticks, and throws it swinging it off with both sticks and directing it with his left in the direction of the other player, endeavoring to send it past him through the goal. To this other player tries to prevent by catching the hoop on one or both of his sticks; and if he is successful he throws it back at his opponent, in order, if possible, to get into his goal. The hoop is thus thrown to and fro between the players, the thrower scoring one point each time that he succeeds in sending his hoop past his opponent into the goal. This is briefly the principle of the game.

Mildred Bradley's Dream.

Mildred was so tired. She had been out at a party the night before till 9 o'clock, and as she was only 5 years old it was an hour and a half past her bedtime. Suddenly she heard a tiny voice near her, and turning, saw a wee little lady dressed in white, with a wreath of dewdrops on her head.

"My dear," said the fairy, in soft voice, "I saw you give one of the favors from the party to a little girl who could not stay so late as yourself; therefore I will grant you a wish, and you may think for five minutes; you can in that time make a wish."

Mildred thought carefully, and was ready in exactly three minutes before the fairy said "Time's up." She said, "I wish for a silver music box that will play 'Yankee Doodle' and 'Money Musk.'"

"Done," said the fairy, slightly stamping her foot, and immediately there appeared before Mildred a handsome music box inlaid with gold.

She was just turning to thank the fairy when, to her great amusement, the mite had vanished as suddenly as she appeared, and she heard her brother Tommy calling, "Hallo, Milly! aren't you ever coming down to see Uncle Rikt? I have been calling you a long while."

"Yes, Tom, I am coming," she answered quickly, and went down the stairs to greet her uncle, and found he had brought her a very handsome music box, although it was not inlaid with gold, but that tune is played forever 'round, and Mildred is confident it somehow came to her through the fairy.—Harper's Young People.

A Disastrous Ride.

Catherine Holmes, in Independent, tells how:

Some little Drops of Water
Were borne away in the sea,
To go upon a journey
Once happened to agree.

A cloud they had for carriage,
They drove a playful breeze,
And over town and country
They rode along at ease.

But oh! there were so many
At last the carriage broke,
And to the ground came tumbling
These frightened little folk.

And through the moss and grasses,
They went with mighty force,
Until a brooklet found them
And carried them all home.

Burial Places of Our Presidents.

The burial places of our dead presidents are widely scattered. Washington's body lies at Mount Vernon; the two Adamses are buried under the old church at Quincy, Mass.; Jefferson rests at Monticello; Madison's grave is at Montpelier, not far from Monticello; Monroe's remains lie in the Richmond cemetery; Jackson's grave is in front of his old residence, "The Hermitage;" Van Buren was buried at Kinderbook; Harrison at North Bend, near Cincinnati; Polk at Nashville; Taylor's remains are near Louisville; Pierce more lies in Forest Lawn cemetery, Buffalo; Pierce was buried in Concord and Buchanan at Lancaster; Lincoln's grave is near Springfield; Johnson's at Greenville; Garfield's at Cleveland; Grant's at Riverside and Arthur's at Albany.

Magic Ink.

Our young folks who are interested in chemical experiments may be glad to learn that any writing or picture made with a solution of cobalt chloride is invisible until heated strongly for a few seconds, when the written characters or picture appear of a blue color. By simply breathing upon the paper, they again disappear from view, to reappear if again heated.

THE CURIOSITY SHOP.

The Three Ways of Measuring Heats—Fahrenheit, Reaumur and Centigrade. The Fahrenheit Scale—Reaumur's Scale and the Centigrade plan. By the first a given quantity of mercury is allowed to expand or contract to a given space. It is to this scale that the old height of the column refers. That is *the freezing point* (32 degs.). The boiling point is laid down at 212 degs. The difference is divided into 180 equal portions or degrees. In Reaumur's scale the space between freezing, which is called zero, and boiling, which is called 80 degs., is divided into eighty equal parts. In the Centigrade scale between freezing (zero) and boiling appears the same distance, but this height of the column is divided into 100 equal parts. In this country Fahrenheit thermometers are almost universally used. To reduce Centigrade to Fahrenheit double the number of Centigrade degrees, subtract one-tenth of the amount and add thirty-two to the remainder. For temperature below zero Centigrade, subtract thirty-two.

A Remarkable Congress.

The continental congress first assembled in Independence hall, in Philadelphia, and continued its sessions there until December, 1776; then in Baltimore till March, 1777, when they were again held in Philadelphia. In September the British success at Brandywine placed the city at the mercy of the enemy and congress was removed to Lancaster, Pa., for a few days; then to York, Pa., where its sessions were continued till June 27, 1778. On the 2d of July it was again removed to Philadelphia to remain till June 30, 1783.

On Nov. 26, 1783, congress convened at Annapolis, Md.; on Nov. 30, 1784, at Trenton, N. J., and the following January it removed to New York, continuing there until 1790. There the constitution was adopted, and the first federal congress under the constitution assembled, with Washington for president in March, 1789. In 1790 Philadelphia again became the capital for ten years, and in 1800 the capital was removed to Washington.

The Poet Soldier.

One of the most brilliant intellects sacrificed in the war of the rebellion was that of Brigadier General William Haines Lytle, whose poem "I am dying, Egypt, dying," has made his name famous in song as in war. General Lytle was born in Cincinnati in 1826, and was graduated at Cincinnati college in 1843. He served in the Mexican war, and in 1857 was the Democratic candidate for lieutenant governor of Ohio. On the opening of the rebellion he went to the front in command of a Buckeye regiment, and served in West Virginia, where he was wounded in 1861. Later, he was in command of a brigade under Gen. Mitchel, and was wounded for the second time at Perryville, Ky., in October, 1862, when he was the star of a brigade general. He subsequently did loyal service under Gen. Rosecrans, until killed at Chickamauga, Sept. 20, 1863.

Chief Justice Taney's Announcement.

When Chief Justice Taney gave his famous decision in the Dred Scott case some charity must be exercised. He was accused of saying that "a negro has no rights a white man is bound to respect." The expression became connected with Judge Taney's name at a time when the contest over the introduction of slavery into Kansas was at fever heat, and for many years it has been believed that the chief justice used it to express his own views. The truth is that, in speaking of the status of the negro at the time of the formation of the constitution, Judge Taney expressed it by the words above quoted. A careful study of the context in which the expression appears, was so adverse to the negro that, though the accusation was not true in the letter, it was not untrue in the spirit.

Belligerents.

In 1861 England recognized the Southern people in their struggle against the government as belligerents. *The term is usually applied* in civil wars or insurrections. When insurgents are properly organized and observe the rules of international law, they may be recognized as belligerents. This indicates that the government so recognizing them has neither the right to decide the cause for which party is in the wrong; and belligerents are supposed to be treated more humanely than insurgents.

The Printing Press.

Franklin's printing press, on which he worked as a journeyman in 1725, was very little improved till 1817, when George Clymer, of Philadelphia, invented the Columbian press, in which the power was applied by compound lever. In 1829 Samuel Rust invented the "Washington" press, which superseded all others for a while. Daniel Treadwell, of Boston, invented the first power press, and in 1830, Samuel Adams, of the same place, invented the "Adams" press.

The Fleur-de-lis of France.

An old tradition says that the lily was first employed in France as an armorial bearing by Clovis I, representing that the flower was *first* presented to him by an angel at his baptism, the then fleur-de-lis on his shield standing for the Trinity. The adoption of the lily is also attributed to Louis VII. However, the device was employed about the same time in several European countries. It was adopted by France at some period during the twelfth century.

First Catch Your Hare.

It is generally believed that Mrs. Glass in her cookery book wrote "first catch your hare and then," the directions for cooking following, and that this is the origin of the expression, but some contend that the word catch was "scratch" (to skin), or scradge (trim), or scotch (to cut up). However this may be the expression has passed into a proverb, having a general application, advising one to be sure of a first step before too closely considering a second.

What is an Aneurism?

An aneurism is a pulsating tumor consisting of a sac or pouch into which blood flows through an opening in an artery. Aneurisms prove fatal by their pressure on some important part, or by bursting and allowing a sudden escape of blood. Aneurisms are cured by a deposit within the sac of fibrin from the blood, a result which may be promoted by the surgeon obstructing the artery above the aneurism by compression or by ligature.

National Holidays.

The Fourth of July and Christmas day are the only holidays recognized by United States law and they are only recognized as holidays; not designated as such; that is, they are not to be included in computing certain periods of time. Beyond this they are ordinary days. Strictly speaking, there are no national holidays.

Was Tilden Declared President?

Mr. Tilden was not declared President of the United States by congress, but the house of representatives made a declaration, in the form of a resolution, declaring that he was elected president and Mr. Hendricks vice president.

An Old Title.

The oldest titled family in England is the Arundel family, the first Earl of London having been so created by Henry II in 1185. But the title is now merged with others.

SCIENCE AND PROGRESS.

DISCOVERIES FROM NIGHTLY NEWS FOR THREE OR FORTY YEARS BACK.

Curious Application of Electricity to Warm Lamb's Gums—Ingenious Device for Detecting Kerosene in Water Mains—Recent Patents.

Mr. A. Pares, of Aachen, Germany, has devised an ingenious and apparently effective detecting instrument, a sketch of which, and the accompanying figure, from La Lumiere Electrique, gives an illustration of it.

THE STETHOSCOPE.

A lamp rod made of a substance that conducts sound well. This rod is held in a vertical position by a tripod, and to its upper extremity is attached a diaphragm, forming a microphone, M. The apparatus is completed by a regenerative dry pile, B; a telephone receiver, T, and a pear shaped contact, K, that permits of leaving the pile circuit closed at will, and of closing it only at the moment of observation.

On moving the rod, A, over the water pipe any leak therein can be distinctly heard by the ear. It is apparent that the *sensitiveness* of the apparatus is such that the slightest leak in the pipes inside of a house can be ascertained from the street.

When the observation is made in a place where there is much noise it is well to use two telephone receivers, or, if but one be used, to close one ear by means of a small device which Mr. Pares calls an antiphone, and which forms one of the adjuncts of the apparatus.

The microphone is so constructed that it can be fixed directly to a water conduit.

Photographic Etching on Wood Blocks.

Photographic etching upon boxwood blocks, such as are used in wood engraving, has been accomplished in Prussia. The block, which in its natural state is unsuitable, has its pores filled with insoluble carbonate of copper by means of two separate solutions, in which it is boiled sufficiently. A polish is then imparted to its surface, and the solution is applied to the back and sides, and finally a sensitized gelatine film placed over the polished face. The subject to be etched is photographed on the surface, and it is washed in and the unexposed parts of the gelatine removed. A coating of asphalt is next applied to the raised parts, the block steeped in nitric acid of suitable strength (the stronger the better), when it remains one hour, when it is removed and subjected to the action of sulphuric acid for the same time. The portions unprotected are then put in nitro-sulphuric, which by brushing is readily removed in the form of a greenish powder. To complete the process, the block is dried and briskly brushed with a stiff brush. Asphalt is lastly removed with benzine and the block is ready for press.

Sense of Smell in Dogs.

The results of some experiments made by Mr. George J. Romanes to test the sense of smell in dogs are reported in Science. Mr. Romanes found that not only the feet, but the whole body of a man exhales a peculiar odor which a dog can recognize as that of his master amidst a crowd of other persons; that the individuality of this odor can be recognized at great distances to windward, or in cases where the person is in a closed room or station, and that even powerful perfume may not overcome this odor, and yet a single sheet of brown paper, when stepped upon instead of the ground, and after ward removed, was sufficient to prevent his dog from following his trail.

Watering the Floors of Mines.

A mining engineer reports the successful use of water applied to the floors of deep mines to allay the dust, and thus prevent explosions. A slight dampness, such as prevails in shallow mines at all times, is, in his words, sufficient to lay the dust effectively, and the systematic watering of deep mines has been introduced at the Lawyatria colliery and at the Standard colliery. The water not only purifies the air, but robs it of the inflammable coal dust.

Curious Cases of Poisoning.

A Boston journal contains a report of six cases of poisoning from the arsenical wall paper of a single room, extending over a period of several years. The remedy for this paper was followed by perfect immunity to those who subsequently occupied the room.

Dr. Emery, of Boston, reports the poisoning of thirty-two boys at an orphan asylum in that city from chewing the inner bark of the locust tree, which they stripped from fence posts.

American Catarrhs.

The Medical Record quotes Dr. McKenzie as saying that American catarrhs are largely due to the dust, and that it is not unreasonable to believe that the tremendous clouds of unsettled earth which are driven into the faces of a city's population during this season have something to do with the excess of coughs and colds and the high mortality rate during that period, which in some years is exceeded only in the hot months of summer.

To Detect Organic Matter in Water.

For detecting organic matter in water some scientists use a solution of permanganate of potash (Condy's fluid). Six drops to a wineglassful of the water. This imparts a rose color to the water. Let it stand for two hours. If the color changes to dull yellow, the water is unwholesome. If the color disappears, the water is dangerous.

Electricity to Weaving Looms.

A manufacturer of Roubaix has invented a very curious application of electricity to looms. In this is adopted an indicator which strikes when a thread breaks, and thus saves the weaver from the close attention to the quickly moving threads which is so often injurious to the sight.

Increased Danger from Lightning.

Owing to the increased electrical intensity of the atmosphere, which is induced by the continual evolution of steam and smoke, Dr. Andrews estimates the danger from lightning is from three to five times greater than it was fifty years ago.

PHYSIOLOGY AND HYGIENE.

Hints to Mothers in Relation to Children.

Dr. Hall, in the Herald of Health, gives the following hints to mothers in relation to children: Never punish children for crying. The Herald of Health, in the discharge of its duty, is compelled to remind the disciples of Dr. Watts that the formation of these habits is sufficient which a physician labors in vain to break down and which humanity, in its ignorance, is constantly rearing. It would be well for mothers to remember that crying is the only means by which their offspring can express pain, and that they are responsible if it is not relieved. Never punish children for coughing. Coughing is a natural effort and therefore to punish a child for coughing is as cruel as it would be to punish it for sneezing. Never punish children for vomiting. Vomiting is a natural effort and therefore to punish a child for vomiting is as cruel as it would be to punish it for sneezing. Never punish children for refusing food. Refusing food is a natural effort and therefore to punish a child for refusing food is as cruel as it would be to punish it for sneezing. Never punish children for refusing to sleep. Refusing to sleep is a natural effort and therefore to punish a child for refusing to sleep is as cruel as it would be to punish it for sneezing. Never punish children for refusing to stand. Refusing to stand is a natural effort and therefore to punish a child for refusing to stand is as cruel as it would be to punish it for sneezing. Never punish children for refusing to walk. Refusing to walk is a natural effort and therefore to punish a child for refusing to walk is as cruel as it would be to punish it for sneezing. Never punish children for refusing to talk. Refusing to talk is a natural effort and therefore to punish a child for refusing to talk is as cruel as it would be to punish it for sneezing. Never punish children for refusing to eat. Refusing to eat is a natural effort and therefore to punish a child for refusing to eat is as cruel as it would be to punish it for sneezing. Never punish children for refusing to drink. Refusing to drink is a natural effort and therefore to punish a child for refusing to drink is as cruel as it would be to punish it for sneezing. Never punish children for refusing to walk. Refusing to walk is a natural effort and therefore to punish a child for refusing to walk is as cruel as it would be to punish it for sneezing. Never punish children for refusing to talk. Refusing to talk is a natural effort and therefore to punish a child for refusing to talk is as cruel as it would be to punish it for sneezing. Never punish children for refusing to eat. Refusing to eat is a natural effort and therefore to punish a child for refusing to eat is as cruel as it would be to punish it for sneezing. Never punish children for refusing to drink. Refusing to drink is a natural effort and therefore to punish a child for refusing to drink is as cruel as it would be to punish it for sneezing.

Food for Growing Boys.

The food of growing boys, and especially of those who are students, demands careful attention. While they should not be allowed to cram themselves with all sorts of sweets and trashy things, yet a moderate supply is all advisable. The following, noted by Table Talk, is the dietary of one of our better boarding schools:

Breakfast—Oatmeal, with an abundance of milk, bread and butter, a little meat or eggs, but not both.

Lunch—Fruit, rolls, buns, Albert biscuits, milk, pressed oysters in season or sardines.

Dinner—This meal should be served after study hours, and should consist of at least four courses. A light soup, two kinds of meat, potatoes and one vegetable, a salad with crackers and cheese and a plain, nourishing pudding. If the dinner is served earlier than 6 o'clock it is best to suggest a wafer with a tumblerful of milk at 8. All boys crave fat, and universally dislike fat meat, leaving it on their plates, it is well to give them light and palatable fats or cooking dishes, with fats nicely blended throughout.

A Remedy for the Common Wart.

It is very pleasing to know that a cure for the common wart, so troublesome and often so abundant on the hands and face, has been announced by physicians. According to The Medical Press, small doses of sulphate of magnesia taken internally will remove them. M. Colrat, of Lyons, has drawn attention to this extraordinary fact. Several children treated with three grains of Epsom salts, morning and evening, for a month, were cured. M. Aubers cites the case of a woman whose face was disfigured by these excrescences, and who was cured in a month by a dram and a half of the same salts. M. Colrat also quotes reports a case of large warts which disappeared in a fortnight from the daily administration of ten grains of salts.

Dandruff.

Dandruff is one of those trifling but obstinate ailments that can nevertheless cause incalculable misery. According to medical authority it is a superficial chronic inflammation of the skin without exudation or swelling. Essentially, it is a mild manifestation of eczema. In order to do so an enfeebled state of the skin, in many cases hereditary. A treatment sometimes used with gratifying results is to rub the scalp every night with glycerine containing a small quantity of carbolic acid, five grains of acid to an ounce of glycerine, and wash the head thoroughly in the morning with soap and water.

The Use of Chloral.

An interesting medical opinion on the use of chloral is that of Dr. Hack Tuke, a celebrated English physician for the insane. He has seen so many disastrous results from the abuse of the drug that he fears its introduction has done more harm than good. He says: "It is the first thing now taken by a man of intellect who is overworked, and it is the last thought by the nervous fashionable lady; it is the temporary prop to the drunkard; and to the doctor, in many cases, it is the means of keeping a troublesome patient quiet."

SOCIAL ETIQUETTE.

Manners and Customs Practiced in Polite Society.

There are certain little ways of wording an invitation, say a dinner invitation, that hardly change, save for the names, dates and addresses. As good authority as Mrs. Burton N. Harrison initiates the novice into these as follows:

If the dinner to be given is not one of ceremony (which in New York means a banquet to which guests are bidden three weeks in advance), the hostess herself writes in the first person to her dear Mrs. Tompkins, hoping that "you and Mr. Tompkins will give us the pleasure of your company at dinner on Tuesday, the twenty-fifth, at half after seven o'clock," and signing herself "yours cordially,

M. SMITH."

To which Mrs. Tompkins, as promptly as may be, after consulting memory with her liege, responds, perhaps, as follows:

Dear Mrs. Smith (if on easy terms of friendship, otherwise My Dear Mrs. Smith):

Mr. Tompkins and I have great pleasure in accepting your kind invitation to dinner on Tuesday, the twenty-fifth, at half after seven o'clock. Yours cordially,

L. TOMPKINS.

It will be noted by the observer that both Mrs. Smith and Mrs. Tompkins write their dates in full, and that Mrs. Tompkins takes care to repeat the date and hour of the proposed festivity in order that no misunderstanding may arise.

Should Mr. Tompkins, on the other hand, be scandalized to give many and ceremonious regrets, she will be provided, for use on such occasions, with large, square cards, engraved as follows, with blanks for insertion of names and dates:

Mr. and Mrs. Tompkins regret the pleasure of Mr. and Mrs. Smith's company at dinner on Tuesday, January the twenty-fifth, at eight o'clock.

695 Fifth avenue.

In the Country.

Visitors to an English country house are made thoroughly at home. A plan in vogue in large establishments is for every one to have some oatmeal, an egg, some tea or coffee in his bedroom, and not to meet until lunch or the 12 o'clock breakfast. Those who have literary occupation thus save the hours more valuable for work; and such, including the hostess, has the morning to spend as it will. Should a long drive or excursion be in order, the hostess is expected to explain the night before, that every one may be in readiness. This freedom, together with a most watchful care for the comfort and pleasure of guests, gives a great charm to a sojourn at an English country place.

Miscellaneous Cards.

Kindling Wood.
12 Barrels for $2,
At P. S. Brokaw's coal yard, Corbin's old stand, P. O. box 97. Telephone No. 20.

Rudolph Laurent,
Practical Watchmaker
and Jeweler. Repairing of Watches and Jewelry a specialty. Shop at Laurent's residence, 111 Somerset street.

H. N. Spencer,
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A full assortment of Seeds, Bulbs, Plants, a assortment of fresh Garden Seeds, at Robinson and Smith's, Cedar Brook. Plants in season. Also Cut Flowers for Funerals, Parties, Dinners, Bouquets and Ornaments. Flower Pots, Stands, Baskets and Glassware.

Phillip Yaeger
New Furniture Store,
29 East Front street, where we have opened direct from manufacturers a new stock of furniture which we will sell at low prices for cash. Carpets, Oil Cloths, Mattings, etc. All goods purchased and delivered free. 4-11-1m*

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From Prize Plymouth Rocks.
Wyandottes, Houdans and Pekins. Also early hatched chicks to sell with broods that are hatching. Inquire at poultry yards on Leonard street near Clinton avenue. 4-7-1m*

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No. 18 East Third street, P. O. Box 91 Plainfield, N. J. Will varnish and make all kinds of any color and whitewash. Also, Carpets cleaned and altered. All orders will receive prompt attention. Carpets for sale at Hillside, near Prospect Ave. 3-11-3m

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Hats made to order. Ladies' Dresses for the Winter dress making, which she does in the best and latest style. 29 East Front street.

Trees, Shrubs,
Grapevines, Clematis,
Paeonies, Spring Plants and Cut Flowers, for sale by Mrs. Lindsley, Park avenue, corner of Madison. Orders left at residence of Mrs. Lindsley, No. 97 West Front street, opposite Park avenue, will receive prompt attention.

A. J. Couturier,
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Hair goods of every description at New York Prices. Also a full line of French perfumeries, lotion and powders. Shampooing and electrical manipulations by ladies. 16 West Front street.

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Orders delivered in all parts of the city. Telephone Call No. 24.

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R. J. PERKINS,
29 PARK AVENUE.

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On and after Sunday, June 27, 1887.
Trains leave Plainfield as follows:
Leave Plainfield at 5.45, 6.30, 7.00, 8.00, 9.00, 10.00, 11.00 a. m., 12.00 m., 1.00, 2.00, 3.00, 4.00, 5.00, 6.00, 7.00, 8.00, 9.00, 10.00, 11.00 p. m.
Sunday at 5.45, 6.30, 7.00, 8.00, 9.00, 10.00, 11.00 a. m., 12.00 m., 1.00, 2.00, 3.00, 4.00, 5.00, 6.00, 7.00, 8.00, 9.00, 10.00, 11.00 p. m.
Leave Dunellen at 5.49, 6.34, 7.04, 8.04, 9.04, 10.04, 11.04 a. m., 12.04 m., 1.04, 2.04, 3.04, 4.04, 5.04, 6.04, 7.04, 8.04, 9.04, 10.04, 11.04 p. m.
Leave Bound Brook at 6.00, 6.45, 7.15, 8.15, 9.15, 10.15, 11.15 a. m., 12.15 m., 1.15, 2.15, 3.15, 4.15, 5.15, 6.15, 7.15, 8.15, 9.15, 10.15, 11.15 p. m.
Sunday at 6.00, 6.45, 7.15, 8.15, 9.15, 10.15, 11.15 a. m., 12.15 m., 1.15, 2.15, 3.15, 4.15, 5.15, 6.15, 7.15, 8.15, 9.15, 10.15, 11.15 p. m.
Passengers for Philadelphia change cars at Bound Brook.

Plainfield and Somerville.
Leave Plainfield at 5.10, 7.15, 8.35, 9.31, 11.05 a. m., 1.35, 3.30, 4.40, 5.40, 6.40, 8.10, 9.40, 11.40 p. m.
Sunday at 5.10, 10.15 a. m., 4.40 p. m.
Leave Somerville at 6.05, 6.35, 7.00, 7.30, 8.55, 9.55, 10.15, 11.15 a. m., 12.55, 2.00, 3.55, 5.00, 6.05, 7.15, 9.40 p. m. Sunday at 8.55, 11.05 a. m., 1.55, 5.00, 9.40 p. m.

Plainfield and Easton.
Leave Plainfield at 5.10, 8.35, 9.31 a. m., 3.30, 4.40, 8.10, 9.40 p. m.
Sunday at 5.10, 4.40 p. m.
Leave Easton at 8.15, 9.55 a. m., 12.40, 5.15, 6.40 p. m.
Sunday at 8.15, 9.55 a. m., 5.15 p. m.

Watchung Connection.
5.10 a. m.—For Bonnell, Allentown, Hazlet and Manasquan.
1.35 p. m.—For Farmingdale, Easton, Wheatland, Cranbury, Dutch, Drifton, Upper Lehigh, Scranton, Wilkesbarre and Pittston.
3.31 p. m.—For Flemington, High Bridge, Branch, Schooley's Mountain, Lake Hopatcong, Easton, Allentown, Bethlehem, Mauch Chunk, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, Pittston, Hazleton, Drifton, Upper Lehigh, Whitehouse Junction, etc.
6.05 p. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Bethlehem, Mauch Chunk, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, etc.
4.34 p. m.—For Easton, Wind Gap, Mauch Chunk, Pen Argyl, Wilkesbarre, Driftton, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, etc.
6.15 p. m.—For Flemington, High Bridge, Branch, Schooley's Mountain, Lake Hopatcong, Easton, etc.
6.40 p. m.—For Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, etc.
Sunday at 8.37, 8.55, 9.55, 11.05 a. m. 1.51, 2.25 3.51, 5.51 6.54 p. m. Sunday except Ocean grove 8.37 8.37 a.m and 5.30 p. m.

Plainfield & Philadelphia Via Bound Brook.
Leave Plainfield for Philadelphia and Trenton at 1.35, 5.10,* 8.14, 9.45, 11.44 a. m., 2.35, 3.15 4.10,* 5.17 p. m. Sunday at 1.35, 3.10*, 5.17 p. m. Sunday at 1.35, 3.10*, 5.17 p. m. Sunday at
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Leave Philadelphia, Ninth and Green streets, at 5.30* 9.30 11.00 a. m.; 1.15, 3.45, 5.15, 7.00 12.00 p. m. Sunday at 4.30* 5.15, 12.00 p. m. Sunday at
Third and Berks Streets at 5.40,* 9.00, 10.30 a. m.; 1.00, 3.30, 5.00, 6.00, p. m. Sunday at 4.00* 5.00, 6.30 p. m.
Leave Trenton, Warren and Tucker Streets, at 1.25, 9.11,* 10.10, 11.30 a. m., 1.45, 4.15, 5.40,* 7.15 p. m. Sunday at 1.30, 9.10 9.40, a. m. 5.15 p. m.
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It is when a language teacher comes to handle the baggage of a star actor that he realizes the force of Hamlet's remark about Yorick—a fellow of infinite chest.—Siftings.

Bloker—Don't you think Simpkins is a very bright young man? Dumpsey—Well, yes, he would be if his check was polished.—Burlington Free Press.

"A boy assassin hanged," read Mrs. Bascom from the newspaper. "Well," she remarked, "a healthy boy is a great deal, but I don't think he ought to be hanged for it."—Burlington Free Press.

Miss Shaw-garden (of St. Louis, to Miss Breezy, of Chicago)—Well, how is everything in Chicago? Isn't it usual (sympathetic) Miss Breezy—No, things are looking very bright. How is the prospects in St. Louis?—New York Sun.

Minister (making a call)—And do you always do as your mamma tells you to, Florence? (Possie temphatically)—I guess I do, and so does papa.—New York Sun.

A correspondent asks: "Can you give me the salary of the speaker of the house?" Kind friend, we can't; we haven't got it; and if we had we'd probably conclude to keep it. —Philadelphia Call.

"Hurry! hurry!" cried Brown, impatiently, up the stairs, "we'll be too late for church." "Oh, no, dear," replied Mrs. B., buttoning her glove as she came down, "we can't be too late. I've got on my new suit."—New York Sun.

Queen Victoria's favorite dish is tapioca pudding. Her ministers seem to prefer Irish stew.—New York Star.

Jack (at the club)—I saw a mighty pretty little country girl this afternoon, Gus. She was climbing to the upper deck of a Fifth avenue stage. Gus (with interest)—Sol Is that so? Plain or striped? Jack—Stirped.—New York Sun.

"I wonder which Mrs. Simperton loves most, her bull terrier or her baby?" "How can you ask? You know babies are so fashionable."—Town Topics.

The question is being asked, "Why does a man eat before he is hanged?" Perhaps it is to prevent his dying from starvation.—Pittsburg Chronicle.

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"Why, yes. At all events, you can't deny that they were well connected."—Merchant Traveler.

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Kansas Mother—Oh, he's just as smart as they make 'em.

"Can he say papa and mamma yet?"

"No, he ain't learned that, but you just ought to hear him lisp 'real estate.'"—Omaha World.

Inside Points.

"I see," said a friend to the editor of a Dakota daily, "that you call these papers you are printing now the second edition—how do they differ from those you were running off half an hour ago?"

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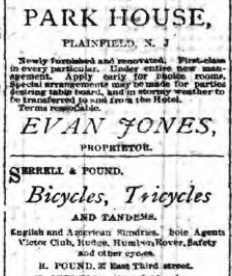

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—Street Commissioner Conover of the Borough is having the trees on Somerset street trimmed of their lower branches.

—The "Hit or Miss" Tennis club of North Plainfield practice daily on their grounds on Grove street. The members are quite proficient in the game.

—There will be no evening services in the Congregational church during the months of July and August. Sunday school will be held at four o'clock p. m.

—The case of Kerner vs. White an action upon contract, which was to have been tried before Justice Nash on Thursday last, has been adjourned over for one week.

—Those warm evenings Coddington's pond, on Somerset street in the Notch, is fairly alive with bathers, who as soon as it gets dark congregate there to enjoy a dip.

—The Board of Managers of the Plainfield Fire Department hold their regular July meeting in the City Court room at eight o'clock Tuesday evening, providing a quorum is present.

—Several persons who accompanied the W. C. T. U., excursion from this city to Ocean Grove yesterday, missed the train last evening and consequently were obliged to return by a later train.

—The evening freight, drawn by engine 113, due in this city at 9.50, last night had in tow a freight car loaded with dynamite. The car was labeled in large letters "Dynamite: Danger," and was en route for New York.

—Department Commander Wheeler, of the G. A. R., is about to issue general orders to the various posts of the State, including Winfield Scott post of this city, and will congratulate the department for the magnificent success attending the reception of Commander-in-Chief Fairchild at Newark on June 27.

—United States Marshall A. E. Gordon, yesterday served papers on Controller Carlton and Clerk Treasurer Whelan, of Elizabeth, having an attachment against all money now in the city treasury, and which may hereafter be collected on account of taxes, until the judgments in favor of the Geelets and Bonners, creditors of the city, whose claims amount to $45,000, are satisfied.

HIGH TEMPERATURE.

The Thermometer Rashly Engaged with the Hot Weather.

It was rumored on the streets this morning that a cold wave was pulling itself together somewhere in the Rocky Mountains this summer would be down upon this section to-morrow and Monday, and the longed for report was accepted with great satisfaction and large quantities of perspiration. Then everybody looks at the sign flag on Front street expecting to see the bird in the centre of the white maplin that would denote the approach of the western blizzard. But they were doomed to disappointment, for it had the appearance indigo-coloring which denotes the approach of rain or snow. Some one facetiously remarked that the Signal Service pulp used the white flags nowadays, but this allegation was rejected as libellous. The agents of the Signal Service know a thing or two about the weather, and while they may not be accurate in every instance, they are much better versed than the man who growls continually about the hot weather, or the bore who continually mops his forehead and greets every one with, "Is it hot enough for you?" The weather signal says it will either rain or snow before seven o'clock to-morrow morning, and as the temperature at the present writing will hardly permit of the latter, the former was looked for, and it came. An additional hot wave with what we already have in stock would exhaust the stock in trade of the oldest inhabitant.

The heat yesterday was, if anything a trifle more oppressive than on Thursday, and at three o'clock the thermometer at Stelle's drug store registered 95 as against 99 on the same day last year. It will be noticed by the annexed table that this morning started in on about the same line but the sky became overcast about 11 o'clock and a light breeze moderated the heat somewhat. The humidity of the atmosphere fell off considerably yesterday but to make up for that the temperature had arisen. A thunder shower came on hopping to no one's discomfort and everybody now says, "Much cooler, isn't it." The rain was very refreshing and instituted new life with man, beast, vegetation and all nature. The following table shows the temperature of the weather during the past week as taken at Stelle's drug store. The rain of Tuesday and Wednesday gave the thermometer a chance to make a fresh start, and on Thursday it took advantage of the rest afforded and kept the mercury up to a high point until to-day's shower.

Day	Date	7 a. m.	2 p. m.	9 p. m.
Sunday	3	71	78	76
Monday	4	74	80	78
Tuesday	5	74	80	76
Wednesday	6	71	78	76
Thursday	7	74	90	83
Friday	8	75	95	86
Saturday	9	79	95	86

—Services in the Park Avenue Baptist Church to-morrow. Preaching by the pastor, Rev. Asa R. Ditts, at 10.45, a. m. In the evening there will be a special service of song conducted by the efficient organist, Mr. Bennett. Two violins will be used to add to the interest of the service. All are welcome.

"AFTER THE MAPS."

$3,000 Offered for the Holmes' Maps: General Newton Wins Where Others Fail.

Yesterday Father O'Hanlon of North Plainfield was called to New York, in reply to offers by parties wishing to buy the maps made and owned by the late John Bute Holmes, formerly surveyor of New York city and resident at the time of his death, a few months ago, of Washington Valley, near this city. It will be remembered that at the sale of his effects the maps were purchased for $100 by the priest, for the benefit of the late widow, who had been placed in a very awkward predicament by having innocently contracted a marriage in good faith with Holmes, upon his representation that he was a widower, whose only wife was on a vessel, which was wrecked near Australia and all aboard lost; when, it appears, there were some half dozen or more women living who had borne the relation of wife to him, and been cast off as he became tired of them.

The only advantage the last wife had over the previous ones was that she, as a good Catholic, secured in her trouble the aid of the priest, who purchased the maps with his own money, and has undertaken the task of helping the young and inexperienced woman out of her difficulties.

A lawyer in New York yesterday said he had some of the Holmes' maps and wanted a few others to complete the set, and offered Father O'Hanlon $3,000 for them. This was refused.

Gen. Newton of New York, the commissioner of parks, who has called for a list of the Holmes' maps, to endeavor to have them purchased by the city of New York, as he says they are very valuable, well known by surveyors, and well thought of, and ought to be owned by the city.

W. C. T. U. Convention.

The convention of the State Women's Christian Temperance Union which has been in session at Ocean Grove for several days past closed last evening. Three excursion trains, one from Plainfield, Newark and Orange, went to the Grove yesterday, loaded with temperance workers, who attended the convention in a body. At ten o'clock a. m. President Downs called the convention to order, and Mrs. A. M. Hammer, the National and State Superintendent of the Department of Juvenile Work, assumed charge. In a brief address she set forth the importance of the temperance work among the young. Addresses were made by Mrs. C. G. Turner of Passaic, Miss Coleman of New York, Mrs. Mary E. Frome of Newark. This concluded the morning session, and in the afternoon President Downs gave a lesson in parliamentary drill. Mrs. Aaron Low Powell of Plainfield read an able paper on "Social Purity." Among the speakers of the evening were Major E. T. Scott and Gen. Clinton B. Fisk.

The Elm Tree Beetle.

According to the following from the Elizabeth Journal, Plainfield's not the only sufferer from ravages of the insect, which is destroying our elms, to which we called attention a few days ago:

"Many of the fine elm trees about the city are suffering from the ravages of the elm tree beetle. In Plainfield trees that are valued at hundreds of dollars each are being destroyed. THE NEWS is calling for any party or preparation that will save them. Mr. Ichabod Dayes, superintendent of the park system, states that the reason the trees were not sprinkled this year with the fluid used in Newark is because the board refused to be at useless expenditure of time and money. It had no effect whatever in preventing the ravages of the beetle. The worms have exhausted every effort under their control, and will be glad to receive any practical suggestions. Mr. Ayres states that the beetle or fly lays its eggs in the branches and limbs in early Spring, and the caterpillars are hatched and do the damage before they come to the ground. In this city many of the trees are being sprayed with London purple, but the remedy does not seem to fully meet the case, though it kills a great many of the insects."

Struck by Lightning.

During the thunder shower about noon today the house of Dr. J. H. Cooley on Terrace avenue, North Plainfield was struck by lightning. The chimney was considerably shattered and the bolt struck the roof and tore off a number of shingles, and then ran down the steam pipes but did not injure them. Mrs. Cooley and the baby were the only persons in the house at the time, and the former was stunned for some minutes by the shock. Her wrist is considerably bruised, but she does not know whether it was injured by the lightning or that she fell when stunned. The baby was not injured. Mrs. Cooley is somewhat prostrated from the shock sustained by her nervous system. The damage to the house is not very extensive and can easily be repaired. Mayor Cooley feels thankful that his family are saved.

Lehigh Valley and N. J. Central.

Coupled with the denial of a rumor that Austin Corbin had become a heavy owner of Lehigh Valley stock, purchasing the Packer interest, intending to unite the interests of the New Jersey Central and Lehigh Valley, is a statement that an alliance has been formed between the corporations of the Lehigh Valley and Central. The latter is also to unite with the Jersey Central in making improvements upon a large scale to the terminals of Jersey Central at Communipaw. When this shall be completed it is stated that they will be the finest at Jersey City. The passenger business of the Lehigh Valley under the new arrangement will continue to go to New York by the Pennsylvania Railroad Company's lines.

The Explosion of Cellonite.

The explosion at the Cellonite works at Arlington, a full report of which was given in THE NEWS yesterday appears to be more serious than was at first reported. Two persons were killed outright and six have been seriously injured, among them being Mr. J. E. France, a young man twenty-one years old and a former resident of this city. Mr. J. R. France, who formerly conducted a cotton manufacturing business at the corner of Sycamore and Fourth streets, was the superintendent of the concern.

—A number of the members of the La Favorita Social Club, formed a picnic party to-day and started by stage for Boynton Beach.

LATEST DISPATCHES.

THE NEWS controls the service of the American Press Association and the United Press, and is the only paper published in this section that possesses a Telegraphic News Franchise.

Thermometer Record.

The following is the record of the thermometer for this day and for the corresponding date of last year, as kept at Stelle's drug store, corner of Front street and Park avenue.

1887	1886		
8 a. m.....	74	66	Sun rises..... 4 37
2 p. m.....	95	73	Sun sets..... 7 33
9 p. m.....	86	80	Moon rises..... 10 19
5 p. m.....	84	92	Moon sets.....

Weather Indications.

For Sunday, in New Jersey, eastern New York, eastern Pennsylvania, and in New England, warmer, fair in part, followed by slightly cooler weather, followed by showers near the lakes.

Miss Garfield to be Married.

COLUMBUS, O., July 9.—It is announced in social circles here that Miss Mollie Garfield of Mentor, daughter of the late President Garfield, will be married soon to Stanly Brown, who was private secretary to President Garfield.

The Cattle Plague.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., July 9.—The health department's investigation into the diseased dairy of Henry Wassell has developed the fact that the cows died of pericardial effusion, not pleuropneumonia. How the cattle became affected remains a mystery. The complaint is much more serious than the common Texas fever, and measures were at once taken to quarantine what is left of the herd.

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Father Rogers Very Low.

NEW BRUNSWICK, N. J., July 9.—Father Rogers, of this city, lies seriously ill and is not expected to recover. The last sacrament was administered to him to-day. He is 66 years of age and for 30 years was pastor of St. Peter's church. His condition is due to the warm weather and general debility.

Barclay Peak Sentenced.

MOUNT HOLLY, July 9.—Judge Joel Parker announced his decision this morning overruling the motion for a new trial, in the case of Barclay Peak, the lad who was recently convicted of murdering Katie Anderson. Peak was sentenced to be hanged on September 1st. The prisoner manifested no signs of emotion when sentence was passed. His counsel will apply for a writ of error.

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PERSONAL.

Mr. E. L. Bonney and family, of this Borough, are sojourning at Asbury Park.

The family of Mr. J. W. Murray of Eighth street and Central avenue, are at the Prospect House, Bay Head Harbor, N. Y.

Henry D. Baldwin, wife and son returned Thursday from a visit to friends in this city. Mr. Baldwin formerly resided here.

Miss Anna Day and Miss Mary S. Hornby teachers in the Public Schools here, have located at Belgium, N. Y., for the summer.

Mr. D. V. L. Shepherd and family, of East Sixth street, start on Monday for a trip in the country and will be gone about two weeks.

Lawrence Paoli of North avenue started this morning for a trip to his native country, Italy. He expects to be gone about two months.

Mr. A. W. Suthphen, of Brooklyn, returned home to-day, after spending several days with relatives in this city, Somerville and vicinity.

Messrs. J. C. Pierson, J. H. Hallock, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Fish and Stephen Cahoone all of this city, are among the arrivals at Asbury Park.

Agnes, the eight-months-old daughter of Martin and Mary McCarthy, died at the parents' residence on West Third street, of cholera infantum.

George Miller, of the firm of Miller Bros., of Laing's hotel, is somewhat inconvenienced by injuries to his left leg, inflicted while alighting from a carriage.

Mr. Manning, the General Secretary of the Y. M. C. A. in this city speaks very highly of his trip to Northfield, Mass. He says the athletic games included in by the students were very interesting.

Prosecutor Wilson, of Elizabeth, sails for Europe to-day by steamer Umbria, accompanied by his sister. They will be gone about five weeks and will visit England, Ireland, Switzerland and Paris.

Mrs. John Muir of Leland avenue and daughter Miss Rachel Muir, sailed for Scotland on the steamer State of Georgia, Thursday morning, to be gone about two months. They purpose visiting old friends.

Dr. Field has been in Brooklyn for two or three weeks and is much improved in health. He will make a short visit to Plainfield in a few days, and anticipates making a trip to Europe, and will visit many points of interest on the continent.

Maurice Werner, the obliging young clerk in the employ of the Werner Clothing Company, on West Front street, is spending a couple of weeks with his parents in Connecticut. His brother, Herman, will occupy his position during his absence.

Dr. W. E. Hadley, Principal of the Plainfield Public Schools, accompanied by Miss Florence Bushnore and Miss Alice Lansing, of this city, and Miss Washburn, of Chicago sailed for Europe on the steamer Germanic on June 29, and arrived at Liverpool yesterday at 11 o'clock.

C. Ray is home from the west on a visit to her mother, Mrs. McMurtrie of North Plainfield. Mrs. Ray was married here about two years ago, and went west with her husband. She comes home on a visit to her mother every summer, and is always cordially greeted by her host of friends.

Messrs. Alexander Gilbert, John W. Murray and Prof. Wartenweiler, committee of the Board of Directors of the Music Hall, have decided to repaint the scenery and make other improvements in that public hall of pleasure. Seymour Parker, the well-known artist, has been engaged to do the work and will begin about the first of August.

Miss Mary, the daughter of Rev. Dr. A. H. Lewis of Central avenue, who has for some time past been suffering from blood-poisoning, was removed to the Spring Lake yesterday in a special car attached to the 2.25 p. m. train. Dr. Lewis and other members of the family accompanied Miss Lewis. Mrs. Dr. Kerr was also in attendance during the entire trip.

Mrs. Harriott A. Stuart, of Asbury Park, who came on a visit to friends on Race street, North Plainfield, a few weeks ago, died yesterday morning from consumption. Deceased has been a sufferer for many years from the dreaded disease, and had come to Plainfield, her former home, to recuperate. She was thirty-three years of age. This morning her six months' old baby died.

Austin Kimball, of Roseville, is the heaviest apple dealer in the world. His trade mark is 7, C. K., with X under. Mr. Kimball went to Europe some years ago. While at Constantinople he saw some barrels with his trade mark on them. He handled 130,000 barrels of apples last year. He supplies Philadelphia and Boston and ships to England and Europe. He buys in all portions of the country, but especially in Michigan, Canada and Prince Edward's Island.

Mr. W. A. Codington of Bound Brook, will begin the study of law in the office of City Judge Ulrich on Monday. Mr. Codington has had charge of a public school in Bound Brook for some time past, but has a decided preference for the legal profession. He is a talented gentleman and has a wide circle of friends who wish him success in his new venture. If earnest endeavor and a strict adherence to upright principles count for anything in the profession, Mr. Codington is destined to make his mark in the profession.

Edison's Star.

Just southwest of Somerset street, and five miles or so above the first mountain, a light occasionally flashes that is larger than the largest star and brighter, attracted attention last evening.

Some scientists thought they discovered in it a new star, and during the past six weeks had been putting forward claims to its discovery, until Edison's new five foot search light was put in position. It was only an electric light which he was experimenting with. The light is said to be on an elective wire five miles long. It is raised in the air by a balloon. The only thing that makes the light visible to the naked eye is the way it is slowly moved towards or from you.

It is put in motion at half-past seven, and is usually lowered about ten o'clock. It can be seen all over Plainfield. If there is a war in Europe it will probably play an important part, as a new system of signalling armies by night.

Freeholders of Union.

A meeting of the Union County Board of Freeholders was held at Elizabeth yesterday afternoon. A report was made in reference to the necessity of an iron draw bridge at Spencer street in Elizabeth. It was deemed to be a public necessity and the committee recommended that it be erected as soon as the necessary legislation authority is obtained. The committee recommended that an act be prepared and introduced at the next session of the Legislature, authorizing the erection of such a bridge. Numerous bills that had been properly audited were approved and ordered paid. A committee of five composed of Messrs. West, Pierson, Little, Doty and Kinsella were appointed to examine the bridge over Tucker's creek, near G. W. Rolf's, East Linden, and report if it is worth repairing or should be rebuilt; and also inquire into the necessity of enlarging or altering the Linden avenue bridge, near George Baker's. A brief discussion took place, relative to the rules of the Board, Mr. West saying he had looked all over the laws of New Jersey before he could find what he wanted. It was thought that it would be economy to have the laws and rules relating to the Board compiled and printed. The Board then adjourned.

CYCLES For Sale

1—54 inch RUDGE LIGHT ROADSTER.
1—52 inch AMERICAN CLUB.
1—52 inch " "
1—50 inch RUDGE and others.

VICTOR TRICYCLE.

For Prices and Particulars apply to

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Cent-a-Word-Column.

BOARDERS wanted at Mrs. Smith 12 E. Second street. 5-5

FOR SALE—Four mastiff pups. Address P. O. Box 1410. 9-2

FOR SALE—Eight acres of land on Somerset street, known as wooden's Grove. Apply to Peter Wooden, or to law office Suydam & Stillman.

FURNISHED ROOMS to let with or without board, at No. 11 West Second street. 3-2tf

FOR SALE, to rent, or would exchange for Brooklyn property, my handsome new residence in best location. Terms easy. For particulars address P. O. Box 1534, Plainfield. 8-4tf

FOR SALE or exchange, A farm 9 miles from depot, 37 acres, house, good outhouses, plenty of fruit, large peach orchard, spring water. Would sell cheap for cash or exchange for house in Plainfield or Plainfield. Address Box 222, Bound Brook.

HOUSE and lot with stable near Grant avenue for sale, splendid opportunity for investment, buildings in good order. Address Box 2309.

LOST—Thursday, June 30th. A small gilt charm with a topaz setting. Reward paid for its return to Reynold's drug store.

MONEY to loan on first mortgage. Box 2442.

PASTURE for horses. Enquire of D. D. Hand, Netherwood.

TO LET—Four rooms pleasantly located. Rent $8.00 per month. Enquire 124 East Second street. 8-2

WANTED—A good second hand single harness. Address F. Box 120. 9-2

WANTED by a young colored girl a situation to do light housework. Address R., care EVENING NEWS. 8-2

WANTED—A respectable girl for general housework. Apply to corner of Washington street and Netherwood place, North Plainfield. T. F. EDMONDS. 7-6tf.

YOUNG girl wanted for light house work, and to help take care of children. Call at once, 24 W. Front street.

50,000 celery plants. Henderson's Half Dwarf and white plume. Also late cabbage and greenhouse plants in variety at Denton's, Hillside avenue. 29-3m

NOTICE—The Plainfield Gas Light Co. would call attention of the Gas Consumers in this city to the marked improvements recently made in the manufacture of gas stoves for heating and cooking.

THE SUPERIORITY of the Gas Stove for roasting, baking and broiling has been demonstrated in the cooking schools of New York, and remains unquestioned.

We invite inspection of these stoves at our office corner of Fourth and Washington Sts.

Persons desiring to test the superiority of the stoves can bring articles to be cooked; and gas will be furnished for such tests FREE OF CHARGE.

SPECIAL RATES will be made for gas used for cooking so that the cost will compare favorably with the use of coal. The stoves will be delivered and set up for customers AT COST, or can be rented at moderate rates. PLAINFIELD GAS LIGHT COMPANY.

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Friday, July 15,

There will be several hours for Bathing and other Seaside Pleasures.

Tickets $1.25.

RECEIVER'S AUCTION SALE OF FURNITURE.

The subscriber will sell at Public Auction, at the Furniture Warerooms of Frank C. Green, corner of Second street and Park avenue, Plainfield, on

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At 10 o'clock a. m., the remaining stock of Furniture in said Warerooms, consisting of parlor suites, mattresses, cane seat chairs, walnut, mahogany, sycamore and ash chamber suites, wash-stands, fire screens, dining tables in walnut, ash and oak; bedsteads, bureaus, cupboards, ash and cherry; parlor cabinets, in cherry and walnut; book cases, hall racks, hanging racks, children's carriages, mantel mirrors, in walnut, fancy and library tables, sofa-cots, upholstery and other goods. Two curtain frames, two sets of engine harness, to be sold without reserve, in order to close out the stock now in the hands of the Receiver. Terms made known at sale. Sale will be continued until all is sold. Terms cash.

J. FRANK HUBBARD, Receiver.

July 6th, 1887.

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POPULAR BOULANGER.

Thirty Thousand People Assemble to Witness His Departure.

PARIS, July 9.—On the occasion of Gen. Boulanger's departure for Clermont-Ferrand yesterday, where he will assume command of his corps to-day, an immense crowd assembled at the railway station for the purpose of making a demonstration in his honor. The crowd was composed mostly of young men and boys, and was very noisy. Cheer after cheer went up as the general made his appearance, and shouts of "Vive Boulanger" were heard on all sides. The police were compelled to interfere to prevent the enthusiasm of the crowd from leading it to riotous acts, and several persons were arrested for violent resistance. The city was extensively illuminated last evening in honor of Boulanger. The crowd at the railway station when he departed numbered 30,000. Several demonstrations were sent to Clermont-Ferrand, taking the same train that the general did.

Settled by Arbitration.

CHICAGO, July 9.—The conference of the arbitration committees of the Bricklayers and the Master Masons' association, which has been in progress for several days, was finished this evening. Judge Tuley, as umpire, drew up a report, which was signed by both committees. The report declares the lockout at an end, allows the working day at eight hours, abolishes the functioning of the walking delegate, who will hereafter have no arbitrary power, appoints arbitration committees to settle future troubles, and makes sundry other changes. The report, it is expected, will be ratified by the Bricklayers' and the Masons' associations, and when that is done the labor difficulty of the past two months will be at an end.

Three Innocent Men Hanged.

CHATTANOOGA, Tenn., July 9.—The town of Scottsboro, Ala., is greatly agitated over a deathbed confession made yesterday. In August, 1884, George Smith, George Hughes and Adam Phipps were hanged for burning a house belonging to one Porter, on Sand mountain. The men were all convicted on the testimony of the Porter women, who swore positively against them. Adam Phipps man was sent to the penitentiary a short time ago for forging an order for a pair of shoes. He took sick a few days ago, and just before he died called the penitentiary officials around him and confessed that he had burned the Porter house, and the men who had been executed knew nothing about it. The confession has created a profound sensation.

For Destroying a Birthmark.

CHICAGO, July 9.—Mme. De Berkalaer and Dr. Birt were each fined $100 and sentenced to thirty days in the county jail by Judge Tuthill for destroying the birthmark on the person of baby Andrews, concerning the possession of which a strong suit has been in progress in the courts for several days. Contempt of court was the offense for which this punishment was administered. It consisted in tampering with evidence, and the evidence was the birthmark, by means of which the child was identified. Mme. De Berkalaer acknowledged having ordered the birthmark cut away from the child, and Dr. Birt admitted having performed the operation.

Stanley, the Explorer.

LONDON, July 9.—News has been received from Henry M. Stanley to the effect that on the route from Leopoldville to Lonkiedia he experienced considerable trouble with his men on account of the scarcity of provisions. Mr. Stanley himself was laid up with fevers of the head, but expected to reach the confluence of the Congo and Aronhonim rivers by June 6, where he intended to await the arrival of the Tib from Stanley Falls, with men and provisions.

To Sell the City's Interest.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., July 9.—The board of aldermen last night, by a vote of 16 to 7, accepted the recommendation of the finance committee that the city's interest in the Derby railroad be sold to W. H. Starbuck for $225,000 and other considerations. The council acts on the matter Monday.

Victorious Horseshoers.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., July 9.—All the shops in the city whose horseshoers have been on strike for higher wages have yielded to the demands of the men.

TRADE BULLETIN.

New York Money and Produce Market Quotations.

NEW YORK, July 8.—Money closed at 4 per cent., with a good deal of business done. The highest rate was 6 per cent. Exchange closed steady; posted rates, 4.84½@4.85; actual rates, 4.83½@4.83¾ for sixty days and 4.84½@4.84¾ for demand. Governments closed easier; currency 6s, 126 bid; 4s, coup., 127¾ bid; 4½s, do., 108¾ bid.

After midday the market was raided at intervals and prices were kept almost continuously on the decline throughout the afternoon. The lowest prices of the day were generally touched between 2 and 3:15 o'clock. In the final half hour there was some covering, which caused a slight recovery. The closing prices were generally ¼ to ⅜ per cent. lower than on yesterday. Manhattan Elevated was exceptionally weak, declining 6¼ per cent. for the day.

General Markets.

NEW YORK, July 8.—FLOUR—Closed firm at a slight advance; winter wheat extra, $4.15@5; Minnesota do., $4.15@5; city mill extra, $4.60@4.80; Ohio extra, $4.15@5. Southern flour closed steady; common to choice extra, $4.20@5.

WHEAT—Opened weak and declined ½c, but irregular. Prices varied but little and closed at about yesterday's figures. Spot lots closed firm and ½c. higher. Highest sales of No. 1 red, 87c.; No. 2 do., 86¾c.; No. 3 red winter, 86c.; No. 1 white, 94½c.; No. 2 do., 93½c.; No. 1 white winter, July, 87½c. bid; do., Aug., 87½c. bid do., Sept., 87½c. bid.

CORN—Opened very quiet. Prices advanced a trifle at the outset, but subsequently lost the improvement and closed at yesterday's figures. Spot lots closed firm and ½c. higher. Spot sales of No. 2 mixed, 45¾c.; uncraded mixed, 45@46c.; No. 2 mixed, Aug., 46c. bid; do., Sept., 47½c. bid.

OATS—Options were dull, but firm, closing ¼@⅜c. higher. Spot lots were without change, but ¼@⅜c. higher. Spot sales of No. 1 white state, 39@40c.; No. 2 do., 38½c.; No. 2 mixed, July, 38½c.; do., Aug., 37½c.

RYE—Neglected; western, 54@58½c.; state, 59@63c.

BARLEY—Dull and unchanged.

PORK—Dull; old and new mess, $14.50@15.50.

LARD—Closed firm and quiet; cash, $6.80; Aug., $6.77½@6.80; Sept., $6.85@6.90.

BUTTER—Firm and in fair demand; state, 12@20c.; western, 10@19c.

CHEESE—Quiet; state, factory, 8½@9½c.; fancy colored, 9½@10c.

EGGS—Steady; state, 13½@15½c.; western, 13½@15½c.

SUGAR—Raw dull and unchanged. Refined quiet; cut loaf and crushed, 6½@6¾c.; cubes, 6¾c.; powdered, 6 15-16@6⅞c.; granulated, 6 7-16@6½c.; confectioners' A, 6 11-16c.; No. 1, 6 5-16@6⅜c.; No. 2, 6 3-16@6¼c.; No. 3, 6 1-16@6⅛c.; white extra C, 5¾c.; extra C, 6c.; C, 6@6¼c.; yellow, 6@6⅛c.

FORMAL NOTIFICATION

SERVED UPON DR. M'GLYNN OF HIS EXCOMMUNICATION.

The Letter of Archbishop Corrigan Awaiting Him on His Return from the West—A Pastoral Letter Expected.

NEW YORK, July 9.—Dr. McGlynn returned from the west last night, and, if he opened his mail, found a letter from Archbishop Corrigan formally notifying him of his excommunication. He also found a copy of Catholic church. This statement was made on authority at a meeting last night:

"Dr. Edward McGlynn, not having complied with the direction of the holy see to present himself at Rome within forty days and defend himself, was notified upon the expiration of those forty days last Saturday, by the direction of the holy see, of his excommunication from the church. The original summons for Dr. McGlynn to appear at Rome was served so that the doctor understood that he would be excommunicated, ipso facto, if he did not appear at Rome. He was, therefore, on Saturday notified that he was excommunicated by his own act. This latter notification was sent to him by letter, mailed to his New York address. No further action of the church authorities in his case is necessary.

"The decree of excommunication does not extend to those Catholics who have, in the past, openly sympathized with Dr. McGlynn and assailed the church. The action of those people has been so far not such as to bring them under the same formal censure of the church which has fallen upon Dr. McGlynn. Should their course still fail, however, if they keep up their demonstrations now that Dr. McGlynn has been excommunicated. The same punishment will befall any priest who glorifies excommunication, and declaring the penalties if they act otherwise.

Dr. McGlynn arrived at the Grand Central depot on the 7:45 train last night and went immediately to room No. 28, Cooper Union. To a group of reporters who surrounded him he said: "I am not desirous of saying at present whether I have or have not received a formal notice of excommunication from the archbishop. Some of the newspapers say I have and others say I have not. I am like the Irishman who refused to plead in court. I cannot tell until I hear the evidence. You may say that nothing has happened since I saw you except to change my opinion on one question. I was very much pleased with my reception in Milwaukee and Racine. In the former city the Labor party elected their mayor, register, and some minor officials. I attended the dedication of the statue of Solomon Juneau, the founder of Milwaukee, on Wednesday. I have received many assurances from people in the west of devotion to the doctrines I have the honor to advocate. I have many invitations to lecture, but I cannot accept them now, for I wish to take a little rest."

The doctor found a voluminous mail awaiting him, including, in all probability, the archbishop's letter of excommunication. He will spend most of to-day opening, reading and answering his correspondence. He will speak to-morrow night at the Anti-Poverty society's meeting in the Academy of Music. His subject, Henry George says, will probably be his excommunication. The Anti-Poverty folks say the meeting will be an immense one.

"Dr. McGlynn's refusal to say that he ever received the summons to go to Rome is interesting in view of the prompt action of the archbishop when well qualified to know said last night that the summons was served by a man who knew Dr. McGlynn well and was known by the doctor. The summons was received from Rome two days before it was delivered to Dr. McGlynn, and those two days were spent by Archbishop Corrigan's messenger in hunting up the doctor who was then at New York. The messenger finally found him in the hallway of the Academy of Music, in Jersey City, as Dr. McGlynn was entering the Academy to lecture. The messenger gave the doctor the summons and said:

"Dr. McGlynn, this is a very important matter. That document is from the holy father."

The doctor pocketed the document and said: "You were told to serve me with that, weren't you?"

"Yes, sir," said the messenger.

"Well, you have done your duty," said the doctor, with an air of dismissal, as he walked on into the hall.

It is the opinion of some of the church authorities that Dr. McGlynn has never opened the envelope containing the summons.

Dr. Barstell, who is claimed to be the highest authority in this diocese on Catholic church law, says Dr. McGlynn has not been excommunicated, and cannot be excommunicated without an ecclesiastical trial, any more than a man accused of crime can be sentenced by a judge until the regular forms of law have been observed. It is understood that Dr. McGlynn will demand a trial as a matter of right. The story that all Catholics who continue to associate with Dr. McGlynn after his excommunication will incur the penalty themselves is discovered to be unfounded. The excommunication on account of association was abolished by the congregation of the inquisition in a decree dated Dec. 5, 1883, and approved by Pope Leo XIII.

Seven hundred of Dr. McGlynn's former parishioners, who held a meeting at International hall last night, cheered the doctor and jeered at Archbishop Corrigan and the pope. John J. Gahan, one of the speakers, said: "We do not court the curse of the little man in the big place, but if he chooses to send his curse of excommunication to Dr. McGlynn and us, we will lift up our hands and appeal from it to the benediction of the good God in heaven. We defy the propaganda." Mrs. Jane S. Griffith, of Washington, and others made lively speeches.

A meeting to protest against Dr. McGlynn's excommunication, at which Henry George spoke, was also held in Garnett hall.

Disease Drove Him to Suicide.

NEW ORLEANS, July 9.—Wednesday night Dr. John Callon, one of the leading physicians of the city, paralyzed, committed suicide by so cleverly cutting a blood vessel as to at first sight give the appearance of an hemorrhage. He was to have been married Thursday, and an hour before taking his life he left the house of his affianced in the best of spirits. An autopsy on the body showed that Dr. Callon was the victim of an incurable disease, and his suicide would only have been a matter of a few months' time.

Short in His Accounts.

QUEBEC, July 9.—The Mercury is authority for the statement that Mr. J. H. R. Burroughs, father-in-law of Lieutenant Governor Masson, and joint prothonotary, with whom the election deposits in this district have been made, is short in his accounts from $30,000 to $35,000, or it is thought the discrepancy will be made good.

THE HOSTILE APACHES.

BRUTAL TREATMENT OF A PARTY OF PROSPECTORS.

One Bound and the Stake and Four Others Tortured to Death—The Country in a State of Wild Excitement—Business Practically Suspended.

EL PASO, Tex., July 9.—In spite of military reports to the contrary, the Apache outbreak of the hostile Apaches has really been captured by Gen. Miles. The remainder of the band, consisting at least 300 warriors, are still prowling around in a valley in the rugged range twenty miles northeast of Laguna, Santa Maria, and about forty miles southwest of Lake Guzman. The range is apparently cut off from the balance of the mountains, and the existence of the valley has been unknown until the past few days. It is set in the midst of burning deserts and is literally a place of torture, practically inaccessible to white men. For years, however, it has been the secret rendezvous of the savages, and the face of the adjacent cliffs is covered with Moorish glyphs and life size sculpture far more extensive and wonderful than even those in Cachise's famous stronghold in the Dragoon mountains of Arizona. The most indisputable evidence that this was the retreat of Mangus after he broke from Geronimo, and that there he healed his wounds and gathered together his dethroned forces. The valley was discovered last week by Tom McGraw and Vanness Smith, two El Paso prospectors. They were attacked by the Indians and fought their way out, losing both shot. Smith was instantly killed, but scouts report that McGraw was captured alive and died at the stake.

On Monday last a prospecting party of thirty-six Apaches descended the Coon Grande toward Lake Guzman. They were seen by the Mexican guards at the Accession custom house in the Sabinal and reported. The Mormons living in that vicinity. Further above, near Janos, this party encountered four prospectors and killed them by torture. The bodies, now at Janos, furnish sufficient evidence of the hideous atrocities to which the miserable victims were subjected. The hands and feet of all were chopped off, and were last by which they were identified. Americans, but their names are unknown. Thus far no stock depredations are reported, although the valley is full of some of the finest cattle in Mexico.

The night before the descent of the savages upon the Coon Grande the large force at work at the Blanche de la Pena mine, in Sabinal district, were thrown into consternation by the appearance of an Indian signal fire near Corral de Pedras, seven miles to the south. A quantity of fish grease was lying near by, and near the mine, and of this rude breastworks were constructed. The barricade was probably worth $50,000, and behind this the miners stood upon their arms, while the alarmed prospectors flocked in from every direction. Later in the night another fire suddenly blazed up far to the southeast, apparently in the mountains of Rio Santa Maria river. It proved to be at the crossing of streams between the Planche de la Plata mines and the Mexican Central road.

Apaches in flight never indicate the direct line of their course by signal fires, but throw out lines of them at right angles for the bewilderment of the pursuing public. The attack away from the main body. The lights seen in the Sabinal district were doubtless to convey the impression that they were moving south toward the head of the Santa Maria. Enroute for the great canon of the Rio Haras, on the western slope of the Sierra Madre, a party of Apaches often pursued before. The fastest runners are always thrown out on the signal service and travel separately, each one by the most direct practicable route to the objective point, and then they rejoin the band at the appointed rendezvous.

The whole section of country, embracing some of the best mineral tracts in northern Mexico, is at present in a state of wild excitement, and work at the outlying districts is practically suspended, causing a monetary loss amounting by up into tens of thousands. The miners of the Planche de la Plata are arming themselves for the purpose of descending upon the valley stronghold of the savages, and a bloody battle may occur at any time. When it occurs it will be one of extermination, as the governor's office at Chihuahua is paying $300 apiece for all Apache scalps. A body of Mexican troops are already been ordered to the spot, but the miners will endeavor to get in ahead and secure the bounty.

Arlington's Catastrophe.

ARLINGTON, N. J., July 9.—Arlington has hardly begun to recover from the excitement of Thursday's explosion, and the wounded feel their injuries much more than they did on the previous day, when their sprains and bruises were new, their cuts fresh, and pain being highly strung. Thousands of people visited the little village on the Greenwood Lake railroad yesterday and gazed for hours at the wrecked buildings.

CONDENSED NEWS.

The constitution of the proposed state of Utah, adopted by the Mormon convention, meets with little opposition.

Hon. Chauncey M. Depew sailed from New York for Europe to-day, to be gone until September.

The Japanese government has decided to build three new war vessels, at a cost of $3,000,000 each.

Petroleum has been discovered near Nacogdoches, Tex., at a depth of eighty-five feet. Six wells have been opened.

The steamship Lewiston, of the Boston and Bangor line, has been badly damaged by collision with a schooner at sea.

A farmhouse at Ardmore, Berkshire, Scotland, was burned, and three women and four men servants were incinerated.

A royal proclamation has been published sending writs to all electors in Ireland, the British land forces in commemoration of the queen's jubilee.

Last Saturday Mrs. Lydia Wilson, of Lafayette, Ind., secured a divorce from her husband, Capt. P. Wilson. On Tuesday they were remarried.

Paul Giacopheasor is the foremost Italian citizen of Birmingham, Ala. In his youth he was at the head of a band of 1,000 in the Italian army and afterward enlisted a second time for five years. After two years' service, however, he left the army. Some two months ago he went back to collect a legacy, and now he has been arrested for desertion and imprisoned.

Mrs. Frank Bantsch, of Sand Prairie, Ills., had her hand caught and drawn in between the rollers of a horse power feed mill and horribly crushed. Mr. Bantsch stopped the machinery, and then, with the aid of his wife's hand out, cut the mangled member from the arm at the wrist. Mrs. Bantsch drove to town and submitted to manipulations of the arm by physicians, and returned home over a rough road, riding fourteen miles with the mercury nearly 100 degs. in the shade.

Two American highwaymen caught in the act in the streets of Paso del Norte, Mexico will probably be shot for their crime.

German and Russian papers protest against Ferdinand's election to the Bulgarian throne.

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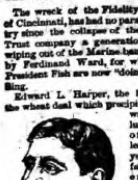
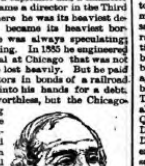
The Men Whose Speculations Ruined the Fidelity Bank in Cincinnati and Brought Many Depositors to Abject Poverty.

The wreck of the Fidelity National bank, of Cincinnati, has had no parallel in this country since the collapse of the Ohio Life and Trust company a generation ago, save the wiping out of the Marine bank, of New York, by Ferdinand Ward, for which Ward and President Fish are now "doing time" at Sing Sing.

Edward L. Harper, the leading spirit in the wheat deal which precipitated the failure, was born in the lumber regions of Pennsylvania less than forty years ago, of a family in straitened circumstances. His education was gained in the common schools. For some years he worked as a common laborer. Finally he drifted into Ohio, and in 1868 became a traveling salesman for J. H. Patrick, of Urbana, selling sewing machines at $10 a month and commission. In two years he bought out Patrick and made money faster than ever. Later Harper took a general agency for another sewing machine, with headquarters at Cincinnati and made still more money. In 1873 he became acquainted with L. H. Hull & Co., in the pig iron business, and in a year or two was a partner in and manager of the firm, when Hull died, and the firm became E. L. Harper & Co., which assigned the other day owing, perhaps, $2,000,000. Harper displayed much ability as a financier and Alexander Swift made him treasurer of Swift's iron and steel works, greatly to the improvement of the bank account of that institution. In the iron boom of 1879 and '80 Harper made a great deal of money and bought a controlling interest in Swift's iron and steel works. In 1881 he went into a great deal in Chicago in connection with the celebrated Trumian B. Handy, another daring and reckless speculator, in which over $1,000,000 was "cleaned up." Harper was now recognized as a capitalist and a financier of ability. He became a director in the Third National bank, where he was its heaviest depositor, and soon became its heaviest borrower as well. He was always speculating; always over checking. In 1885 he engineered another wheat deal at Chicago that was not successful, and he had to pay. But he paid his Chicago creditors in bonds of a railroad which had fallen into his hands for a debt. The bonds were worthless, but the Chicago men got nothing.


EDWARD L. HARPER.

By this time his reckless speculation had aroused much opposition in the Third National bank that he reorganized. The bank, took a majority of the stock, put Baldwin and Hopkins in as cashier and assistant cashier, and, with his usual energy and a few dashes, began to "boom" it in a way that made the old fogies of Third street open their astonished eyes. One-half per cent. above current rates was paid on deposits and collections were made without charge. The most magnificent quarters were fitted up. Soon the bank was able to advertise that it had the largest line of deposits in Ohio, and applied for authority to double its $1,000,000 of stock, and, although this had never been granted, this big advertisements said so.

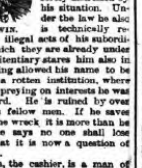

BRIGGS SWIFT.

The parallel between the Marine and the Fidelity bank disasters extends also to their presidents. Like Fish, of New York, Briggs Swift was a very rich man, who has been taken advantage of by others. He is raised all the way from $500,000 to $6,000,000. The son of a rich farmer, born near Cincinnati, he was one of those early poor pacicers who, thirty years ago, gave to Cincinnati the name of Porkopolis. Although 76 years old he still attends to business more or less, though the details are in the hands of younger men. The poor old man is sorely distressed by his situation. Under the law he also is technically responsible for the illegal acts of his subordinates, and for which they are already under arrest. The penitentiary stares him also in the face for having allowed his name to be used to cover up a rotten institution, where the harpies were preying on interests he was supposed to guard. He is ruined by over confidence in his fellow men. If he saves anything from the wreck it is more than he expects. But he says no one shall lose through him; that it is now a question of honor, not money.

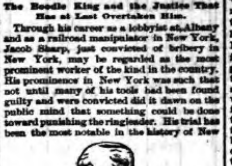
AMMI BALDWIN.

Ammi Baldwin, the cashier, is a man of about 60 years, of spare physique, thin hair and long thin whiskers, a man of nervous constitution and exceedingly retired disposition. He has been in the banking business nearly all his life and is an exceedingly studious man. He was cashier in the Third National bank, whence he retired in November, 1885, because a deficit of over $18,000 was discovered in his accounts. His brother, Theophilus, was cashier of the Ohio, $20,000. Both were asked to resign at the same time, and night Theophilus committed suicide. In January, 1879, Harry Baldwin, son of Ammi, was mysteriously murdered on the street, and the murderer was never arrested or certainly known. So trouble is not new to the thin faced man who had charge of the Fidelity's cash and allowed it to be dissipated.

Ben Hopkins is about 55 years old, and has always lived in Cincinnati and been in the banking business. He is six feet tall, of spare frame, high color and sanguine temperament.


BENJAMIN HOPKINS.

Raised a Quaker, he has become a sincere Spiritualist, and now takes part in their public services. He is a great reader and has written much for the press on Spiritualism, and during the anti-Hopkins' life record for honesty with recent developments of swindling. He refused to let a reporter look at his books as a matter of right, for on the day of the bank's suspension he said to an enterprising reporter who had managed to get inside and asked him the previous day if the depositors' "checks had called put big headlines on it that not a depositor will lose a dollar!"


JACOB SHARP.

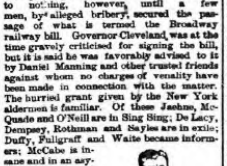
The Boodle King and the Justice That Has at Last Overtaken Him.

Through his career as a lobbyist at Albany and as a railroad manipulator in New York, Jacob Sharp, just convicted of bribery in New York, may be regarded as the most prominent worker of the kind in the country. His prominence in New York was such that not until every effort had been found guilty and were convicted did it dawn on the public mind that something could be done toward punishing the ringleader. His trial has been the most notable in the history of New York courts with the single exception of the trial of William M. Tweed. Sharp is a rich man, and has been credited with most strenuous efforts to assist the aldermen to whom vengeance was meted out.

Much sympathy has been felt for him locally. He has for many years been one of those characters familiar to everybody around town, a kind hearted, genial, approachable and affable man in his personal characteristics, devoted to his family and prominent in affairs. He was indignant, and remonstrated vigorously when arrested in the morning of Oct. 19, and to the last protested his innocence.

JACOB SHARP AT THE TRIAL.

For many years schemes have been on foot for securing a Broadway railway franchise. A. T. Stewart offered to pay $1,000,000 for the privilege. These schemes amounted to nothing, however, until a few men, by alleged bribery, secured the passage of what is termed the Broadway railway bill. Governor Cleveland, was at the time gravely criticised for signing the bill, but it said he was favorably advised to it by Daniel Manning and other trusted friends against whom no charges of venality have been made in connection with the matter. The hurried grant given by the New York aldermen is familiar. Of these Jacobs, McQuade and O'Neill are in Sing Sing; De Lacy, Dempsey, Rotisman and Sayles are in exile; Duffy, Fullgraff and Waite became informers; McCabe is in exile and in an asylum; Kenny and McLaughlin are dead, and the remaining members, with the exception of Cleary, in whose case there was disagreement, are under indictment for conspiracy and bribery. Jacob Sharp has been regarded as the head and front in obtaining the passage of the bill by the legislature and in securing the Broadway franchise from the board of aldermen.


DE LANCY NICOLL.

Much uncertainty was felt in New York as to the outcome of the Sharp case, and the district attorney's assistants say they by no means felt sure of the conviction of the defendant. They were at work on the case weeks before it came to trial. As Sharp was the first man to be tried in New York on the charge of having given a bribe, the case presented many difficulties. For information as to precedents Mr. Nicoll has secured all possible details about the trials of the Chicago Anarchists, of the Pennsylvania Mollie Maguire cases and of the Star route trials. Mr. Nicoll, who was the active attorney in the prosecution, discusses much of the credit given him. Without Mr. Martine's great help Mr. Nicoll says he could have accomplished nothing. There were seventy-two witnesses in the case, almost all of them secured with great difficulty.

PRESIDING JUDGE BARRETT.

The jury in the Sharp trial is said to have been of unusual intelligence. The foreman, Mr. Canfield, is a printer, and prints The Weekly Law Digest. Owen O. Behiman is in the preserve business in Warren street, a typical German; Jacques Kahn is a dealer in mirrors, of Austrian birth; Mr. Clarke is a broker; Rudolph Wolff is a pocketbook maker; Mr. Mead an architect; Howard Hopping is a graduate of Trinity, Hartford, and a vestryman of Zion church; David Clarkson is a commission merchant; Mr. Feder a capitalist; Mr. Kaufield is a merchant; Samuel Palmer a grocer, an Englishman; Col. Marvin is a bachelor, and connected with the Sons of Soldiers. All the jurymen are worthy and representative citizens. It is noted that all of the jurymen are temperate; only a few of them smoke, and none of them chew tobacco.

The Young Queen's Pet Spaniel.

Leslie's his reminiscences relates that forty-nine years ago, at the time of her coronation, Queen Victoria had a pet spaniel which was always on the lookout for her return when she was away from home. On the day of her coronation the little dog, of course, had been separated from her per longer than usual, and when the state coach drove up to the palace steps she heard him barking joyously in the hall, and exclaimed, "There's Dash," and was in a hurry to doff her crown and royal robe and go and give Dash his bath. "I don't know why," said Leslie, "but the first sight of her in her robes of state brought tears into my eyes, and it had this effect upon many people; she looked almost like a child."—New York Tribune.

FOR GROWING MINDS.

THE NEEDS SUPPLIED BY THE KINDERGARTEN SYSTEM.

Systematic Training Necessary for the Quiet Without but Often Superficial, American Child—Encouragement of the Creative Powers of the Young.

A great deal is done for the children of the world to do in this country, and their influence rule in many households, but the training of the little ones in this system, and the methods largely to substitute, must all speak French or German, and this is well, but there is no mental, moral or physical training to be gained from a foreign nurse. They walk in the streets in an orderly, unobtrusive fashion and return home to their toys, which are real works of art and ingenuity, leaving no room for invention or imagination on the part of the child, and for joy and good exercise to a child from playing cars with plain blocks than from playing with perfect models of the real article. With the blocks the fancy, the imagination and the ingenuity are played at work, and thus is what the child was for his proper development.

The families of our most citizens are often too small, and the social element is lost for the little one. There is a loss pleasure in playing with others of their own age and intellectual development. All children over 3 years old quickly assume a physical and mental ability with that of a little stranger, and soon learn that what one lacks the other has, and thus after all it is a fairly even distribution of power. The little tot who has been fattened at home for his French accent finds that Bob speaks German equally well, and Mary can sing, and Katie repeats little bits of poetry. The egotism thus melts away and the pelted darling realizes that it is from affection that the flattering words have come, and not on account of his or her being "so smart."

WHAT IS MOST NEEDED.

The kindergarten supplies much that is most needed in the quick and, but often superficial or spoiled, American child. The systematic training in accuracy and consecutive thought, the thorough elementary training in form, size and color, not from book knowledge, where ideas are like "pressed food," but from tangible blocks, bits of wood, paper, sticks, rings, etc., placed before the child, that the necessary into Bits of these simplest forms the great ground principles of geometry and numbers inevitably grow in the child's mind as an evolution of his own thinking. This is practical education, and as planned by the wisdom of the child loving Froebel is a joy and no task. Spend an hour with these little ones, whose nurseries are crowded with elaborate mechanical toys; go then into their kindergarten and see their interest in a simple bundle of little plain sticks. They lay them in perfect squares, and one little one says, in a glad way, "Why, my handkerchief is a square." "And so is my big picture book," chimes in another. And so they talk of things present and things in memory until the forms are well and familiar. They are growing stronger and better than they would be playing with a wound up top. Then they are busy; they weave, and realize that it is work, but it is the labor of making a paper mat, and often recognising the same pattern in curtains or dress goods have a sense of respect for the fabric.

The occupations of the kindergarten touch upon all knowledge and trades, giving definiteness of fingering with and without tools. What true child does not like mud pies? To make mud pies in clean potter's clay is just as charming to the child, and the pie will keep. One boy was so charmed with his work of modeling in clay that he melted his sister's old wax doll and made a neat little tea set out of the wax, which quite compensated his sister for the loss of the eyelless doll. Here the creative power is encouraged instead of the destructive, and the result is an added power, which is a pleasure at the moment and of positive and lasting advantage.

A GRADUATE'S EXPERIENCE.

A Harvard graduate once told the writer that he felt the benefit of his kindergarten experience all through his entire mathematics. Things were clear to him that other fellows found much difficulty in understanding. Professor Hill prepared a geometry for his own publishing to be used from 5 to 7 years of age, saying, "It will be found that children of this age are quicker at comprehending first lessons in geometry than those of 15. * * * I wish to teach him to conceive of forms. The child's powers of sensation are developed before his powers of conception, and these come before his reasoning powers. This is, therefore, the true order of education. Geometrical facts are fitted to arouse a child to the observation of phenomena and to the perception of forms as real entities." A professor in a German university stated publicly that in his classes in mathematics he could pick out the kindergarten trained students.

Drawing and painting of the most elementary kind form an important part of this play work, and when the time comes for the three R's the power of observation has been so quickened that reading is no work at all, the fingers are so used to drawing and working that writing need not begin with pot hooks, but at once as a symbol of an idea; and in arithmetic, the child loving counting with blocks, etc., added, subtracted, multiplied and divided, he needs only to have explained to him how to put it all on paper for convenience and it is not long a problem. Thus is not lost. It is a gain in every way to give the little ones from 3 to 4 until they are 7 years old a thorough kindergarten training. He passes from this delightful exercise very much like the tedious promenade. To fly about with arms extended, on tiptoes, in imitation of a bird, with a pretty song directing the movements is exhilarating. What child would not rather play so than to walk up and down alone with its nurse! The selfishness of the spoiled or only child is cured by seeing other little ones as full of joy as himself unless all the children take an equal part. It is much easier to teach the golden rule by playing together than by years of precept.—New York Times.

A Safety Saddle.

An English military officer has made some radical changes in the construction of a saddle which are highly spoken of. The "tree" is so altered as to allow the open space to be weighted, making a yielding seat so that the falling of the rider is not likely to occur any more on this saddle than on an office stool. It is in the hanging of the stirrup, however, that the greatest improvement consists. Instead of dangling at the end of one vertical strap the safety saddle stirrup is suspended by two straps—one from the cantle and one from the pommel. The rigidity of this suspension, compared to the swinging motion of the ordinary stirrup hanging, only needs a trial to make the rider exclaim, "Why was this not thought of before?"

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Leave New York at 1.00, 2.00, 3.00, 4.00, 4.30, 5.00, 5.30, 6.00, 6.30, 7.00, 7.30, 8.00, 8.30, 9.00, 9.30, 10.00, 10.30, 11.00, 11.30 a. m., 12.00 noon, 12.30, 1.00, 1.30, 2.00, 2.30, 3.00, 3.30, 4.00, 4.30, 5.00, 5.30, 6.00, 6.30, 7.00, 7.30, 8.00, 8.30, 9.00, 9.30, 10.00, 10.30, 11.00, 11.30 p. m., 12.00 night.

Plainfield and Somerville.

Leave Plainfield at 5.10, 7.15, 8.30, 9.31, 11.30 a. m., 1.30, 3.30, 5.30, 7.30, 9.30 p. m.

Leave Somerville at 6.05, 8.35, 9.00, 10.00, 11.00 a. m., 12.00 noon, 2.00, 4.00, 6.00, 8.00, 10.00 p. m.

Plainfield and Boston.

Leave Plainfield at 5.10, 8.34, 9.31 a. m., 3.30, 5.30, 7.30, 9.30 p. m.

Leave Boston at 5.30 a. m., 5.45 p. m.

Leave Boston at 6.30, 8.37 a. m., 12.40, 4.15, 7.40 p. m. Sunday at 7.15 a. m., 7.40 p. m.

Woodland Commutation.

5.10 a. m.—For Boston, Allentown, Readington and Manch Chunk.

8.30 a. m.—For Flemington, Lambertville, New Hope, Bethlehem, Allentown, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, Mauch Chunk, Delaware Water Gap, Easton, Phillipsburg, High Bridge Branch, Schooley's Mountain, Lake Hopatcong, Boonton, Dover, Port Oram, Rockaway, Denville, Morristown, Madison, Chatham, Summit, Millburn, Orange, Newark, Elizabeth, Rahway, Metuchen, Perth Amboy, Woodbridge, Manchester, Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, etc.

9.31 a. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, etc.

1.30 p. m.—For Easton, Wind Gap, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Williamsport, Driftton, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, etc.

3.30 p. m.—For Flemington, High Bridge Branch, Schooley's Mountain, Lake Hopatcong, Boonton, etc.

5.30 p. m.—For Boston, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, etc.

7.30 p. m.—For Boston, Allentown, Reading, Mauch Chunk, etc.

9.30 p. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, etc.

Leave Plainfield at 8.37, 8.45, 9.05, 9.52, 11.00 a. m. 1.31, 2.35, 3.51, 5.34, 6.34 p. m. Sunday (expect Ocean shore) 3.37, 8.37 a. m. and 3.30 p. m.

Plainfield & Philadelphia Via Bound Brook Route.

Leave Plainfield for Philadelphia and Trenton at 7.10, 10.40, 3.14, 9.45, 11.44 a. m. 2.16, 4.15, 5.15, 6.15, 11.59 p. m. Sunday at 1.58, 5.10, 8.36 a. m. 6.30 p. m.

Leave Philadelphia for Plainfield and Green Street at 5.30, 9.30 11.00 a. m., 1.35 p. m. 12.00 p. m. Sunday at 8.30 a. m., 4.30, 12.00 p. m.

Third and Berks Streets at 8.00, 9.00 10.30 a. m., 2.00, 5.00, 6.00, 8.00, 9. p. m. Sunday at 5.15 p. m., 4.30 p. m.

Leave Trenton, Warren and Market Streets at 5.45, 8.45, 9.45, 11.45 a. m.; 1.54, 4.15, 5.50, 7.40 p. m. Sunday at 1.55, 9.10, 9.40, a. m. 6.15 p. m.

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To please her papa's palate;
He swore 'twas not a cake to make,
And used it for a mallet.
—Philadelphia News.

And then she made a pie crust,
In manner new and novel;
Her father asked it with a sigh,
And used it for a shovel.
—New York Morning Journal.

And then she stirred a pan of dough,
And made a mess of biscuit;
And passed them to her sweetheart, though
He thought he wouldn't risk it.
—Marblehead Folio.

She took some yeast, some mutton lard,
And, true to duty's call,
She baked them in a lump so hard
It made a good baseball.
—Richmond Baton.

Some cookies next day she deftly made,
All sugared round the edges;
Her pa, in the wood splitting trade,
Found they made stunning wedges.
—Pall River Advance.

Sweet Phyllis made a loaf next night,
With wonderful rising skill;
Her pa filled it with dynamite
And fired!—the loaf's there still.
—St. Paul Herald.

Not yet content that she'd done enough,
Some beefsteak next she fried.
It came from Henderson, of course 'twas tough,
She tackled a piece and died.
—Henderson Gold Leaf.

They Didn't Intimidate the Flies.

Old Sowergrout—By dunder! I bellef I vas scheated in dose vly screens. I vas hung dem in de most conspicuous part of de room, but dose fly schoost gome in as bad as never.—Judge.

Able Bodied Chicago Liars.

Said Col. Pull Hoyne yesterday: "The hottest day in the history of Chicago was July 4, 1869. At noon that day the thermometer registered 133 in the shade. The lake stewed and steamed like a tea kettle and fish floated ashore already boiled and cream gravy on them."

"June 28, 1842, was the hottest day I ever knew of," said Long John Wentworth. "I was living on a farm then—the Cooley farm, near where Kinsley's restaurant stands now. It was so hot that we had to hang the thermometer in the well and keep fanning it to prevent it from intruding."

"On Aug. 6, 1840," said Amos Tucker, "we caught a blazer. Along about sunset I went out to the barnyard to see how the stock was getting along. We had twelve fine hogs just ready for the market. Well, when I got to the barnyard all I could find of them hogs was twelve buckets of leaf lard."

"The hottest day I ever knew of was July 15, 1853," said Jonathan Young Scammon. "I remember the exact date, because on the morning of that day our hens all laid hard boiled eggs."—Chicago News.

Society Notes.

The engagement of Miss Erminie Botts, daughter of the wealthy livery stable proprietor, to Lord Ernest Algernon Sykes-Nyms of Cove-upon-Avon is announced. This wedding will take place next September at the bride's palatial home at Bottsden-on-Goose Island.

A gloom has been precipitated upon the community by the report that Miss Biddie McPisco's vaccination did not take.

Mr. Swinburne J. Terkamp is still confined to his bed owing to his having eaten a slice of fruit cake at a fashionable german last Thursday evening.

The highest social circles have received with open arms Mr. and Mrs. Elmer R. Muzzle, white, the wealthy and cultured New Yorkers, who have taken up a temporary residence in Chicago for the purpose of getting a divorce.—Chicago News.

The Sabbath Not Broken.

Eastern Stranger—My, my! I didn't suppose you allowed baseball playing here on Sunday.

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"But there they are right in the field and on this hallowed day of rest."

"If you look at the score you will see that they are not playing, they are resting."—Omaha World.

Value of an Education.

Little Dot—Oh, dear, I don't see why mamma gives me such lessons as this to learn, nothin' but great big words.

Little Dick—Well, folks use big words sometimes.

"But those are awful long things, ever so many syllables; why, how stretch 'most clear across the page. There isn't any use in learning them."

"Indeed there is, Dot. If you don't learn all them big words you'll grow up in ignorance an' never be able to read circus posters."—Omaha World.

Economy.

Pater—Tom, Tom! This'll never do! Past 11 o'clock, and you've been in bed fifteen hours out of the twenty-four.

Tom—But it's cheap, governor; costs nothing; why'n shouldn't I?—London Punch.

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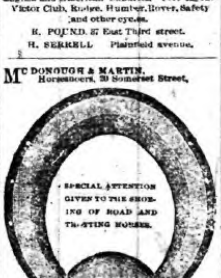

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CHAPTER LXX.

An act providing for the pensioning of police officers and policemen in certain cities of this State, and regulating the manner by which the same may be accepted and become operative. (Revision.)

1. Be it enacted by the Senate and General Assembly of the State of New Jersey, That in all cities of this State in which a police force of such city as shall have boforesaid shall have been in such force for twenty years, and may have attained the age of fifty years, may be retired upon one-half pay.

2. And be it enacted, That any member having attained the age of fifty years, who shall have been in such force for twenty years, shall, upon application to the board having charge of the police department or such city, be entitled to be retired upon half pay.

3. And be it enacted, That any member of such force having received permanent disability by reason of accident incurred at any time in the service, or by reason of any disease contracted in the service after ten years in the service, shall be retired upon half pay.

4. And be it enacted, That the pension of such force shall be paid full compensation or salary of every member so retired and pensioned while in the performance of his or their duty.

5. And be it enacted, That in any city or municipality in which this act shall become operative the treasurer or chamberlain of the board or authority having control of the finances of such city or municipality shall borrow a sum sufficient to meet the requirements of matters above stated, required during the remainder of the current fiscal year of such city or municipality, or may permit the same to be paid out of any money or said city or municipality not otherwise appropriated, and shall thereafter annually put in the annual tax levy of such city or municipality a sum equal to at least four per centum of the amount of the aggregate paid to the police force of such city, for the purpose of being kept exclusively as a fund out of which payment of the matters herein before mentioned shall be made as provided for in this act.

6. And be it enacted, That in any city or municipality in which this act shall become operative the board or authority having charge or control of the police force or department in such city or municipality shall and are hereby empowered to make such pensions and matters above stated, and make all requisite rules and regulations necessary therefor not inconsistent with this act.

7. And be it enacted, That the board or committee having charge or control of the police force or department in any such city or municipality shall and is hereby empowered to co-operate, as herein provided, immediately upon receiving, or being paid any of the moneys named in the appropriation bill provided for in section five of this act, shall thereupon proceed to pay pensions and any and all of such moneys not then required for or appropriated to the immediate payment of any of the matters and matters above stated in interest-bearing bonds of such city or municipality, which said bonds shall be held, kept and maintained exclusively for the benefit, use, purposes and credit of such fund.

8. And be it enacted, That the board of aldermen of any such city or municipality may, by resolution, at any time submit the question of acceptance or rejection of this act to the voters at any general or special election, and if a majority of those who shall vote shall vote in favor of the acceptance of the provisions of this act, then this act shall go into effect immediately, and the proper officers of such city or municipality shall proceed to carry out the provisions of this act, and the grants and powers therein contained, shall each deposit a ballot containing the words "police pension accepted" written or printed or partly written and partly printed, and those who vote against or opposed shall so deposit a ballot with the words "police pension rejected," written or printed, or partly written and partly printed thereon; and this acceptance or rejection may be endorsed on the ballots, or separate ballots may be used, as the judges of the election officers in the same way and manner as for officers voted for at such election, and if a majority of the ballots on which there shall be either the words "police pension accepted" or "police pension rejected," shall be found to be for the acceptance of this act, it shall then, but not otherwise, go into effect and be operative in such city or wherein such vote shall have been.

Approved March 31, 1887.

CHAPTER LXXI.

A supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning corporations" (Revision), approved April seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five.

1. Be it enacted by the Senate and General Assembly of the State of New Jersey, That section three of the said act shall be and the same is hereby amended so as to read as follows, to wit:

2. And be it enacted, That in case of the insolvency of any such bank, the directors then or theretofore in the employ thereof shall have a lien upon the assets thereof for the amounts due to them for labor or services which shall be paid prior to any other debt or debts of said company and the "laborers" mentioned shall be construed to include all persons for labor or service of whatever character for or as workmen or employees of such banks or such corporations; and the lien shall have reference to and secure all claims for such labor or services rendered for or to such banks or such corporations before the date which the court adjudges to be the date of the time or the solvency occurred which gives it jurisdiction whether such "laborers" were in the actual employ of such banks or corporations at such time or not.

3. And be it enacted, That this act shall not only apply to the proceedings in insolvency hereafter begun, but as well to any now pending where the assets have not been distributed.

3. And be it enacted, That this act shall take effect immediately.

Approved March 31, 1887.

CHAPTER LXXII.

An act regulating the pay of officers and men of fire departments in cities of this state.

1. Be it enacted by the Senate and General Assembly of the State of New Jersey, That in all cities of this state having a paid fire department no officers or salaries per annum of the following named officers and employes shall be at less than the sum of not less than the chief engineer the sum of not less than two thousand dollars, to the assistant engineer the sum of not less than one thousand four hundred dollars, to the clerk of the board the sum of not less than one thousand four hundred dollars, to the superintendent of telegraph the sum of not less than one thousand three hundred and fifty dollars, if not less than seven hundred dollars, to the foreman of each engine company not less than the sum of not less than one thousand dollars, to the drivers of steamers, hookers or trucks the sum of not less than eight hundred and fifty dollars, to tillerman of trucks the sum of not less than nine hundred dollars, to the telegraph operators the sum of not less than one hundred and fifty dollars, to permanent hostmen and permanent firemen the sum of not less than eight hundred dollars, to foremen of companies the sum of not less than two hundred dollars, to the firemen for each call and truckmen at call the sum of not less than one hundred dollars, in lieu of all other compensation whatever.

2. And be it enacted, That the provisions of this act shall not prevent the board of any city or municipality until the same shall by a resolution thereof, or the common council or board having control of the fire department of said city to submit to a vote of the legal voters of said city, to be assented to by a majority of all the legal votes cast at any regular election, or at a special election to be hereafter held in such city or municipality next after the passage of such resolution, and not until such election shall have been had and the result and state of the same published every day for five days next succeeding such election in the official daily newspapers in said city by the city clerk; and the city clerk of such city or municipality shall, on the application of the common council, board of aldermen, board of fire commissioners or other governing body of such city or municipality, provide for each election voting at such election ballots to be printed or written, or partly printed or written, on which shall be either the words "for increase of pay of fire department" "for increase of pay of fire department," and if a majority of those voting shall be in favor of the increase of the pay of the fire department, then this act shall go into effect immediately, and the pay or salaries of the officers or men of such fire department shall be as hereinbefore stated; provided further, that at any election at which the question shall express their assent to or rejection of this act by depositing their ballots in the box provided for deposit of ballots at such election, in the election precincts, districts or wards of such city, and those who vote in favor of the acceptance of this act shall each deposit a ballot containing the words "for increase of pay of fire department," written or printed thereon, and those who are opposed to the increase of pay of fire department, with the words "against increase of pay of fire department," written or printed thereon, and this acceptance or rejection may be endorsed upon the ballot on which are the names of the candidates voted for, and such ballots shall be counted in determining such result; there shall be a canvass on the return of the election and declaration of such a acceptance or rejection made by the election officers in the same manner as for the election of officers voted *for at such election.*

3. And be it enacted, That the laws of the state of New Jersey, so far as they conflict with the provisions of this act, be and the same are hereby repealed.

4. And be it enacted, That the duties of such fire shall be paid full compensation or salary of every member so retired and pensioned while in the performance of his or their duty.

5. And be it enacted, That in any city or municipality in which this act shall become operative the treasurer or chamberlain of the board or authority having control of the finances of such city or municipality shall borrow a sum sufficient to meet the requirements of matters above stated, required during the remainder of the current fiscal year of such city or municipality, or may permit the same to be paid out of any money or said city or municipality not otherwise appropriated, and shall thereafter annually put in the annual tax levy of such city or municipality a sum equal to at least four per centum of the amount of the aggregate paid to the police force of such city, for the purpose of being kept exclusively as a fund out of which payment of the matters herein before mentioned shall be made as provided for in this act.

6. And be it enacted, That in any city or municipality in which this act shall become operative the board or authority having control or charge or control of the police force or department in such city or municipality shall and are hereby empowered to make such pensions and matters above stated, and make all requisite rules and regulations necessary therefor not inconsistent with this act.

7. And be it enacted, That the board or committee having charge or control of the police force or department in any such city or municipality shall and is hereby empowered to co-operate, as herein provided, immediately upon receiving, or being paid any of the moneys named in the appropriation bill provided for in section five of this act, shall thereupon proceed to pay pensions and any and all of such moneys not then required for or appropriated to the immediate payment of any of the matters and matters above stated in interest-bearing bonds of such city or municipality, which said bonds shall be held, kept and maintained exclusively for the benefit, use, purposes and credit of such fund.

8. And be it enacted, That the board of aldermen of any such city or municipality may, by resolution, at any time submit the question of acceptance or rejection of this act to the voters at any general or special election, and if a majority of those who shall vote shall vote in favor of the acceptance of the provisions of this act, then this act shall go into effect immediately, and the proper officers of such city or municipality shall proceed to carry out the provisions of this act, and the grants and powers therein contained, shall each deposit a ballot containing the words "police pension accepted" written or printed or partly written and partly printed, and those who vote against or opposed shall so deposit a *ballot with the* words "police pension rejected," written or printed, or partly written and partly printed thereon; and this acceptance or rejection may be endorsed on the ballots, or separate ballots shall be required for the purpose, which shall be voted by ballot or canvass, on the return of the votes, upon this question in the same way and manner as for votes made by the election officers in the same way and manner as for officers voted for at such election, and if a majority of the ballots on which there shall be either the words "police pension accepted" or "police pension rejected," shall be found to be for the acceptance of this act, it shall then, but not otherwise, go into effect and be operative in such city or wherein such vote shall have been.

Approved March 31, 1887.

CHAPTER LXXI.

A supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning corporations" (Revision), approved April seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five.

1. Be it enacted by the Senate and General Assembly of the State of New Jersey, That section three of the said act shall be and the same is hereby amended so as to read as follows, to wit:

2. And be it enacted, That in case of the insolvency of any such bank, the directors then or theretofore in the employ thereof shall have a lien upon the assets thereof for the amounts due to them for labor or services which shall be paid prior to any other debt or debts of said company and the "laborers" mentioned shall be construed to include all persons for labor or service of whatever character for or as workmen or employees of such banks or such corporations; and the lien shall have reference to and secure all claims for such labor or services rendered for or to such banks or such corporations before the date which the court adjudges to be the date of the time or the solvency occurred which gives it jurisdiction whether such "laborers" were in the actual employ of such banks or corporations at such time or not.

3. And be it enacted, That this act shall not only apply to the proceedings in insolvency hereafter begun, but as well to any now pending where the assets have not been distributed.

3. And be it enacted, That this act shall take effect immediately.

Approved March 31, 1887.

CHAPTER LXXII.

An act regulating the pay of officers and men of fire departments in cities of this state.

1. Be it enacted by the Senate and General Assembly of the State of New Jersey, That in all cities of this state having a paid fire department no officers or salaries per annum of the following named officers and employes shall be at less than the sum of not less than the chief engineer the sum of not less than two thousand dollars, to the assistant engineer the sum of not less than one thousand four hundred dollars, to the clerk of the board the sum of not less than one thousand four hundred dollars, to the superintendent of telegraph the sum of not less than one thousand three hundred and fifty dollars, if not less than seven hundred dollars, to the foreman of each engine company not less than the sum of not less than one thousand dollars, to the drivers of steamers, hookers or trucks the sum of not less than eight hundred and fifty dollars, to tillerman of trucks the sum of not less than nine hundred dollars, to the telegraph operators the sum of not less than one hundred and fifty dollars, to permanent hostmen and permanent firemen the sum of not less than eight hundred dollars, to foremen of companies the sum of not less than two hundred dollars, to the firemen for each call and truckmen at call the sum of not less than one hundred dollars, in lieu of all other compensation whatever.

2. And be it enacted, That the provisions of this act shall not prevent the board of any city or municipality until the same shall by a resolution thereof, or the common council or board having control of the fire department of said city to submit to a vote of the legal voters of said city, to be assented to by a majority of all the legal votes cast at any regular election, or at a special election to be hereafter held in such city or municipality next after the passage of such resolution, and not until such election shall have been had and the result and state of the same published every day for five days next succeeding such election in the official daily newspapers in said city by the city clerk; and the city clerk of such city or municipality shall, on the application of the common council, board of aldermen, board of fire commissioners or other governing body of such city or municipality, provide for each election voting at such election ballots to be printed or written, or partly printed or written, on which shall be either the words "for increase of pay of fire department" "for increase of pay of fire department," and if a majority of those voting shall be in favor of the increase of the pay of the fire department, then this act shall go into effect immediately, and the pay or salaries of the officers or men of such fire department shall be as hereinbefore stated; provided further, that at any election at which the question shall express their assent to or rejection of this act by depositing their ballots in the box provided for deposit of ballots at such election, in the election precincts, districts or wards of such city, and those who vote in favor of the acceptance of this act shall each deposit a ballot containing the words "for increase of pay of fire department," written or printed thereon, and those who are opposed to the increase of pay of fire department, with the words "against increase of pay of fire department," written or printed thereon, and this acceptance or rejection may be endorsed upon the ballot on which are the names of the candidates voted for, and such ballots shall be counted in determining such result; there shall be a canvass on the return of the election and declaration of such a acceptance or rejection made by the election officers in the same manner as for the election of officers voted *for at such election.*

3. And be it enacted, That the laws of the state of New Jersey, so far as they conflict with the provisions of this act, be and the same are hereby repealed.

4. And be it enacted, That this act shall take effect immediately.

Passed April 1, 1887.

CHAPTER LXXVI.

An Act to organize and establish a state board of agriculture.

1. Be it enacted by the Senate and General Assembly of the State of New Jersey, That the members of all agricultural and horticultural societies, boards of trade, associations or patrons of husbandry, and other agricultural organizations, shall constitute the membership of the state board of agriculture.

2. And be it enacted, That the board of directors of the state board of agriculture shall be composed of the following, viz.:

Class A.—Two members of the board of managers of the geological survey, to be appointed by the governor, two members of the board of visitors of the state agricultural college, to be appointed by said board;

Class B.—Two members of the board of managers of the state agricultural society, two delegates from the state horticultural society, two delegates from the cranberry growers' association, one delegate from each county board of agriculture which may associate itself with the state board as hereinafter provided for;

Class C.—Two delegates from the state agricultural society, two delegates from the state horticultural society, two delegates from the cranberry growers' association, one delegate from each county board of agriculture which may associate itself with the state board as hereinafter provided for.

3. And be it enacted, That the officers, board of directors and committees appointed by the governor, as provided for by the board of directors, shall receive compensation from the state for their personal expenses when engaged in the duties of the said board, but no salary of the state board shall receive an annual salary of six hundred dollars, and may, with the approval of the executive committee, employ a clerk or clerks, at an expense of not over one thousand dollars a year.

4. And be it enacted, That all members of the state board shall be entitled to vote on all questions at the meetings of the board, and also to hold office and vote on committees, but to receive compensation only as provided in section three of this act.

5. And be it enacted, That the state board of agriculture shall have full power to investigate all matters relating to the improvement of land and agriculture in its various branches in this state as it may deem proper, and may take, hold in trust and exercise supervision over any moneys or bequests made to them for promoting scientific education in the general interests of agriculture; they shall have power to elect to membership such state organizations as may from time to time apply for admission to the state board, and to provide for holding meetings and other organization shall, upon election, be entitled to two delegates to the same as provided in section two of this act.

6. And be it enacted, That it shall be the duty of the state board of agriculture to encourage and aid, as far as practicable, the formation of county boards of agriculture in the several counties of this state, that all the provisions and interests of this state may be fully represented.

7. And be it enacted, That the board shall meet annually, and shall hold a session, at least once each year and as much oftener as may be necessary, and shall elect a president, vice-president, secretary and treasurer, who, with three others to be elected by the board, shall constitute the executive committee of said board, and they shall appoint two auditors, who shall constitute a committee to examine the vouchers and audit the account of the treasurer of the said board.

8. And be it enacted, That the members of the state board of directors shall hold office the following terms:

Class A, one year,

Class B, one year,

Class C, two years, the representatives of each county board of agriculture.

9. And be it enacted, That the expenses of the officers, board of directors and committees of the state board of agriculture, as above, shall be forwarded to the executive committee, who shall audit the same and report upon the bill on which are the names of the state treasurer, who shall annually issue his warrant for the amount so audited in favor of the several persons entitled thereto, and the same from time to time, together with the salary of the secretary, which account, when audited and approved by the executive committee, and attested by the secretary, shall be presented to the state comptroller for settlement, and thereupon draw his warrant therefor upon the state treasurer, who shall pay the same out of any money in the state treasury not otherwise appropriated, to the treasurer of the state board of agriculture upon the warrant, which amount shall be considered part of the annual appropriation as provided in section four of this act.

10. And be it enacted, That in order to collect and disseminate reliable agricultural *information, and to encourage a higher* standard in the agriculture and horticulture of this state, the executive committee are hereby authorized to cause to be made experiments, under the charge of the entomologists or cures of disease of domestic animals and poultry, and to employ suitable persons to attend at the state board of agriculture, at its annual or other meetings, and to report in writing upon the subject of animal society and all other reports, essays, *papers and documents, and to accept or re*ject the same; and the executive committee shall not have power to impose by such others or persons any duties not germane to the objects of said horticultural society and the secretary is hereby authorized to draw from the state treasury, who shall pay the same out of any moneys in the state treasury not otherwise appropriated, by the treasurer of the state board of agriculture; provided, that the amount thus paid shall not exceed the sum of thirty-seven hundred dollars in any one year.

11. And be it enacted, That the treasurer of the state board *shall annually submit an* item and statement of the moneys received and disbursed, together with the vouchers for the same, to the auditing committee of the state board, who shall make a report of their examination to the state board of agriculture at such annual meeting, which report shall be published in its annual report.

12. And be it enacted, That the membership of the county board shall consist of all the members of the agricultural and horticultural associations of each county, and such others as may be elected.

1. In counties having no agricultural or horticultural associations any number of persons, not less than fifteen, may form a county board of agriculture by which shall be elected a president, a treasurer and a board of not less than five directors, adopting the name of "The ..... county board of agriculture" and filing with the secretary of the county and delivering a certificate of such association.

III. In counties having more than one agricultural society or horticultural association, *(whether known and designated as "socie*ties," "clubs" or "granges,") such organizations, or any number of the members thereof as may see fit so to do, may organize a county board of agriculture by electing a president, a secretary, a treasurer, and a board of directors to consist of one member of each agricultural society or horticultural association, said county (that may elect to become members of "The ..... county board), adopting the name of "The ..... county board of agriculture," *inserting in each case the name of* the county) and filing with the secretary of the state board of a certificate of such organization.

IV. Every certificate filed, as hereinbefore provided, shall truly and correctly state, first, the name of the county board filing the same; second, that it has been organized under this act; third, the names of its officers and directors; fourth, the names of the societies or bodies in each organization represented in the county board at the date of the organization of said board, and the names of such organization.

VI. In any county in which there may be at the time of passing a law for the sale of manures and any other agricultural organization, such board shall have the privilege of representation in the state board, upon the same terms and conditions as societies or bodies in the said state board to make a full report of its proceedings, and to publish the proceedings of such officers of the state board as may be required by the executive committee.

13. And be it enacted, That the directors of the state board of agriculture, or its executive committee, shall have power to make by-laws not inconsistent with this act, and may enter into contract with the trustees of the state agricultural college, or with the boards in the said state board to make a full report of its proceedings, and to publish the proceedings of such officers of the state board as may be required by the executive committee.

14. And be it enacted, That the directors of the state board of agriculture, or its executive committee, shall have power to make by-laws not inconsistent with this act, and may enter into contract with the trustees of the state agricultural college, or with the boards in the said state board to make a full report of its proceedings, and to publish the proceedings of such officers of the state board as may be required by the executive committee.

15. And be it enacted, That annually, on or before the fifteenth day of December in each year, the executive committee, through its chairman or secretary, shall submit to the legislature a detailed report of the doings of the state board of agriculture, together with such suggestions relative to the interests in their charge may require.

16. And be it enacted, That the act entitled "An act to organize and establish a state board of agriculture," approved April twenty-second, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four, and the supplement thereto, approved March tenth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-one, be and the same are hereby repealed.

17. And be it enacted, That this act shall take effect immediately.

Approved April 1, 1887.

CHAPTER LXXVII.

Supplement to an act entitled "An act to provide for licensing hacks and other vehicles for the conveyance of persons on the several townships of this state," approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine.

1. Be it enacted by the Senate and General Assembly of the State of New Jersey, That the board of chosen freeholders of any county of this state, or the several townships of this state for the better government of the same, approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine, shall have power to elect to membership such state organizations as may from time to time apply for admission to the state board, and to provide for holding meetings and other organization shall, upon election, be entitled to two delegates to the same as provided in section two of this act.

6. And be it enacted, That it shall be the duty of the state board of agriculture to encourage and aid, as far as practicable, the formation of county boards of agriculture in the several counties of this state, that all the provisions and interests of this state may be fully represented.

7. And be it enacted, That the board shall meet annually, and shall hold a session, at least once each year and as much oftener as may be necessary, and shall elect a president, vice-president, secretary and treasurer, who, with three others to be elected by the board, shall constitute the executive committee of said board, and they shall appoint two auditors, who shall constitute a committee to examine the vouchers and audit the account of the treasurer of the said board.

8. And be it enacted, That the members of the state board of directors shall hold office the following terms:

Class A, one year,

Class B, one year,

Class C, two years, the representatives of each county board of agriculture.

9. And be it enacted, That the expenses of the officers, board of directors and committees of the state board of agriculture, as above, shall be forwarded to the executive committee, who shall audit the same and report upon the bill on which are the names of the state treasurer, who shall annually issue his warrant for the amount so audited in favor of the several persons entitled thereto, and the same from time to time, together with the salary of the secretary, which account, when audited and approved by the executive committee, and attested by the secretary, shall be presented to the state comptroller for settlement, and thereupon draw his warrant therefor upon the state treasurer, who shall pay the same out of any money in the state treasury not otherwise appropriated, to the treasurer of the state board of agriculture upon the warrant, which amount shall be considered part of the annual appropriation as provided in section four of this act.

10. And be it enacted, That in order to collect and disseminate reliable agricultural *information, and to encourage a higher* standard in the agriculture and horticulture of this state, the executive committee are hereby authorized to cause to be made experiments, under the charge of the entomologists or cures of disease of domestic animals and poultry, and to employ suitable persons to attend at the state board of agriculture, at its annual or other meetings, and to report in writing upon the subject of animal society and all other reports, essays, *papers and documents, and to accept or re*ject the same; and the executive committee shall not have power to impose by such others or persons any duties not germane to the objects of said horticultural society and the secretary is hereby authorized to draw from the state treasury, who shall pay the same out of any moneys in the state treasury not otherwise appropriated, by the treasurer of the state board of agriculture; provided, that the amount thus paid shall not exceed the sum of thirty-seven hundred dollars in any one year.

11. And be it enacted, That the treasurer of the state board *shall annually submit an* item and statement of the moneys received and disbursed, together with the vouchers for the same, to the auditing committee of the state board, who shall make a report of their examination to the state board of agriculture at such annual meeting, which report shall be published in its annual report.

12. And be it enacted, That the membership of the county board shall consist of all the members of the agricultural and horticultural associations of each county, and such others as may be elected.

1. In counties having no agricultural or horticultural associations any number of persons, not less than fifteen, may form a county board of agriculture by which shall be elected a president, a treasurer and a board of not less than five directors, adopting the name of "The ..... county board of agriculture" and filing with the secretary of the county and delivering a certificate of such association.

III. In counties having more than one agricultural society or horticultural association, *(whether known and designated as "socie*ties," "clubs" or "granges,") such organizations, or any number of the members thereof as may see fit so to do, may organize a county board of agriculture by electing a president, a secretary, a treasurer, and a board of directors to consist of one member of each agricultural society or horticultural association, said county (that may elect to become members of "The ..... county board), adopting the name of "The ..... county board of agriculture," *inserting in each case the name of* the county) and filing with the secretary of the state board of a certificate of such organization.

IV. Every certificate filed, as hereinbefore provided, shall truly and correctly state, first, the name of the county board filing the same; second, that it has been organized under this act; third, the names of its officers and directors; fourth, the names of the societies or bodies in each organization represented in the county board at the date of the organization of said board, and the names of such organization.

VI. In any county in which there may be at the time of passing a law for the sale of manures and any other agricultural organization, such board shall have the privilege of representation in the state board, upon the same terms and conditions as societies or bodies in the said state board to make a full report of its proceedings, and to publish the proceedings of such officers of the state board as may be required by the executive committee.

13. And be it enacted, That annually, on or before the fifteenth day of December in each year, the executive committee, through its chairman or secretary, shall submit to the legislature a detailed report of the doings of the state board of agriculture, together with such suggestions relative to the interests in their charge may require.

14. And be it enacted, That any mortgagee of personal property, or any assignee or any one who, without consent of the owner of the claim secured by mortgage and with intent to defraud, shall remove from the county mortgaged out of the county where it was situated at the time it was mortgaged, or any assignee, heir, executor or administrator of the same without such consent, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and, upon conviction thereof shall be punished by a fine of not to exceed one hundred dollars, or by imprisonment at hard labor not exceeding six months, both, at the discretion of the court.

3. And be it enacted, That this act shall take effect immediately.

Approved April 1, 1887.

CHAPTER LXXXIV

An Act in relation to past due taxes.

1. Be it enacted by the Senate and General Assembly of the State of New Jersey, That it shall be lawful for the board of finance of any township of this state having control of the financial affairs of any city in this State, by a majority vote of the whole legislative body in this State, wherein the taxes due for any lands or real estate prior to the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven, and remaining unpaid, have been irregularly laid, levied and assessed, or where the lien of any city for such taxes has been irregularly obtained upon application and petition presented to the said board of finance, signed by a majority of the legislative body by any person or persons interested in any such lands or real estate, to make such sales as are provided by law for the sale of real estate for the payment of taxes, and any and all interest and costs thereon, and any and all advertising and other charges, and to execute and deliver to the purchaser or purchasers thereof a deed or deeds for the same, subject to the approval of the mayor, and shall deposit the money received from such sales in the bank designated by the state treasurer for the deposit of state funds, and shall report to the state treasurer, the collector of taxes, or persons authorized to receive the same, the amount of money received from such sales, and shall forthwith cancel the record of such tax sale in the township committee of said township in which such lands or real estate are situated, and shall forthwith cancel the record of such tax sale in the office of the county tax board commissioners, and to make rules and regulations for the conduct of such sales, and to sell all lots, parcels, tracts, rights, privileges and franchises which they may consider proper; provided that no such sale shall be made unless the owner or owners of such lands or real estate shall have had notice of the time and place of such sale, by causing such application within thirty days after the same shall be made, to be published in some newspaper published in said township, if any there be, and if not, then in some newspaper published in the county of which said township is a part, once a week for six weeks successively, the last publication of which shall be not less than ten days before the day of such sale, and by causing a written or printed notice of the time and place of such sale to be served upon the owner or owners of such lands or real estate, or upon the agent of such owner or owners, if such agent can be found in the county, at least ten days before the day of such sale; provided, that such notice shall

5. And be it enacted, That upon filing such certificate the period of the existence of such corporation shall be revived and continued for all the purposes in such certificate fully as if said period had been named in the original charter or certificate of the organization of said corporation. But nothing herein contained shall be construed to interfere with the right of this State to alter or repeal at any time hereafter any law now or hereafter relating to acquiring property and the disposition of such property, or, at any time to abolish or repeal, alter or amend the charter of any such corporation, or to cause it to be closed; and it shall also not be construed to continue any irregularities or obstructions with which any act contained in any charter, nor shall this act apply to any corporation against which quo warranto or other proceedings for dissolution are pending.

6. And be it enacted, That this act shall take effect immediately.

Approved April 6, 1887.

CHAPTER CV.

An act to provide for the payment of certificates of indebtedness issued for the purpose of constructing or improving a road or roads in the county of Hudson.

1. Be it enacted by the Senate and General Assembly of the State of New Jersey, That whenever, in any county of this state, certificates of indebtedness have been heretofore lawfully issued for the purpose of constructing or improving one or more roads or sewers running into or through such county for the payment of which certificates such county was by law authorized or hereafter obliged, such county shall be paid by such county and the assessments levied for the said improvement or improvements of such road or sewers shall hereafter be collected for the use of such county.

2. And be it enacted, That the board of chosen freeholders of any county aforesaid is hereby directed to carry out the provisions of this act and to provide the means therefor by general taxation, issue of bonds or sale of bonds of such county having not more than twenty years to run and bearing not more than three, and one-half per cent. interest per annum.

3. And be it enacted, That all acts and parts of acts, general, public or special, otherwise, inconsistent with this act, be and the same are hereby repealed, and this act shall be deemed a public act, and take effect immediately.

Approved April 7, 1887.

CHAPTER CVI.

A Supplement to an act entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the more easy partition of lands held by co-partners, joint tenants and tenants in common,'" approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four, which supplement was approved April sixteenth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six.

1. Be it enacted by the Senate and General Assembly of the State of New Jersey, That the first section of the act entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the more easy partition of lands held by co-partners, joint tenants and tenants in common,'" approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four, which supplement was approved April sixteenth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six, be and the same is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

1. Be it enacted by the Senate and General Assembly of the State of New Jersey, That in any proceedings for the partition of lands in the court of chancery of this state, or the orphans' court in any county of this state, or in any application made or hereafter made to any justice of the supreme court or judge of any circuit court or court of common pleas of a county wherein such lands may lie, all freehold estates of dower in lands subject in said proceedings to be sold, may be sold by the order of said court, justice or judge, and in such case said estates in dower shall be for ever barred, and the court by which said sale shall be confirmed shall direct one-third of the net proceeds of the sale of the share or shares in which said lands are subject to such dower to be invested and the income thereof during the lifetime of the tenant in fee of such share or shares to be paid to such tenant or to the lawful attorney of such share or shares, and upon the death of such tenant said income shall be paid to the person entitled to her for her lifetime, and upon her death the court shall order the principal of said fund to be paid to the heirs at law of the tenant in fee or to the parties holding liens upon the said share or shares at the time of the death thereof and remaining unsatisfied at the death of the tenant in dower, as equity may require; provided, however, if such tenant in dower or person holding such inchoate estate of dower shall signify her consent thereto in writing acknowledged as deeds are required to be acknowledged, such court may order the proceeds of the sale of such share or shares as are subject to such dower shall be paid over as such person's estate may direct.

2. And be it enacted, That this act shall take effect immediately.

Approved April 8, 1887.

CHAPTER CVII.

An act to provide for the election of chosen freeholders in incorporated boroughs.

1. Be it enacted by the Senate and General Assembly of the State of New Jersey, That the board of chosen freeholders of each borough within the state containing a population of not less than seven thousand inhabitants, shall at the next and each succeeding borough election for chosen freeholders, vote for *And also* for the chosen freeholder which freeholder shall hold office for the term of office prescribed under existing laws.

2. And be it enacted, That this act be a public act and shall take effect immediately.

Approved April 8, 1887.

CHAPTER CVIII.

An act for the benefit of the state lunatic asylum at Trenton, and to provide additional accommodations for the incurable insane of this state.

Whereas, it appears to the legislature that our lunatic asylums are now crowded with patients beyond their capacity for the proper classification and curative treatment of the insane; and whereas, it appears that many of said inmates are incurable, and that the presence of such inhabitants, shall at the next and each succeeding borough election for chosen freeholders, vote for *And also* for the chosen freeholder which freeholder shall hold office for the term of office prescribed under existing laws.

2. And be it enacted, That this act be a public act and shall take effect immediately.

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2. And be it enacted, That this act be a public act and shall take effect immediately.

Approved April 8, 1887.

CHAPTER CIX.

An act to amend and correct an error in the title of chapter eighty of the laws of one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three.

Whereas, It is made to appear that a clerical or typographical error in the title of chapter eighty of the laws of one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three, entitled "An act for the formation of joint stock companies," approved April third, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three, in that the said act is not supplemental to the act to which it was intended to be a supplement, therefore,

1. Be it enacted by the Senate and General Assembly of the State of New Jersey, That the title of chapter eighty of the laws of one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three be and the same is hereby amended so to read as follows:

CHAPTER LXXX.

A supplement to an act entitled "An act for the formation of borough governments," approved April first, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-one.

2. And be it enacted, That this act shall take effect immediately.

Approved April 8, 1887.

CHAPTER CX.

An act authorizing cities to issue bonds for the purpose of acquiring immediate title to property in certain cases.

1. Be it enacted by the Senate and General Assembly of the State of New Jersey, That in any case in any city in this state where water pipes have been laid and other work connected therewith has heretofore been done and materials furnished for the city in accordance with the terms of a written contract previously entered into and such work and the same have not been *fully paid*, it shall be lawful for the board having supervision and control of the water supply of such city, whether other or different provisions or contracts for the payment thereof have or have not been made, to issue registered or coupon bonds in the corporate name of such city in the form now prescribed in such city, to bear interest at the rate not to exceed six per cent. per annum, payable annually, and deliver the same at not less than their par value to such person or persons to whom payment may be due or become due for such work and materials, or for an adjusted amount, or an account stated between the city and such person or persons, and in full satisfaction of the same; said bonds to be issued in such *installments and* for the respective terms of years as said board may by resolution determine; provided, that the principal sum of said bonds shall not exceed the amount of the whole amount of money due and to become due to the said contractor or contractors, and in no case shall the period of the existence of such corporation shall be revived and continued for all the purposes in such certificate fully as if said period had been named in the original charter or certificate of the organization of said corporation. But nothing herein contained shall be construed to interfere with the right of this State at any time hereafter to alter or repeal any law now or hereafter relating to acquiring property and the disposition of such property, or, at any time to abolish or repeal, alter or amend the charter of any such corporation, or to cause it to be closed; and it shall also not be construed to continue any irregularities or obstructions with which any act contained in any charter, nor shall this act apply to any corporation against which quo warranto or other proceedings for dissolution are pending.

6. And be it enacted, That this act shall take effect immediately.

Approved April 6, 1887.

CHAPTER CV.

An act to provide for the payment of certificates of indebtedness issued for the purpose of constructing or improving a road or roads in the county of Hudson.

1. Be it enacted by the Senate and General Assembly of the State of New Jersey, That whenever, in any county of this state, certificates of indebtedness have been heretofore lawfully issued for the purpose of constructing or improving one or more roads or sewers running into or through such county for the payment of which certificates such county was by law authorized or hereafter obliged, such county shall be paid by such county and the assessments levied for the said improvement or improvements of such road or sewers shall hereafter be collected for the use of such county.

2. And be it enacted, That the board of chosen freeholders of any county aforesaid is hereby directed to carry out the provisions of this act and to provide the means therefor by general taxation, issue of bonds or sale of bonds of such county having not more than twenty years to run and bearing not more than three, and one-half per cent. interest per annum.

3. And be it enacted, That all acts and parts of acts, general, public or special, otherwise, inconsistent with this act, be and the same are hereby repealed, and this act shall be deemed a public act, and take effect immediately.

Approved April 7, 1887.

CHAPTER CVI.

A Supplement to an act entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the more easy partition of lands held by co-partners, joint tenants and tenants in common,'" approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four, which supplement was approved April sixteenth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six.

1. Be it enacted by the Senate and General Assembly of the State of New Jersey, That the first section of the act entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled 'An act for the more easy partition of lands held by co-partners, joint tenants and tenants in common,'" approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four, which supplement was approved April sixteenth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six, be and the same is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

1. Be it enacted by the Senate and General Assembly of the State of New Jersey, That in any proceedings for the partition of lands in the court of chancery of this state, or the orphans' court in any county of this state, or in any application made or hereafter made to any justice of the supreme court or judge of any circuit court or court of common pleas of a county wherein such lands may lie, all freehold estates of dower in lands subject in said proceedings to be sold, may be sold by the order of said court, justice or judge, and in such case said estates in dower shall be for ever barred, and the court by which said sale shall be confirmed shall direct one-third of the net proceeds of the sale of the share or shares in which said lands are subject to such dower to be invested and the income thereof during the lifetime of the tenant in fee of such share or shares to be paid to such tenant or to the lawful attorney of such share or shares, and upon the death of such tenant said income shall be paid to the person entitled to her for her lifetime, and upon her death the court shall order the principal of said fund to be paid to the heirs at law of the tenant in fee or to the parties holding liens upon the said share or shares at the time of the death thereof and remaining unsatisfied at the death of the tenant in dower, as equity may require; provided, however, if such tenant in dower or person holding such inchoate estate of dower shall signify her consent thereto in writing acknowledged as deeds are required to be acknowledged, such court may order the proceeds of the sale of such share or shares as are subject to such dower shall be paid over as such person's estate may direct.

2. And be it enacted, That this act shall take effect immediately.

Approved April 8, 1887.

CHAPTER CVII.

An act to provide for the election of chosen freeholders in incorporated boroughs.

1. Be it enacted by the Senate and General Assembly of the State of New Jersey, That the board of chosen freeholders of each borough within the state containing a population of not less than seven thousand inhabitants, shall at the next and each succeeding borough election for chosen freeholders, vote for *And also* for the chosen freeholder which freeholder shall hold office for the term of office prescribed under existing laws.

2. And be it enacted, That this act be a public act and shall take effect immediately.

Approved April 8, 1887.

CHAPTER CVIII.

An act for the benefit of the state lunatic asylum at Trenton, and to provide additional accommodations for the incurable insane of this state.

Whereas, it appears to the legislature that our lunatic asylums are now crowded with patients beyond their capacity for the proper classification and curative treatment of the insane; and whereas, it appears that many of said inmates are incurable, and that the presence of such inhabitants is detrimental to the interests and the improvement and care of other patients, therefore,

1. Be it enacted by the Senate and General Assembly of the State of New Jersey, That the board of managers of the state lunatic asylum at Trenton be and they are hereby authorized to pay to the said board of managers the sum or one hundred dollars per week for each of any moneys not heretofore appropriated; the cost of the building that shall be thus appropriated *is made in this section*: the same shall be built in a plain and substantial style, and with a view to its extension and enlargement in the future.

2. And be it enacted, That this act

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JOTTINGS.

—The monthly meeting of the Plainfield Bicycle club will be held this evening.

—The Somerset County Board of Freeholders will hold their regular meeting in the court-house at Somerville to-morrow.

—Mr. Hayrake has purchased a handsome new wagon to meet the increased business at his flour and feed store on Somerset street.

—During the thunder shower on Saturday morning, the residence of Mr. J. J. Kenney was struck by lightning and slightly damaged.

—The childrens' tickets on the Methodist excursion next Friday will be ninety instead of seventy-five cents each, because of the inter-state law. Read the advertisement.

—A large party of Plainfield gentlemen went to Round Brook this morning on a fishing trip. There were several curious looking lunch-baskets under the wagon seats, but the scarcity of bait in that section will account for this.

—Receiver Hubbard, by advice of the court, will sell off the balance of the furniture in Green's store, next Wednesday at auction, and close up the business for the benefit of its creditors, as per notice elsewhere.

—It will pay young men to attend the meeting conducted by the young men for young men at the Association Rooms this evening at 6 o'clock. Topic: "Sons of God by Faith in Christ Jesus." John 1: 12.

—The members of the State Exempt Firemen's Association will hold a meeting in the parlors of Engine Company No. 2, at eight o'clock this evening. Business of importance pertaining to the interests of the society will be transacted.

—The report made by the Treasurer of the Reform club at the meeting last Thursday evening, was for the quarter ending Jan. 1st, and showed a balance on hand for each fund, at the end of the quarter. The annual report which was made Jan. 1st, 1887, showed the total receipts for the year, $1,935.50; expenditures $1,873.28, balance $242.31.

—On Wednesday morning July 20, a special train will convey the members of St. Mary's T. A. B. Society and their friends to Jersey City, where the steamer "Crystal Stream" and barge "W. H. Morton" will be in waiting to take them for a sail up beautiful Hudson to Riverview Grove, the occasion being the annual excursion of the society. Good music has been secured and dancing can be indulged in. No intoxicating liquors will be allowed on the boat. See their advertisement in this issue.

—The meeting at the Warren Mission chapel last night was well attended. The service of song was one of special interest, most of the hymns used being from the Gospel Choir. A solo from M. M. Graham and another by George Belcher were sung, the chorus and congregation uniting in a full chorus. Mr. Manning, Secretary of the Y. M. C. A., took charge of the devotional exercises, giving the closing part of the meeting for testimonies and prayer, the time being fully occupied by members of the congregation. These meetings will be discontinued for the summer, after two more Sunday evenings.

Tennis Tournament.

The first tournament of the Plainfield Lawn Tennis club with the Elizabeth players was completed on Saturday afternoon, and resulted in the latter carrying off the palm in both singles and doubles. The tournament was begun on Saturday July 2d, continued on the 4th, and concluded yesterday. The game was a very interesting one, and was witnessed by a large number of persons interested. Mr. Witherspoon of the home players contested manfully for the singles, but Mr. Glasebrook of Elizabeth finally bore off the honors. There was very good playing in both singles, and doubles, and the Plainfield players are justly proud of the playing done. The Tournament Committee consisted of Messrs. H. W. Beck, James P. Murray and Fred W. Wair. The finals were played on Saturday, and the total score now stands as follows, the Plainfield players being denoted with a star (*):

FIRST ROUND—SINGLES.		
Witherspoon* beat James Murray*: 6-3, 6-3.		4-6,
Anderson* beat Post: 6-3, 6-3.		
Ranney beat Spencer*: 6-1, 6-3.		
Green beat Munger*: by default.		
Jacobus* beat Van Deventer*: 6-3, 6-0.		
Elliott beat Wair*: 6-0, 6-2.		
McCutchen* beat Serrell*: 6-1, 6-1.		
Cook beat Erickson*: 6-3, 6-3.		
Smith beat Beebe*: 6-0, 6-2.		
Brandegee beat F. Wair*: 6-3, 6-3.		
Glasebrook beat W. Murray*: 6-0, 6 2.		
SECOND ROUND.		
Witherspoon* beat Anderson*: 6-0, 6-0.		
Green beat Ranney: 6-3, 6-3.		
Elliott beat Jacobus*: 6-3, 6-0.		
Cook beat McCutchen*: 2-6, 6-1, 6-3.		
THIRD ROUND.		
Witherspoon* beat Green: 6-0, 6-3, 6-4.		
Elliott beat Cook: 6-1, 6-3.		
FINALS.		
Glasebrook beat Elliott: 6-4, 6-3.		
Glasebrook beat Witherspoon*: 6-0, 6-2.		
Glasebrook winner of singles.		
DOUBLES—FIRST ROUND.		
Ranney and Harrison beat Beebe* and Van Deventer*: 6-2, 4-6, 6-4.		
Cook and Williamson beat James Murray* and Wair, Jr.*: 6-3, 6-4.		
Glasebrook and Smith beat Witherspoon* and Jacobus*: 6-4, 6-2.		
Beebe* and F. Wair* beat Elliott and Kingsley: 6-2, 7-5, 6-3.		
Green and Brandegee beat Serrell* and W. Murray*: 6-2, 6-4.		
SECOND ROUND.		
Glasebrook and Smith beat Beebe* and F. Wair*: 7-5, 6-4, 6-3.		
Ranney and Harrison beat Cook and Williamson: 6-3, 6-2.		
FINALS.		
Green and Brandegee beat Glasebrook and Smith: 7-5, 6-2, 6-4.		
Green and Brandegee beat Ranney and Harrison: 6-1, 6-0, 6-1.		

GRAVESEND PLAYING.

How the Pat Men Struggled to Win the Game.

A game of base ball was played on the Park avenue grounds last Saturday afternoon, and every one living within a radius of half a mile was aware of the fact.

The game was between the "Brobdignags" and the "Liliputs," and they played ball for all it was worth while the spectators applauded. Many members of the "Brobdignags" did ample justice to the title as found in Gulliver's celebrated travels. Gulliver knew a thing or to about "Brobdignags" and "Liliputs," and scorer Wadsworth and others showed their appreciation of Swift's pen by using the terms in this instance, and could that celebrated writer have been there he would no doubt have fully appreciated the situation. The "large nine" had two young men from Brooklyn, W. Calkins and G. Cadmus, as pitcher and catcher to assist them, while Vosbil occupied the third base. The others Messrs. Smith, Keller, Russ, McCloud, Wilbur and Evans were heavy weights, and so completely covered the positions assigned them that the suggestion to use high board fences around the players was voted down. It was agreed that to touch any part of the fat men with a ball should be considered sufficient grounds to declare him out, just the same as though he were not half so big. Another rule agreed upon was that when a fat player made a base he should not occupy more than ten square feet of ground in that immediate neighborhood. Other matters of importance were left to Umpire Stover to decide as he saw fit, with the assistance of a very generous audience.

The "Brobdignags" won the toss and Tom Keller went first to bat. The pitcher, Townley, took careful aim and let the ball fly. Keller managed to get out of the way but he was soon caught amidship with a hot liner and the umpire ordered him to the first base, where he carefully nursed the injured part and awaited an opportunity to set sail for second. Then Charlie Smith toed the scratch and the pitcher managed to curve a ball around his belt, and Charlie gave it a rap that proved quite a surprise party to the ball. Then two pairs of red hose could be seen making frantic motions in the air while 450 pounds avoirdupois, divided in two respective parts, went rushing around the diamond. Smith was anxious to run Keller clear home but Tom lung fire on third to catch his breath. He failed to reach home because of some confusion between the ball and the man at third, but Smith came around in good shape and scored the first run. Then everybody howled with delight, in fact the game was attended with almost one continuous yell of delight and laughter from beginning to end. It was agreed that it was the most interesting game of ball witnessed on the grounds this season. The pitcher tried his best to curve the ball around Russ and McCloud and in some instances he succeeded in missing them. When McCloud finally scored a run he left into Tom Keller with a force that knocked the plate and was quietly fanned into life again while the feat was cheered to the echo.

Wilbur found so little to do in the right field that he occupied his time in bowling at the others and in giving points of interest concerning the game to the crowd of the spectators who gathered behind him for protection. Smith started in with the first base as his specialty but he afterwards induced Keller to swap second for it on the ground that the audience wanted to get a better view of the latter's knee breeches.

There seemed to be little sympathy between Charlie's hands and the ball, but he did his best to stop it, and usually succeeded somehow. Russ was a success as short stop and soon demonstrated the fact that there was no room for flies in that part of the field. McCloud was the life of the centre field and gave Evans every encouragement at left while he chased the balls, and he was kept very busily engaged in that occupation. It should be mentioned that the Cadmus boys assisted to heavy weights very materially in keeping down the score of their competitors.

At the end of the eighth inning the score stood 14 to 11 in favor of the "Liliputs," but in the beginning of the ninth the "Brobdignags" made five runs and proposed making it very warm for their competitors. A shower came up when the latter went to bat and the game was called. Both sides did some pretty good playing, but the whole thing was amusing from beginning to end. A return game will probably be played. Following is the score:

LILIPUTS.	R	O	BROBDIGNAGS.	R	O
Cor'ell, ss	3	2	Keller, 2b	2	1
H. Calkins, rf	2	2	C. Smith, 1b	1	3
McMurray, c	2	3	Russ, ss	1	4
Chamberlain, 3b	2	1	McCloud, cf	1	4
Evans, lf	1	3	Wilbur, rf	1	3
Murray, cf	1	2	Vosbil, 3b	1	3
Townley, p	2	3	W. Calmus, p	1	2
Tilney, 1b	0	4	Smith, c	0	3
Buckley, lf	1	3	G. Calmus, c	2	2
	14	24		11	24

8 Innings	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	
Liliputs	5	2	3	1	0	0	3	0	0—14
Brobdignags	2	0	0	0	0	3	0	4	0—11

The Death Roll.

The funeral of Agnes, the eight-months-old daughter of Martin and Mary Jane McCarthy, of West Third street took place from her parents residence at half-past two o'clock yesterday afternoon. Interment was made in St. Mary's cemetery.

John, the nineteen-months-old son of Mr and Mrs. Patrick Kellegher, died from an attack of scarlet fever Saturday. The funeral took place yesterday afternoon. Interment was made in St. Mary's cemetery.

The funeral of Harriett A. Stuart, who died Friday morning of consumption while visiting friends on Rose street, North Plainfield, took place Monday. Services were conducted by the Rev. D. J. Yerkes of the First Baptist Church. Interment was made in the Presbyterian Church.

—In the matter of variety the weather of the past few days has been conspicuous. The intense heat of Saturday morning, followed by the showers in the afternoon, and the cool showers at night, e bright and breezy day yesterday, and the same to day ought to suit the most fickle palate.

PERSONAL.

W. L. Patton of this city, is a guest at the Coleman House, Asbury Park.

Dr. C. M. Field was in this city to-day transacting some business prior to his European tour.

Mr. and Mrs W. G. Brett of this city, are registered at the Coleman House, Asbury Park.

Policeman Lynch has again returned to duty from a ten days' vacation, looking much refreshed.

Mrs. William McHoin of New York, is visiting at the residence of her mother on West Third street.

William B. Smith of Fourth street has returned to this city from a two weeks, visit to his home in Massachusetts.

A letter from Mr. and Mrs. Solomon Flaig of East Front street, who are sojourning in Europe, locates them at Antwerp, where they are having a most enjoyable time.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Yates of Seventh street, their son, Fred., their daughter, Miss Clemmie, and Miss Cadings are registered at the Coleman House, Asbury Park.

Mr. Mesbutt and family of North Front street will shortly go to Boring in New York State to remain until the first of September. The change is made in the hope of benefiting Mrs. Mesbutt's health.

Willie D. Hyde, of Elmira, N. Y., returned to his home, to day, after a pleasant visit to friends in this city. Mr. Hyde is well-known here, having given several exhibitions in fancy roller skating in the Casino rink.

The Misses Sadie and Anna Searing, of West Third street, returned Saturday evening after sojourning at Perth Amboy for several days. Miss Sadie will finish her summer vacation at Union, the guest of Freeholder G. W Doty.

The home of R. J. Perkins, proprietor of the Clothing Cutting store, was made happy yesterday morning by the appearance of a brand new girl baby. This accounts for the three-ply smile now worn by Mr. Perkins. He accepts congratulations very modestly.

Edward Richards, recently a clerk in Field & Randolph's drug store, has accepted a similar position in the store of R. J. Shaw, corner of Second and Front streets. He succeeded Mr. Estill's book store on Park avenue. Mr. Richards has been in the drug business for several years, while Mr. Hull does not as yet feel kindly to the dispensing of ipecac and quinine, et. als.

Gov. Robert S. Green, accompanied by the aides-de-camp of his staff, spent last night and Sunday at the State camp grounds, at Sea Girt. They were quartered at the cottage on the grounds. The question of supplying water at the camp grounds by means of artesian wells was discussed yesterday, but no positive decision was arrived at. The Governor and party are highly pleased with the grounds and the manner in which they are conducted. Governor Abbett's wife and daughter have been spending the day at the camp grounds. Mrs. Abbett's son-in-law, Attorney-General Stockton

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KALAKAUA'S MINIATURE KINGDOM

Rises In Revolt Against the Governing Powers—A New Ministry.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 11.—The steamship Mariposa, from Australia, arrived here Saturday, having touched at the Hawaiian Islands. She brings the information that the expected revolution in the Hawaiian kingdom has broke out." The populace demanded the downfall of the ministry and the abdication of the king. The residents of Honolulu and the surrounding country assumed the powers of the government. The volunteer and military forces of the kingdom are in sympathy. As a result the Gibson ministry has fallen, and a cabinet named by the people, headed by William M. Green, has been appointed. King Kalakaua is permitted to remain on the throne, although divested of all private power, having accepted to the demand of a new constitution and to abide by the will of the people.

The whole coast is excited over the news of successful revolution in Hawaii. Opinion is unanimous that the overthrow of Gibson, who has pandered to all the caprices, good and bad, of the Hawaiian monarch, will be of the greatest ultimate benefit to the Sandwich Islands. That no blood was spilt in the movement is due to the thorough and complete methods of the revolutionists and their determination to act in accordance with

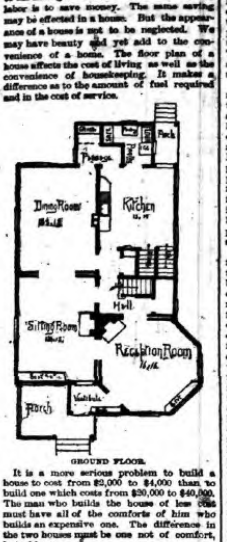
A COMFORTABLE HOUSE.

HOW TO BUILD ONE THAT WILL BE PLEASANT AND ECONOMICAL.

Square Houses to be Preferred to Long Ones—The Living Rooms in Front as Well as the Parlors—To Cost from $2,000 to $3,000.

[Special Correspondence.]

INDIANAPOLIS, July 4.—The ease and expense with which a house may be cared for is largely dependent upon its floor plan and general conveniences. Those who plan factories and mills arrange them with reference to the saving of labor. The idea in saving labor is to save money. The same saving may be effected in a house. But the appearance of a house is not to be neglected. We may have a handy and yet add to the convenience of a home. The floor plan of a house affects the cost of living as well as the convenience of housekeeping. It makes a difference as to the amounts of fuel required and in the cost of service.

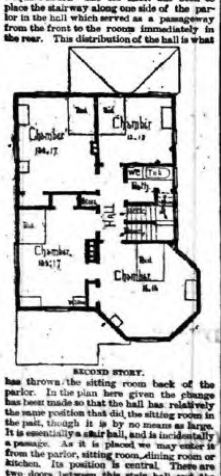


GROUND FLOOR.

It is a more serious problem to build a house to cost from $2,000 to $4,000 than to build one which costs from $20,000 to $40,000. The man who builds the house of less cost must have all of the comforts of him who builds an expensive one. The difference in the two houses must be one not of comfort, but of luxury.

In considering the requirements of those who would build a house of moderate cost we assume that the family contains the father, mother and children, both boys and girls. In a two story house the natural requirements make necessary a reception room, sitting room, dining room, kitchen, pantries, vestibule and stair hall on the first floor. On the second floor there is the bedroom of the parents, and adjoining it a bedroom for the younger children of the family contains children who require the attention of the parents at night. If not this room may be given to the girls of the family, and one more detached to the boys. There should also be a guest room, a servant's room and the bath room. This gives four rooms on the first floor, and five, besides the bathroom, above the first floor. It is pleasant to have the parlor and sitting room in the front, while the dining room and kitchen may be in the rear of the house. The stair hall would occupy an intermediate position. This makes practically a square house. It has been a common practice during past years in building houses of moderate cost to have the stair hall along one side with its entrances in front and the parlor next to it. Back of the parlor was the sitting room; the hall opened into the dining room, and back of the dining room was the kitchen, and so on to the extreme rear through summer kitchen, pantry, etc. This makes a long house with only one room in front on the first floor and one chamber and an alcove with a direct view to the street.

When we say that the sitting room should be in the front part of the house it does not necessarily imply that the parlor should be disturbed. As shown in the annexed plan they may both be in front. The vestibule, which is large enough for a hat rack and for the occupants of the house to stand while putting on their overshoes and wraps, is in front of both parlor and reception room, but yet in a way so as not to disturb the view to the street from either of these rooms. We cannot have all of the rooms in front. The kitchen we do not want there. The dining room is convenient if placed immediately in the rear of the sitting room. The kitchen is convenient if immediately adjacent to the dining room. Thus we have two rooms in front and two in the rear. This is practically a square house. The old habit has been to place the stairway along one side of the parlor in the hall which served as a passageway from the front to the rooms immediately in the rear. This distribution of the hall is what



SECOND STORY.

has thrown the sitting room back of the parlor. In the plan here given the plunge has been made so that the hall has relatively the same position that did the sitting room in the past, though it is by no means as large. It is essentially a stair hall, and is incidentally a passage. As it is placed we may enter it from the parlor, sitting room, dining room or kitchen. Its position is central. There are two doors between this stair hall and the kitchen. The central position of the stairway has other advantages than those just stated. It makes long halls of the second floor entirely unnecessary. As we will see by looking at the

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Considerable latitude is allowed this season in the matter of riding habits. Black cloth, dark blue and dark green are worn, and brown are all in fashion. The lady who is confirmed will perhaps prove the more popular during the coming months. Pretty checks, diagonals, corkscrew and "tailor" cloths are all more or less employed in the making of habits. The habits are for the most part fashioned after English models and include a double action, high stock and wrist cuff. An ulster, and a mackintosh will be the only cut any kind of trimming, a short, tassel skirt and trousers. (See cuts.)

RIDING HABIT.

New York ladies have modified this season in some cases the habit here illustrated by substituting a rolling collar for a standing one and thus exposing a linen chemisette and necktie. It must be said, however, that the high, close bodice, with plain linen collar and cuffs, can hardly be improved upon by equestriennes.

TROUSERS TO WEAR WITH HABIT.

Lady equestriennes seen in Central park wear usually a high black silk hat, but for country wear felt Derby hats of the same color as the habit are in favor. In the selection of gloves not many choose but sweet Swede glazed kid and dressed and undressed kid. A scarf pin or small brooch, representing a horseshoe, a whip, saddle or similar device is appropriately worn with a riding habit.

Caps and Coiffures.

Caps and coiffures are, as a rule, little worn by ladies as they retain a good head of hair, but are reserved for service when the part becomes thin and the offensive bald spot near the back of the head appears. For morning, elderly ladies wear round crown caps of mull. There are many of them trimmed with real lace. For dress caps point d'Alencon and other lace is made up with fine net and gros grain ribbon loops of some becoming color. Black lace is but little used for these caps.

When a coiffure of gray hair is preferred to the dress caps, the hair is, in some cases, dressed with high loops at the back and arranged in front in a pompadour. In other cases the back hair is arranged in a coil or knot, and the front dressed in three puffs at the side of the face.

Lawn Tennis Costumes.

Favorite costumes for lawn tennis and other out of door sports are those made of some white material, such as flannel or serge. These white dresses are in many cases finished with a collar, cuffs and sash of some plain color, red and blue being favorite hues.

A wide license is permitted in the selection of hats. Some ladies wear sort, white felt hats. Sailor hats of straw are also in demand to wear with tennis costumes.

Canvas shoes are much worn, and show lacings of colored ribbons or cords. The regular tennis shoes have spikes in the soles to prevent the players from slipping. Chamois or doeskin gauntlets are appropriate gloves for tennis.

Feathers and Flannel for Hats.

Cock plumes, arranged in clusters, are very fashionable as a garniture for round hats. These plumes are attractively arranged in short curve clusters that retain their shape, not blowing about as the long straight feathers. Ostrich feathers will again serve as a trimming for many of the midsummer hats. A great many large hats are being prepared, many of them having a shallow rim at the back. Those made of undressed braids have no wire or facing in the brim. A new shape curves upward in front, drooping close on the right side and is rolled upon the left to the middle of the back, where it is pointed against the crown.

Shoes and Gloves for Mountain Wear.

In every outfit prepared for mountain resorts there should be at least one pair of comfortable and at the same stout, substantial shoes. These shoes may be of either leather or canvas, but ought to have low heels and not thick broad soles. Such shoes will add greatly to the comfort and health of everybody who tramps about during the summer.

It is a wise precaution to lay in a stock of doeskin or dogskin gloves; gloves heavy enough to protect the hands from scratches, and, above all, the attacks of black flies, musquitoes and gnats.

Summer Dresses.

Sleeves for summer dresses are many of them made quite full, and some are confined by a band at the wrist. This style of sleeve is seen on imported dresses. Many corsages are also made full, being shirred on the shoulders and confined at the waist by a belt. Blouse waists with yoke and belt also appear in summer gowns.

White wool dresses are being made up in large numbers by New York modistes for wear at the seaside. Where muslins and other light-weight fabrics soon lose their crisp freshness.

Silver Jewelry.

Silver jewelry does not in the slightest affect the popularity of gold ornaments. There is a place for each in every lady's toilet, the present style of dress affording opportunities for the wearing of silver trinkets when gold ones would be entirely inappropriate, and vice versa. It is the finest quality and most artistic finish in silver jewelry, however, that is fashionable.

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A Rest Bit of Flattery.

He appeared suddenly at the door of a fashionable boarding house the other day, wearing a bland smile and a spacious coat.

The ladies were all grouped on the verandah in breakfast costume.

"Ladies," he said, doffing his hat, "a gentleman who is shortly to be asked to bring this basket of flies and present it with his compliments to the president baby here."

There was a moment's pause, and then a maiden who had seen many summers asked sharply:

"Well, why don't you present it?"

The man made a deprecatory bow.

"How can I, miss? He forgot to give me any address, and I couldn't pick out one from so many."

"What did he look like?" asked all the ladies at once.

"Very distinguished, with a light mustache, or, lemme see, was it dark? I kind of disremember the color. But that's what he said—the prettiest lady."

"Could it have been Mr. ——? Do you suppose he ordered them for that horrid Miss ——?"

"More likely for the Widow"——

"It must have been Capt."——

"I hate to take them back," said the man reflectively. "If the lady he meant will pick herself out I'll give her the flies," and he twirled one fragrant bud in his hand.

"I suppose you couldn't sell us any of them," murmured a sweet old thing who knew she was the 'one' meant.

"I could sell to you altogether, but not to one; that wouldn't be fair. You see the gentleman will know I couldn't afford to lose the sale of 'em. Six for five cents, ladies. If I can't find the right one 'taint my fault, an' I never see s'many pretty ladies afore in my life."

"I'll take a bunch!"

"And I."

The basket was soon emptied. At dinner every lady wore a lily in her hand or at her belt, and Mr. —— and Capt. —— were smiled upon by turns by the whole posse of female boarders to their great surprise.

"Good heavens! what have we done to deserve it?" asked the gentlemen of each other, as they were thanked for their good intentions.

The ladies do not know yet that they were the victims of a commercial ruse on the part of the lily vender.—Detroit Free Press.

A Proud Heritage.

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"Ah, I fought for human liberty myself. I was in the late war."

"Worthy son of worthy sires. Let me grasp your hand."

"By Jinks! I'll have to go now. Good day. Old Bullyrag is coming."

"Bullyrag!"

"Yes, he wants me to run over to the corner and get him a pitcher of beer, I suppose, and I must do it!"

"You!"

"Yes, he's the political boss who gave me my office."—Omaha World.

A Boon to Mankind.

Why shouldn't the puffed sleeves of the ladies be adapted to man's chief garment to prevent bagging at the knee?—Texas Siftings.

Too Much Enthusiasm.

"Teaching, to me," said an enthusiastic young school man, "is a holy calling. To sow in the young mind the seeds of future knowledge and watch them as they grow and develop is a pleasure greater than I can tell. I never weary of my work. I think only of"——

"I am very sorry," interrupted the young man to whom she was talking, "that you are so devoted to your profession, Miss Clara. I had hoped that some day I might ask you—in fact I called to-night to—but I hardly dare go on, in the light of what you"——

"You may go on, Mr. Smith," said the young lady, softly. "I'm a little too enthusiastic at times, perhaps."—New York Sun.

A Universal Sentiment.

"Are you an admirer of the national game, Miss Breezy?" inquired young Mr. Walash, of Chicago.

"Not an ardent admirer by any means, Mr. Walnsh," the young lady replied brightly. "I do not deem the influences surrounding baseball particularly elevating or refining, although I occasionally witness a game. But I must say," she continued, with rather more emphasis than the circumstances seemed to warrant, "that in trying to win the pennant without Mike Kelly, the Baby has bit off more than he can chaw."—New York Sun.

Her Opinion.

The reports of burglaries had made the mistress of the house cautious, and she regarded her maid of all work that the door at the foot of the flight of stairs must be bolted at night, and told her the reason why.

"They wouldn't come upstairs, would they?" asked Abigail.

"They might," said the mistress.

"And go into the rooms where folks are sleeping?"

"Yes, indeed."

"Well, if they ain't got cheek!"—Boston Transcript.

Wooden Headed, Probably.

"Where do you get all the funny things you print in your paper?" asked the inquisitive subscriber.

"Out of my head, sir; out of my head," curtly replied the bothered editor.

"Are you really, now?" said the inquisitive subscriber, pityingly. "Well, I rather had an idea that something was wrong, but I didn't know it was so bad as that."—Somerville Journal.

A young man on board a yacht
Said: "I am so awfully hacht,
I would like to take a beer,
But it seems too much for me,
For I always do take such a hiche."
—Lee.

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JOTTINGS.

—The Court of Special Sessions will sit in Elizabeth to-morrow.

—A number of persons from this city visited Florida Grove on Sunday.

—Engine Company No. 2, announce their annual excursion to Oriental Grove.

—There will be a meeting of the military company this evening at Crescent Rink.

—The firemen were compelled to use 2200 feet of hose in order to get a stream of water on the fire last night.

—The macadamizing of Somerset street, from the brook to Jackson avenue was finished yesterday afternoon.

—The lawns throughout the city present a charming appearance. The recent rains have beautified them very much.

—The work of putting the new one hundred horse-power boiler in position at the Electric light plant is progressing rapidly.

—Mr. Honeger of Short Hills has caused a large seventy-five foot flag-pole to be erected in front of the yard adjoining his residence

—The Board of Managers of the Plainfield Fire Department will hold their July meeting in the city court room at eight o'clock tonight.

—Men were engaged to day stringing wires for a new incandescent lamp to be located at the corner of Central avenue and Third street.

—The beetles continue their deadly work of stripping the elm trees and no remedy has so far been devised to check the ravages of the insects.

—A special train carrying the directors of the Central Railroad passed through this city about half-past nine o'clock this morning. All the bridges along the line were examined.

—The excursion of the M. E. Sunday school to Asbury Park and Ocean Grove takes place on Friday. Seven hours will be allowed at the seashore for bathing and other pleasures.

—A valuable dog named "Tramp" owned by Henry Stoller of East Front street, died yesterday afternoon under mysterious circumstances. The supposition is that he was poisoned.

—Rest what the Committee of Arrangements have to say about dancing on the excursion to be given by the members of St. Mary's T. A. B. Society on July 20th. Their "ad" appears in another column.

—The Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor of the First Presbyterian church will give their pastor Rev. Dr. Ketcham, a reception in the lecture room Friday evening. All the congregation are invited.

—The king-bolt on one of French's watering carts, being on East Front street about half-past five o'clock yesterday afternoon and caused the horses to run away, but they were caught before doing any damage.

—Newspaper writers are very apt to advise their readers to avoid the danger of a hot spell by keeping cool, and all the time they are fanning their own heads under tin roofs and gas light, trying to keep up in the race in which they are all engaged.

—Speaking of the recent lawn tennis tournament in Plainfield, the Elizabeth Journal says: "The Elizabeth players are very grateful for the hospitable treatment they received, and anxiously look forward to the opportunity of returning the courtesies."

—The officers, of the Auxiliary Board of Muhlenberg Hospital for the ensuing year are Mrs. M. E. Edgerton President; Miss Mary Tweedy Vice President; Mrs. T. H. Tomlinson, Secretary; Mrs. H. D. Buringham Treasurer; Mrs. W. E. Love and Miss M. Tweedy Auditors.

—A receiver's auction sale of furniture will be made at the warerooms of Frank C. Green on Park avenue to-morrow morning at ten o'clock. J. Frank Hubbard is the receiver, and he will dispose of a quantity of parlor suits, bedroom sets and other furniture. Notice advertisement elsewhere.

—Albert Inslee, a well-to-do young man, who lives at Woodbridge, cut his throat yesterday with a razor with suicidal intent. Inslee is temporarily insane. The attending physician has slight hopes of his recovery. Woodbridge has had four suicides in as many weeks, and also four accidental deaths.

—It is impossible not to say something good about this weather. If a few words of encouragement will have the effect to keep it up, they will be forthcoming at once. The delightful breezes may not be best for sea-side hotels and boarding houses, but they are wonderfully exhilarating to those who have to stay at home; and for the babies, there's nothing better than the present cool atmosphere.

—The regular quarterly meeting of the Plainfield Medical Association was held in the parlors of the City Hotel last evening. Papers of interest to the medical profession only were discussed and methods of treatment in remote cases talked over and a free exchange of opinion given. Thirteen members sat down to supper at ten o'clock. The quarterly meeting of the Union County Association will be held next week at Elizabeth.

—Some of the New York reporters think they have discovered another case to the Rahway murder. This time they are hunting for the owner of the basket which the murdered girl carried in her arms, containing the somewhat celebrated eggs. A man has been found who says he saw the basket in the possession of an old lady near Rahway, some time before the murder occurred, and that he spoke of the matter to parties interested, but his story was discredited, and the family of the aged woman deny all knowledge of it. The theory will be investigated. The theory of forming a clue by tracing the breed of chickens hatched from the eggs has exploded. The theory will be that no such breed can be found within a radius of ten miles.

SOCIAL PURITY.

Mrs. A. M. Powell's Paper Read before the W. C. T. U. Convention on Friday.

At the Convention of the Women's Christian Temperance Union, held in Asbury Park on Thursday and Friday of last week, Mrs. A. M. Powell of East Sixth street, this city, read an interesting paper on "Social Purity," a report of which is taken from the Asbury Park Press:

"Mrs. A. M. Powell's paper on 'Social Purity' was the leading topic of the afternoon session, and in fact, "Here in this favored land, there are laws upon our statute book which should make us tremble for the honor and virtue of our nation. How few realize what is involved in the fact that in most of our States little girls of ten years of age are held responsible in law for the guardianship of their own virtue! What father and mother can look into the innocent faces of their little daughters on this tender age without shuddering at the thought of having these held by the State as capable of giving consent to their own ruin! How, shall we in Christ's spirit make ourselves his agents for the redemption of the fallen, and how meet the responsibility that this and promblem presents, is the question pressed upon us in this new moral crusade.

"Many a man repents in ashes for the sins from which he might have been saved had only early friendly instruction and warning anticipated other false doctrines based on that gospel of license—the necessity of vice—and not then on the possibilities of virtue.

"More must be done in the way of prevention to save boys and girls from the snares set for the young. Parents should not leave their children to a chance knowledge of these things, but should by their own pure converse and holding that confidential relation with their children which would forestall any first impressions to the contrary, be the pleasant an early reverence for this temple of the Holy Ghost, which would prevent its desecration.' The White Cross movement is inspired by the Bishop of Dunham. "It is designed for men only and boys of eighteen. It appeals to what is noblest in manhood as will be seen by the following pledge:—I promise by the help of God:

1. To treat all women with respect, and endeavor to protect them from wrong and degradation.

2. To endeavor to put down all indecent language and coarse jests.

3. To maintain the law of purity as equally binding upon men and women.

4. To endeavor to spread these principles among my companions and to try and help my younger brothers.

5. To use every possible means to fulfill the command, 'Keep thyself pure.'

The pledge for women is called the White Shield Pledge and is similar to the White Cross Pledge for men.

In conclusion the lady said, "This work calls for a new departure, but depending on a faith that never wavers, and a consecrated purpose to carry it forward. But it is work for the Master which he will own and bless.

'Beyond our vision weak and dim
The harvest time is hid with Him.'"

Editor Powell, of the Philanthropist, continued the subject of Social Purity. He thanked the ladies for incorporating the White cross movement into their organization. Referred to alcohol as having a deteriorating effect on the human system, and saloons as being the curses of humanity were the ruin of young girls was often planned by sensual men. Therefore the utmost caution in this whole movement. Wm. C. T. U. president Mrs. Frances E. Willard calls—"The latest and grandest work."

Many intelligent and medical men have said: "Boys must have their season for sowing wild oats." Such men as medical men would be disposed to publicly announce such views, but yet often do privately. Hence the necessity of considering the possibility of maintaining an equal standard of morality for men as well as women. The motto of the legion of the White Cross is "Blessed are the pure in heart for they shall see God" indicates chastity as the inspiration for all men and women. The divine command "Keep thyself pure" was delivered to men as well as women.

The speaker then considered the European regulation system for vice, which gives places of immorality into medical and police control causing the slavery of women and the perils of the purity of the home. The European regulation system was severely condemned. Legislation in Holland and other countries was shown to favor vice in spite of the efforts of thousands of women.

An Early Morning Fire.

Shortly after one o'clock this morning, fire was discoved in the large frame barn on Hillside avenue, owned by Mr. L. J. Denton. An alarm was sounded and the fire department, with the exception of No. 1 Engine company, responded; but the scarcity of water in the immediate vicinity delayed the firemen for some time. No. 3 Engine was stationed at Cedar Brook and pumped into No. 2 Engine, who then threw the stream on the fire. The Chief Engineer was compelled for want of more hose to send to Plainfield for No. 1's hose cart. By this time the structure was enveloped in flames, and although the firemen worked hard the building was burned to the ground. The fire was undoubtedly the work of an incendiary.

The fire was discovered by Mr. Denton's sister, who happened to look out of the window of her room and discovered the wagon house in the rear of the barn in flames. She aroused the rest of the family, and Mr. Denton succeeded in saving the live stock. The barn and other outbuildings, together with four wagons, some hay, which had been put in the wagon shed that day, harness, farming implements, about fifty chickens and other articles were entirely consumed. The firemen succeeded in saving the outbuildings belonging to Mr. Honeger, adjoining.

Mr. Denton's loss will probably reach several thousand dollars and is partially covered by insurance.

The family of Mr. Denton prepared a large boiled coffee and served it up to the firemen for which they were thankful.

Exempt Fireman Meet.

Last evening at eight o'clock, a very interesting meeting of the Exempt Firemen's Association was held in the parlor Engine Company No. 2, with President Titsworth in the chair. After the transaction of other routine business a committee of five consisting of Ex-Chief Saltzman as chairman and Messrs. E. R. Pope, H. J. Martin, S. B. Ryder and F. Utzinger, as delegates to the State Exempt Firemen's Association were appointed. Messrs. B. A. Mumford and H. J. Martin were added to the Committee on the Constitution and By-laws. Fifty-eight names were enrolled as members, after which the meeting adjourned to meet again at the parlor of Engine Company, No. 2, on Monday, July 25, when the constitution and by-laws will be presented and adopted.

PERSONAL.

James H. Gifford of Boston, is a guest at the Ocean Hotel, Asbury Park.

Mr. D. D. Westervelt, of Metuchen is registered at the Ellwood Hotel, Asbury Park.

Mr. E. Westervelt, of Easton, Pa., is visiting his uncle, Geo. Westervelt, of North Plainfield.

Miss Julies Atkins, of Grove street, North Plainfield, is spending a couple of weeks at Asbury Park.

Harry Brokaw, of Duer street, North Plainfield has returned from a visit to friends at Troy, N. Y.

An infant child of George Rilling, of Rockview avenue, is lying dangerously ill with cholera infantum.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Jagger of Emily street start to-day for a few weeks' visit to relatives near Fanwood.

Chas. Matthews of Grove street, is staying at Hotel Knauerschill, Green county, New York for the summer.

David Mills of Summit avenue is enlarging his residence by putting an addition on the western side of the house.

Frank King and family, of Jersey City Heights, are the guests of Mrs. L. Prescott, corner of Second and Peace streets.

Rev. J. L. Hurlburt and family of East Fifth and Franklin streets, have gone out of town on a short trip, to return about the first of August.

T. W. Morrison, editor of THE NEWS, and daughter are registered at the Surf Avenue House, Asbury Park, where they will remain for a few days.

The residence of Henry E. Carroll of corner of Westervelt and Grandview avenues, is being much improved in appearance by a new coat of paint.

Gen. G. Hall, of Elmira, N. Y., was visiting his friend, Mr. Geo. Lewis, of Mountain avenue, yesterday. He returned to Elmira later in the day.

Janet Gleak, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Gleak, of Richmond street, died Sunday from cholera infantum. The funeral took place this afternoon.

A lawn party will be given at Capt. Grosvenor's residence next Friday evening from 5 to 10 p. m., for the benefit of the Episcopal chapel of that place.

The Trenton True American says that Simon Samler has purchased from James Brand, of Plainfield, the row of five houses on North Jackson street, for a consideration of $6,700.

Mrs. A. M. Runyon, of Madison avenue, is in the Catskill mountains at Pine Hill, Ulster county, New York, where she will remain for two or three weeks longer. Her health has been much improved by the change.

The Misses Maggie and Mamie Tiseh, with their friends, Miss V. Morpeth, Miss M. Deaney, Mr. H. Berry and Mr. C. Jackson, Jr., have been visiting the former's aunt, Mrs. N. W. Conway, of East Third street.

The funeral of the late C. L. Talliant, who died on Thursday last, took place from the house, Manning avenue North Plainfield, at nine o'clock this morning. Interment was made in the Presbyterian cemetery.

Mrs. Edward F. Cambell of Washington D. C., is on a short visit to her parents on West Second street. Mrs. Campbell formerly resided in this city, but went to Washington a few months ago to join her husband, who has accepted a position in the Government printing office.

Harriet Elizabeth, only child of Frederick L. and Anna M. Stillman, died yesterday of cholera infantum. The child's age was eight months and thirteen days. Funeral services will take place to-morrow afternoon at three o'clock at the residence of Mr. J. S. Garretson, No. 15 Cleveland avenue.

The garden in front of the residence of Mr. Wm. B. Avery, of Westervelt avenue, is much admired on account of the numerous large geraniums he has therein. They are all in full bloom and improve the appearance of the whole premises. A short time ago he had his house painted, and the neighbors are now following his example, in this respect.

Mrs. Elizabeth Coles, of Grandview avenue, will be 84 years of age this coming September. She was born in 1804. Her parents were from Virginia and she would be of some use; she says. When she was 10 years old she could do all the housework, except washing, and that when she was 14 years she could do as much work as her mother. She made a pair of socks for her father, who was an extremely large man, when she was 10 years old.

From the Asbury Park Press: Mrs. Carrie M. Powell, of Plainfield, is now stopping in the Grove. Mrs. Powell is the superintendent of "social purity" for the temperance union.—Joseph W. Yates, of Plainfield, N. J., who has a large interest in a line of steamers running to Africa, is sojourning with his family at the Coleman House.—C. E. Parks and wife, were at the Trenton House. F. D. Reyniger was at the West End Hotel and J. E. Field at the Commercial Hotel on Saturday.

John Ruckton is a hale and hearty man of 71 years of age. He has lived in Plainfield and vicinity, most of his life, and distinctly remembers when Plainfield consisted of a few scattered houses and a tavern. Mr. Ruckton is an old friend of Daniel Cory, who owns considerable property in Plainfield, and who said it would lose and remorse for the police to stop peddlers and secure the applications for license and bring the money into the treasury with the officers and that Council last night never been known to refuse such applications. The so called Prohibitionists failed to appear to substantiate Smith's affidavit and his case against Mr. Dodd was dismissed, very perceptibly. His affidavit charged that he swore of positive knowledge that Mr. Dodd had attempted to defraud the city of Plainfield in connection with Corporation Counsel Marsh, he admitted that his affidavit was based on hearsay evidence. His examination that the City Clerk had probably doctored his books for the occasion, were based on guesswork, and the tables are hung against Mr. Dodd, in which he had no part exhibited seven p. m. by Prosecutor Ayres. The patient is said to be comfortable condition and doing as well as could be expected.

—Peter Cuff was arrested last night on a charge of assault and battery preferred by Carrie Severs. Both are colored. The warrant was issued by Recorder Company. No. 1 on Monday, July 25, when the constitution and by-laws will be presented and adopted.

LATEST DISPATCHES.

THE NEWS controls the services of the American Press Association and the United Press, and is the only paper published in this section that possesses a Telegraphic News Franchise.

Thermometer Record.

The following is the record of the thermometer for the last eight days and one corresponding date of last year; as kept at Sadler's drug store, corner of Park street and Park avenue.

1887	1886		
6 a. m.....	67	61	Sun rises..... 4 39
9 a. m.....	77	69	Sun sets..... 7 32
2 p. m.....	83	73	Moon rises..... 11 44
9 p. m.....	71	68	Moon sets.....

Weather Indications.

For Wednesday, in New Jersey, eastern New York and western Pennsylvania, rain in New England, slightly warmer, fair weather, with southerly winds.

Shot Herself.

RAHWAY, N. J., July 12.—Miss Louisa Jordan, of Woodbridge, aged 20 years, shot herself to-day. She was despondent on account of a protracted illness.

Vanderbilt's Yacht Arrives.

QUEENSTOWN, Ireland, July 12—The steam yacht Alva which left New York on July 2, with W. K. Vanderbilt, family and friends on board arrived here this morning. After obtaining a fresh supply of coal they started for Liverpool. The run five days fine weather; last few days rough weather.

New County Superintendent.

NEW BRUNSWICK, July 12—The State Board of Education to-day appointed H. Brewster Willard of this city to the county superintendent of Public schools in Middlesex. The appointment is subject to the approval of the Board of Freeholders. The salary is $800 per annum.

Sharp Very Weak.

NEW YORK, July 12.—Jacob Sharp, up to a late hour this morning, had not left his bed. Last night after retiring he slept for a few hours, but about one o'clock he began moaning, and from that time until nearly daylight scarcely slept at all. He has partaken of no food this morning save a spoonful of milk, and is very weak.

Disastrous Flood.

PORTLAND, Oregon, July 12.—A disastrous flood occurred Saturday at Tompson's Falls, Idaho, caused by the breaking of the big dam on Blossom Lake. Many wagons and teams are reported swept away, bridges destroyed, etc., and it is feared that a number of lives were lost. It is reported that the mining towns of Mountain City and York were nearly destroyed. Not until the telegraph communication is cut off. It is feared that a number of freight teams on the road have been lost. The disaster is very serious to mining property.

Lightning's Freak.

OPELIKA, Ala., July 12.—A heavy cloud passed over this place in a northeasterly direction last evening. It was followed by a brilliant electrical display. News comes that the family of John Bankhead, consisting of his wife and three children, who were standing on the veranda of their home a few miles from the city watching the cloud, were struck by lightning and fell unconscious to the floor. When Bankhead reached home he found that two of the children were already dead, while the other child and his wife were so paralyzed that they can hardly recover.

A Soldier Killed.

DETROIT, Mich., July 12.—At eleven o'clock last night, Arthur Stone alias Arthur Saunders, died from the effects of a gun shot wound in his back inflicted by sergeant Davis of the 23rd United States Infantry at Fort Wayne. Saunders was the son of wealthy parents at Joliet, Ill. He enlisted in the 23rd United States Infantry. Recently he accused a sergeant of stealing a cane, thereupon he was tried for "conduct disgustory to military discipline", and was sentenced to two years imprisonment. To-day he made a break for liberty and was shot. The private soldiers are much excited over the affair, claiming that the sergeant, complaint against whom

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TRADE BULLETIN.

New York Money and Produce Market Quotations.

NEW YORK, July 11.—Money closed at 1 per cent., the lowest rate for the day. The highest rate was 5 per cent. Exchange closed steady; posted rates, 484@484½ actual rates, 483@483½ for sixty days and 4.87½@4.88 for demand. Governments closed steady; current coupon, 109 bid; 4s, coup., 127¾ bid; 4½s, do., 109¾ bid.

The market was weak after midday, and prices gradually ranged in most cases to the close. A feature of the afternoon's dealings was the wide fluctuations in the prices of Wheeling and Lake Erie. The stock declined 9¾ per cent. to 18¾ and recovered to 25¾. These fluctuations were attributed to manipulation. The liabilities of the afternoon was entirely in the stock dealt in early of the morning. The closing figures showed irregular changes from those of Saturday, but for the most part they were only fractional closing bids.

General Markets.

NEW YORK, July 11.—FLOUR—Closed steadier; winter wheat extra, $4.15@5.00; Minnesota do., $3.15@4.75; city mill extra, $4.40@4.85 for West Indies; Ohio extra, $5.15@5. Southern flour closed steady, but quiet; common to choice extra, $3.80@5.

WHEAT—Options were very irregular. Prices fluctuated frequently, but on the most part the changes were slight. The dealings were on a moderate scale and the market closed weak for July at 85c. decline. No. 2 red, July, 85½@86c, cash at 86c; ungraded, 84¾@86c; No. 2 mixed, July, 85@85c; No. 2 red, July, 84c; do., Aug., 86c.

OATS—Options were dull, but firm, and closed without material change. No. 2 mixed, July, 34@34c higher. Spot sales of No. 1 white state, 38@39c; No. 2 do., 37¾@38c; No. 3 mixed, July, 37@37½c; No. 2 do., 37¾@38c.

RYE—Dull; western, 54@56c; state, 57@58c.

BARLEY—Nominal.

PORK—Dull and new mess, $14.75@15.50.

LARD—Closed dull and weak; cash, $6.80 Aug., $6.92; Sept., $6.98.

BUTTER—Dull; western creamery 13@16c; state, 14@20.

CHEESE—Dull and weak; state, 8½@9c; light skims, 3@7½c.

EGGS—Steady; state, 8½@9c; western, 9@9½c.

SUGAR—Raw, quiet; 4 7-16c for 89 test. Refined steady, but quiet; cut loaf and crushed, 6¾@6¾c; granulated, 5.15c; mold A, 5 7-16c; confectioners' A, 5 3-16c; cubes, standard, 5¾@5 7-16c; cubes off A, 5¾c; white extra C, 5c; extra C, 4¾@4¾c; C, 4½@4¾c; yellow, 4¼@4½c.

Trying Prohibition in Mississippi.

JACKSON, July 12.—In the circuit court the first indictment and conviction for violation of the prohibition was effected yesterday. J. C. Brown, formerly a saloon keeper, pleaded guilty to three indictments. The fine and imprisonment for all three under the law amount to $600 and ten months' imprisonment.

Killed and Buried Instantly.

ANSONIA, Conn., July 12.—James Cahill, aged 47, is well to the former's farm in the Woodbridge, was digging a hole to bury a stone weighing a ton yesterday afternoon, when the stone rolled down upon him, killing and burying him instantly. He was crushed terribly.

Riotous Strikers Held.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., July 12.—Police Justice Keeler held fifteen of the men who attacked the laborers on Gorham and Goodman streets to await the action of the grand jury. Among them were Joseph Gleason, president of the Lumber and Saw Mill Workers' Union, and master and secretary of the Laborers' Assembly, Knights of Labor. Bail was fixed at $1,000 in each case.

His Arm Torn Out.

ELMIRA, N. Y., July 12.—Thomas Collins, a lad of 15 years, had his right arm torn from the shoulder of the Richardson mill factory in this city yesterday. He attempted to put on a belt and was caught in the revolving shafting. He is still alive.

Vetoed by the Mayor.

SYRACUSE, N. Y., July 12.—The mayor last night vetoed the resolution of the board of aldermen granting a franchise to the Salmon River and Onondaga Water company. The veto was sustained by one vote.

Canadians Must Stop at Home.

PORT HURON, Mich., July 12.—The United States customs house at Sarnia-bound boys stopped thirty Canadians from working on the Grand Trunk railroad. A number of these are employed in prominent positions.

To Continue the Strike.

PITTSBURG, July 12.—At the conventions held in the coke region yesterday by the Miners' and Laborers' Amalgamated association and Knights of Labor resolutions were passed to continue the strike.

The Council Concurs.

NEW HAVEN, July 12.—The common council, by a vote of 19 to 5, last night concurred in the action of the aldermen in favoring the sale of the city's Derby railroad interest to Mr. Sturdevant.

Secretary Fairchild's Week Off.

WASHINGTON, July 12.—Secretary Fairchild left Washington at 7 o'clock yesterday to spend a week at his home in Cazenovia, N. Y.

Georgia's Chief Justice.

ATLANTA, Ga., July 12.—Logan E. Bleckley has been elected by the legislature as Chief Justice of the supreme court of Georgia.

A French Minister Resigns.

PARIS, July 12.—M. Floquet, minister of foreign affairs, has announced his resignation from the ministry.

CONDENSED NEWS.

Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Merrill, of Oakland, Ills., have been married seventy-five years.

The bodies of the six miners imprisoned in the Best and Belcher mines, at Virginia City, Nev., have been recovered.

W. H. Hutchinson, a Boston express clerk, committed suicide because he had misdirected a money package.

Ah Quong, Ah Hing, Ah Di, the Chinaman who murdered Mrs. Billyon, was taken from jail and hanged by a mob Sunday morning. At about the same hour Rose Griffith committed suicide by lynching at Lexington, Ga., for assaulting a white woman.

At a fire in the Eagle fireworks establishment, New York, several explosions occurred, but no one was hurt.

Black diphtheria is raging in Poughkeepsie, N. Y.

Reports from Michigan show that the eight victims of the Thursday night forest fires came to their lives through their own ignorance.

WRECK OF THE MYSTERY

THE LOSS OF LIFE MUCH GREATER THAN AT FIRST REPORTED.

At Least Twenty-three Lives Lost—Thirteen Dead Bodies Recovered, and Ten More Known to Have Perished—A Yacht Race to Death.

NEW YORK, July 12.—The sadness of the circumstances attending the disaster to the yacht Mystery is not lessened by the developments of the twenty-four hours that have elapsed since the first meagre gathering of the details of the story. The hope that the stories told under the influence of the horror and excitement of the recoils it would prove to be exaggerated has been reluctantly abandoned, and the truth remains that the loss of life will reach, or nearly reach, the figures of the first estimate. The number of recovered dead bodies is thirteen and the number of known missing persons aggregate twenty-four, and the probability is that several more may yet prove to be unaccounted for. The complete story of the night and of the terribly tragic sequel can now be told, as the men who were stunned and bewildered by the horror of the event on Sunday evening have some of them recovered the ability to tell what they know. Others, though their frenzy of grief has somewhat subsided, have lapsed into a dumbness and stupor that are equally difficult to penetrate.

The holiday occasion so calamitously closed was a day's outing of the Crescent Yacht club. The association consists of a number of men, mostly carpenters and furniture workers, who have long been acquainted, and who have periodically arranged family parties and excursions for pleasure purposes. They were all friends of John O'Brien, a boat owner of Canarsie, and they made his hotel their shore headquarters. They had been in possession of four of his owned boats. But they hired yachts of O'Brien, and the men, attired in blue clothes and uniform caps marked C. Y. C., took terminal positions as mates and other officers under the professional sailors of the hired boats. Sunday's party was an unusually large and merry one. Besides the two boats named, the Mystery and Christina, there were several smaller ones, and altogether there were six boat loads of the Crescents and their friends in the pleasing expedition to Ruffle bar. The day was passed there quietly and pleasantly with games and amusements, and in eating and drinking, and the hour set for the return had got drunk. All testimony agrees that from Capt. Hendrickson down to the youngest infant on the Mystery there was no suspicion of drunkenness, although all were merry and light hearted.

At the close of the afternoon preparation began for a start, an early one, as the party consisted largely of women and children. The Mystery was selected for the safest and best boat, and her passengers were chosen *uniformly* from the *ranks* of the women and children. The crew of the Christina and the other boats. At 6 o'clock the start was made. The fleet separated at once; the little boats taking a channel that the big ones would not use and that stage of the tide. So the mystery and the Christina stood off toward Barren Island, near which they could come about, and, clearing the tail of the Swash Shoals, stand up the main channel to the Canarsie landing. The Mystery led, and the women and children waved their handkerchiefs to the husbands and fathers, and called out:

"A race, a race; we can beat you in."

A race it was from that moment, though a race had not been intended. The Mystery, under a full sail, would keep her lead, and it was soon apparent that the Christina was overmastering her. Capt. Hendrickson quickly noted this and shook out his reefs. Some of the women were a little timid about this, but the captain laughed as he said: "We must not let the men beat us in. If she goes over we can have a swim." Under full sail the Mystery drew away from the Christina, and had a good lead when she tacked to go up the channel. Before she filled away on the other tack she got a knock down, careening until the water came into the cockpit, and then more slowly until on her beam ends. The women and children screamed with terror, and some of the men rushed into the cabin to get away from the water when it came aboard. But the next minute it was pouring down the companionway, and those with others than sail gone below, before there was thought of danger, were in a death trap.

Those on deck had some little chance for their lives, s the swamped boat sank slowly, a sail must have still been left floating from which could cling to her for fifteen or twenty minutes before sinking below the surface. By this time all in the cabin were dead, and many of those who had managed to clutch the boat or some of its floating rigging had been swept off by the tide and carried under. Capt. Hendrickson went down after he had been once safe on the upturned bottom of the boat. He is believed to have been trying to save some one and to have been entangled in the rigging or drowned in the death clutch of some sinking person.

The Christina all this time was about 200 feet away, and to those who looked on from a greater distance the action of her crew were inexplicable. They seemed to be making no effort to come up with the distressed party, and suddenly took in their sails. Capt. James Williams says that an accident prevented him from doing anything. Somehow his anchor got overboard, and *though he tried to haul* the boat on her course and keep up, he could not do it. The shrouds finally parted, and William Seaman, acting mate and a member of the C. Y. C., cut the ballards to get the strain off the boat and relieve her. The crew on the Christina were unable to stand this inactivity. Some of them were attacked with struggling in the water before their eyes, and they plunged in and swam to their assistance. These men were John Booth and Mr. Schweiser. Whether in consequence of their early efforts or not, they are the only men to

H. RIDER HAGGARD.

The Young Novelist Who Was Given the Saddle Popularity.

The people are always interested in anything pertaining to a man who has suddenly become famous through some unusual achievement. In "days of old, when knights were bold," etc., the fighting man who could strike the hardest blow and bear the most fatigue was always a popular hero, and in time of war between civilized nations our most successful and exceptionally brave soldiers are invariably the subjects of popular adoration. But in the piping times of peace the manner born to those who have won success in more tranquil fields and successful financiers, ball players, clergymen and politicians become subjects of general homage.

H. RIDER HAGGARD.

Story tellers are always much talked about, and a story teller of the present shows more of the popular mind than H. Rider Haggard, the young Englishman, author of "Shis," whose portrait is here given. Mr. Haggard has only just passed his 35th birthday. His information regarding south African scenes and native character was gathered "on the spot." When only 19 Mr. Haggard accompanied Sir Henry Bulwer to Natal, and during the two succeeding years he served on the staff of Sir Theophilus Shepstone, the special commissioner to the Transvaal. He withdrew from the colonial service in 1879, and, returning to London and marrying the only daughter of the late Maj. Margitson, of Ditchingham house, Norfolk, became a practicing barrister of Lincoln's Inn.

Mr. Haggard's first book related to south African politics and attracted little attention. It was published in 1880. Two years later he published "Dawn," and a year after "The Witch's Head," both stories of adventure.

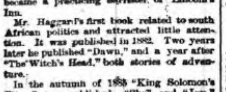
In the autumn of 1885 "King Solomon's Mines" was published. "She" and "Jess," both showing that there was apparently no abatement of Mr. Haggard's invention, originality, ingenuity and imagination in the art of telling a story of vivid and thrilling interest, were published this year.

Mr. Haggard's novels show a wonderful inventive power, coupled with the faculty of graphic writing, and in both these respects he is more than the peer of any other author living

TWO NEW WAR VESSELS.

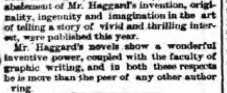
Latest Additions to the Navies of England and the Argentine Republic.

The navy of the Argentine Republic now consists of three first class ironclads, five cruisers, four gunboats, seven torpedo boats, three steam transports, three advice boats,



THE PATAGONIA.

seven steamships and six sailing vessels, stronger than the navy of the United States. The latest addition to this array is the second class schooner Patagonia, built at Trieste, and shown in our illustration. This boat has a particularly heavy armament. Forward she has a twenty-five centimetre gun weighing twenty-eight tons and one of fifteen centimetres, weighing five tons. The main battary is two guns of fifteen centimetres



THE IMMORTALITE.

weighing four tons and two six centimetres. On deck are four Nordenfeldt and six Gardner repeating guns. There are six additional guns, twenty-five, fifteen and nine centimetres, and several of rapid fire. She can navigate 1,660 miles at nine miles per hour, but her speed is fourteen knots per hour.

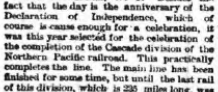
The British have launched still another big gun boat, with all the usual cheers, compliments, hurrahs for Britannia—and religious service by a naval chaplain! The report says "the usual launching service" was observed.

The *new monster* is called the *Immortalite*, and is 300 feet long and 56 broad, draws 19½ feet of water forward, and 22½ feet aft, having a load displacement of 5,000 tons. She carries twenty Whitehead torpedoes and is heavily armed with breech loading, quick firing Nordenfeldt guns. Her speed is 18 knots an hour, her crew number 421 officers and men, and her total cost is set at $1,250,000. Rather an expensive toy, but if these foreigners are making ready for general practice at mutual slaughter, it is well to have the job quickly and thoroughly done.

Northern Pacific Railway.

July 4 was this year a great day with the residents of Tacoma, W. T. Besides the fact that the day is the anniversary of the Declaration of Independence, which of course is cause enough for a celebration, it was this year selected for the celebration of the completion of the Cascade division of the Northern Pacific railroad. This practically completes the line. The main line has been finished for some time, but until the last rail of this division, which is 235 miles long, was spiked down, there was no connection between the road from Tacoma to Portland and the main line.

The building of the Cascade division has been a work of great difficulty, among the obstacles to be overcome being a tunnel 4,850 feet long, 2,800 feet above the sea level.



GENERAL VIEW OF TACOMA, W. T.

The Tacoma people feel especially happy because their town is now really the terminal city of the northwestern Pacific system. Tacoma has a present population of 9,000, with an assessed valuation of $4,668,119. Its water supply is furnished through an aqueduct nineteen miles long, and 2,100 miles of railway pay tribute to the new far western town. Seven hundred and sixty-three thousand five hundred dollars was expended during 1888 in building improvements, and its inhabitants fondly believe the town has entered upon a boom era.

SCIENCE AND PROGRESS.

A WISCONSIN GENIUS INVENTS A TRUNK ON WHEELS.

An Ingenious Plan for the Pumping of Water—A Trustworthy Cement—Other Matters That Will Prove of General Interest to Our Readers.

A recent invention, likely to prove welcome to the ears of overburdened porters and baggage men, is a trunk constructed on one end with an inclined bottom, on which are encircled one, two or more bearings, each carrying a wheel. "The wheels," says The Scientific American, "do not touch the ground when the trunk stands on its bottom. The end opposite the inclined bottom is provided with handles. When it is desirable to move the trunk, the handles are grasped, and thus and lifted until the trunk rests upon the wheels, when it can be rolled in any desired direction. It is apparent that this invention is also applicable to sample cases, tool chests, etc. This novel trunk is the invention of a Wisconsin genius."

A NOVEL TRUNK.

Ingenious Plan of Pumping Water.

A correspondent, writing from the Thousand Isles in The Scientific American, tells of a plan which he devised to get water pumped for use in his house by utilizing a small part of the waste energy of the St. Lawrence river. The apparatus was very simple, and consisted of a framework of wood hung between two uprights driven firmly in the beach just at the point where the incoming waves attained their greatest velocity just before breaking. At the bottom of this was hung a trough made of two boards joined at their edges at right angles, and at the proper height, to receive a full immersion in an ordinary wave; the concave side, of course, toward the open water. This float rose and fell with each wave, and at each motion worked the piston of a pump to a greater or less degree, according to the size of the wave. This contrivance was found satisfactory, as it pumped an ample supply of water for his household, and cost but one-third of what a windmill would, and did not make an unsightly feature of the landscape.

A Trustworthy Cement.

A trustworthy cement, one that will resist the action of water and acids, especially acetic acid, is: Finely powdered litharge, dry white lead and plaster of paris, each three quarts by measure, finely pulverized rosin one part. Mix and make into a paste with boiled linseed oil, to which a little drier has been added, and let stand for four or five hours before using. After fifteen hours' standing, it loses strength. This cement is said to have been successfully employed in the Zoological gardens, London.

Substituting Iron for Steel.

One of the remarkable mechanical changes of the day is the setting aside of steel and the adoption of iron for some of the most important wearing parts of locomotives on many railroads in this country and Canada. How far this change will go is hard to tell. It is not many years since the change was made, on most roads, from iron to steel.

Recipe for Making Antique Brass.

The following recipe for making antique brass is vouched for by a scientist: Dissolve one ounce sal ammoniac, three ounces cream of tartar and six ounces common salt in one pint of hot water; then add two ounces nitrate of copper, dissolved in a half pint of water; mix well and apply it repeatedly to the article by means of a brush.

A New Objection About Ivy.

An English expert has discovered that contrary to the general opinion a growth of ivy over a house renders the interior entirely free from moisture; the ivy extracts every possible particle of moisture from wood, brick or stone for its own sustenance, by means of the tiny roots, which work their way into even the hardest stone.

Importance of the Soja Bean.

The fact has been established that in the Soja bean there exists a ferment of remarkable activity, possessing the power to change the starch is converted by this fermentation into sugar and one-third into dextrine. This discovery will, without doubt, increase greatly the importance of this bean in agriculture.

The Grave of Hambletonian.

On the crest of a hill at Chester, N. Y., close by the roadside, the founder of the greatest family of light harness horses sleeps. The grave is inclosed by a frail picket fence, and a marble slab bears this inscription: "Rysdyk's Hambletonian, foaled May 3, 1849; died March 27, 1876." The little gate which opens from the road is barred by a large stone, and he who would stand upon the sacred soil must climb the fence. A young elm is growing above the mound, and thirty feet away is a wild cherry. The dandelions glow like drops of gold in the tender grass, and an atmosphere of sweetness and quiet fashes the hill. The great horse rode not more than 100 yards from the stable which sheltered him, and among the scenes of his triumphs. He took Mr. Rysdyk a rich man, and surprise is often expressed that he was not more generously remembered in the will. But Mr. Rysdyk was an odd character. He owns land and dabbles with horses, and offered, as Mr. Gavin well remembers, all his stock, including Hambletonian, for sale. Only a few neighbors attended the auction, and as no bids were made the stallion was preserved to him. Some goddess of good fortune seemed to interfere and ward off the evil. As Mr. Rysdyk's income increased he gratified his passion for handsome horses, and farm after farm was added to the modest homestead. Nearly all these lands have passed from the descendants, and now strangers are asked to subscribe to a fund for erecting a monument over the grave of Hambletonian.—Oswego (N. Y.) Times.

Mr. Ruskin Not Crazy.

Mr. Ruskin desires to contradict the "report by idle, purely malicious" rumors which have lately got abroad concerning his health. "Wisemerer," he says, "I write a word that my friends don't like, they say I am crazy; and never consider what a cruel and wicked form of libel they thus provoke against the work of an old age in all its convictions antagonistic to the closings of the time and to all its comfort oppressed by them."—New York Tribune.

EX-ATTORNEY GENERAL SPEED.

A Reminiscence of Him Given by Hon. Freeman Clark.

In the recent death of ex-Attorney General James Speed the country loses one more of the group of distinguished men whom Abraham Lincoln during the heroic days, fraught with the gravest issues to the future of the republic, gathered around him as counselors of universal freedom; and it is a striking proof of the old time liberality of Kentucky that this slaveholding state gave to the emancipatory direction in which the nation moved in 1860 for the abolition of slavery in that state, that he was soon after placed in an honorable position in the state, and that after the bitterness of the civil war had passed away his talents and public services were proudly avowed by Kentuckians as a part of the common glory of the state.

James Speed was born March 19, 1812, near Louisville, in Jefferson county, Ky. Through boyhood he worked on his father's farm, but obtained a good education by attending school during the fall and winter months; and when 17 years old was graduated at St. Joseph's college in Ky. Though his father was a wealthy slaveholder, James Speed early took the side of emancipation in Kentucky; he supported that cause with great zeal and ability, and in 1850 was elected to the state senate on a platform for a test in the constitutional convention of 1849 and defeated by but 200 votes. He afterward enunciated his principles in the state legislature, in addition he studied law, and attended lectures at the Transylvania university at Lexington, Ky., and was admitted to the bar in 1833. In 1835 Thomas F. Marshall, with whom he practiced law for two years in Louisville, after which he was the law partner of Hon. Henry Pirtle for seven years. In 1847 he was elected to the legislature; from 1856 to 1858 he was professor in the law department of the University of Louisville, and in 1861 he was chosen to the state senate.

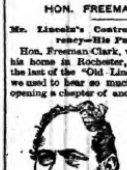
Then came the day of trial. The embarrassing question of state allegiance did not rise in Kentucky, as the state adhered to the Union; but for a few months there was a real attempt on the part of the state authorities to maintain neutrality. Against this position Mr. Speed assumed a determined stand and employed all his energy and ability to place Kentucky in active support of the Union cause. While him in this work went his brother-in-law, Gen. Lovell Rousseau, Judge Harlan and many others, the result being that at the election that year Kentucky's vote was nearly three to one against secession, and the legislature then elected hastened to put the state on a war footing. Mr. Speed was named mustering officer for Kentucky by President Lincoln, and in that capacity enrolled over 70,000 men for the Union ranks. His brother, Joshua Speed, had been the room mate of Abraham Lincoln when the latter began the practice of law in Illinois. In 1864 the president appointed James Speed attorney general of the United States, which position he held until July, 1865, when he resigned on account of his disagreement with President Johnson on the policy of reconstruction. He continued an active Republican till all the issues growing out of the war were settled, but became again professor of law in the Louisville university, and thereafter lived a retired life. For a few years he has been failing fast, and his death, at an early age of 56, was due to general debility. He was one of the truly great men of Kentucky and the nation, an ardent patriot and incorruptible public servant, a capable official and a brave, consistent man.

The portrait here given shows him in the prime of life—as he appeared when holding the office of attorney general.

HON. FREEMAN CLARK.

Mr. Lincoln's Controller of the Currency—His Public Life.

Hon. Freeman Clark, who recently died at his home in Rochester, N. Y., was among the last of the "Old Line Whigs" of whom we used to hear so much, and it seems like opening a chapter of ancient history to recall



FREEMAN CLARK.

the days when he and such men as Alexander Stephens and the Bells, of Tennessee, kept step together in politics. Between these days and Mr. Clark's later public services a great gulf was fixed; for he was made controller of the currency in 1863 by President Lincoln, and was an active member of the Union Pacific railroad commission which was created by the same administration. Mr. Clark was born in Troy, N. Y., March 22, 1809, and began active life as a merchant, and from 1837 to 1845 was president of a bank in Albion. He then moved to Rochester, where he became president successively of three banks, taking an active part in establishing the national bank system. He was also largely identified with the formation of the Western Union Telegraph company, was one of the first directors of the Fourth National bank of New York city, and was trustee and vice president of the Union Trust company, after which he entered public life as above stated.

The cut is from a photograph by Kent, of Rochester, N. Y.

Virtues of the Cactus.

It arouses a person from the western part of our country to see people cultivating as a rare plant a thing that is the pest of the plains. I mean the common cactus, which I have seen in many green houses and gardens in this city. With us it is an intolerable nuisance, and one would as soon think of cultivating a particularly active set of fleas and mosquitoes. But the cactus has one virtue that would be highly appreciated if known in this city, where the water is more in need of a bath than the dirtiest inhabitant. When split open the cactus is far better than any filter for clearing and settling water. A single blade will make twenty gallons of Mississippi water as clear as crystal, and will serve on inclement days as a reminder of its use. As an antiscorbutic it is also most effective, and is freely used on the plains for this purpose. The cactus is, therefore, not without its value, but as an ornamental shrub it appears to me to be a complete failure.—John Bostwick in Globe-Democrat.

The Alaska mission authorities have determined to allow no language to be spoken by the Indian pupils but the English.

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With pantaloons a foot too short—it's pretty hard, I swear—
With Revolutionary hats, and hayseed in our hair.

We have to look a little at your city sights so spry,
Why that there elevated road just takes our breath away;
The Statoo on the Brooklyn Bridge—each one of you
You'd be snicker than old Harry if we didn't stare at them.
It isn't very pleasant when we're here a-takin' waits,
To have them dirty little boys addressin' us as "Hayseed;"
To meet with silly gentlemen that know too much by half,
Who steer us into bunco games, where we only get the laugh.
But if you think we ain't revenged in quite another way,
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And then there's berries you can pick, if you ain't afraid of snakes.
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The blossoming Arcadia, where our summer days are spent.

—Edward E. Kidder in New York World.

Lincoln Stories.

A public man, with the reputation of telling good humorous stories, is made to father all sorts of yarns, good, bad and indifferent. That was President Lincoln's lot. He was father to so many poor stories, that many people doubted if he was really the author of the good ones attributed to him. Among these doubters was Gen. Logan, and his skepticism continued until he came into personal contact with the genial humorist.

Gen. Grant sent Logan from the western department to Washington, with dispatches to be delivered to the president in person. Logan reached the capital late on Saturday night, and early on Sunday morning called at the White House.

The servant said that it was against the rules for any one to see the president on Sunday.

"Go up stairs and tell Mr. Lincoln that Logan is here with dispatches from Gen. Grant," was the answer which sent the servant off. He soon came back to Logan. Logan up to the president's private office.

Mr. Lincoln was sitting in a chair, with one foot on a table, and his head thrown back, while a barber was shaving him.

"Sit down, and I'll talk to you in a few minutes," said the president.

The barber, having finished shaving, began rubbing the president's head, and Gen. Logan was looking at the president's feet, which were badly swollen. Mr. Lincoln, seeing the look said, "Yes, they are pretty bad. They remind me of a man in Sangamon county, who made a bad horse trade. The animal was in an awful condition, but the farmer managed to get him home.

"One of his neighbors met him two weeks after, and asked how the new horse was getting on.

"'Oh, first rate,' said the farmer, 'he's putting on flesh fast. He's fat now up to his knees.' That's my fix."

"Since then," said Gen. Logan, in telling the anecdote, "I have accepted as authentic all Lincoln's stories."—Youth's Companion.

A Departure.

In closing an article on the passing away of a beloved and time honored citizen, The Yokesterg Whirlwind says: "We do not think that we exaggerate when we say that the funeral was very sad." It seems that lively funerals have been the rule in that community.—Arkansaw Traveler.

A Plausible Theory.

Wife—I think, dey dear, that we had better name the baby "Bill."

Husband—"Bill!" What do you want him named that for?

Wife—So that he will be called "William" when he grows up.—New York Sun.

Perhaps That Explained It.

Well Dressed Colored Gentleman—"I ought to go down to de races, Sam; I'm in de dals, and look at me!

Sam—Dat's de curiosest ting yet! Wy, sah! I'm in dals, too.—Judge.

Afghanistanology.

From Candahar
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—Cincinnati Times-Star.

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JOTTINGS.

—Shooting for sweepstakes at the Middlesex County Gun Club grounds at Dunellen to-day.

—A stage loaded with young folks from this city and the borough left for Boynton Beach to-day.

—At the meeting of the Fire Board last evening claims amounting to $434.60 were ordered paid.

—The excursion of the M. E. Sunday school to Asbury Park and Ocean Grove takes place on Friday.

—The cross-walks along Somerset street are being raised and fixed solid by Street Commissioner Conover.

—Two men were overcome by the heat near the station this morning. They were taken to their homes in carriages.

—An adjourned meeting of the W. C. T. U. will be held in Reform Hall to-morrow, Thursday, at three p. m. A full attendance is requested.

—T. J. Gilles, auctioneer, was to-day engaged selling at auction the contents of Green's Furniture Warerooms on Park avenue.

—Chief Dodd this morning served a summons on Mayor Cooley and Marshal Becker in an action for tort brought by Robert Simpson. The case is set down for the 19th inst.

—By glancing at our advertising columns you will see that Kenney Bros., the fruiters of North avenue, are offering all the delicacies of the season at popular prices.

—Chas. Carr, the "Ketcher" of the Cuban Jouins, a base ball club of some renown, informs us that his club, is going to play "Lar" McCann's nine next Saturday.

—A young man whose name is not unknown to the police courts created a disturbance on West Third street last night by attempting to assault a woman. Complaints will probably be made.

—Field & Randolph the enterprising new drug firm are making a specialty of ice cream soda, and those who have tried it pronounce it to be an excellent drink for this warm weather.

—This morning Chief Dodd received a telegram from Dr. F. B. Norton of Metuchen, requesting him to look out for a tan horse fifteen hands high which had been stolen from his stable at that place last night.

—About six o'clock last evening two young men engaged in a street fight on Somerset street. No arrests were made and the pugilists were separated before injuring each other to any great extent.

—When a person becomes what is termed "blue," despondent and irritable, let him forego for a time the use of meat, and live on a vegetable diet. An excessive meat diet will sometimes bring on hypochondriasis.

—A heavy cigar wagon belonging to Campbell & Co., collided with a light carriage being driven by a lady on East Front street this morning and demolished one of the wheels. The horse was caught before doing any further damage.

—One week from to-day the excursion given by the members of St. Mary's T. A. B. Society will leave this city for a sail up the Hudson River to Riverview Grove. Dancing and other attractions will be offered, and a good time may be expected.

—A brown horse, carriage and silver-plated harness was stolen from the stable of J. B. Brown at Rahway Saturday night. The animal was fifteen hands three inches high, and twelve years old. Chief Dodd received notice to look out for the property.

—The people of Netherwood have unanimously agreed to favor the creation of a diocesan mission, and a committee will meet the rector and officers of Grace church some time this week and present their views. This church has advocated the formation of a mission.

—The Consolidated Railway Company are distributing telegraph poles along the line of the New Jersey division of the Lehigh Valley road for the induction wire that will be used to send messages from moving trains. Experiments have been made with the wire near the rail, but the burning of ties that occupy occasionally, melted off the wires, and so poles must be used.

—The State Board of Education in session at Trenton yesterday elected the following County Superintendent: Burlington, Edgar Haas; Camden, Rev. F. R. Brace; Cape May, V. C. Miller; Cumberland, Dr. Joseph Moore; Gloucester, Dr. Hiffman; Mercer, Dr. Lloyd Wilbur; Middlesex, H. B. Willis; Monmouth, Dr. Samuel Lockwood; Morris, Mr. Mott; Ocean N. Ronan; Somerset, W. T. F. Ayers; Sussex, Luther Hill; Salem, election postponed. A resolution prevailed that the State Superintendent investigate the subject of industrial education with its applicability to New Jersey's school system.

—At the meeting of the Fire Board last night Mr. Knowland suggested that the Board recommend City Counsel to offer a reward for the apprehension of the miscreant who is the cause of so many incendiary fires around Plainfield. Mr. McClure objected to this proceeding and intimated that steps were being taken to ferret out the guilty party or parties and that Mr. Knowland would soon be placed in full possession of all the facts and plans. As TEE NEWS has been on the matter needs prompt attention, but it is to be hoped that the Board will not be influenced to the belief that the Counsel should mean business. It is due the citizens of Plainfield that this matter be pushed as rapidly as due caution will permit, and all those having authority so to do. THE NEWS will favor any plan that will accomplish the purpose, give credit wherever due and use every means to assist the authorities.

THE FIRE BOARD.

Regular Monthly Meeting of the Commissioners Last Night.

The Board of Managers of the Plainfield Fire Department held their regular July meeting in the City Court room last evening at half-past eight o'clock. When President Jones called the meeting to order, there were present Commissioners Knowland, McClure and Rogers. Commissioners Brower and Livingston were absent.

The minutes of the meeting of May 10th were read. Mr. McClure made a correction, and they were approved as corrected.

Commissioner Knowland offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That the President and Treasurer be empowered to borrow $1,300, in anticipation of taxes, to meet a note coming due August 15. Adopted.

Charles Seibel, from Engine Company, No. 3, stated that the steam heater in the company's house was in a bad condition and that when in use the house was continually filled with gas. He said the company had not used it for two months. The president was empowered to have the same put in order.

NEW MEMBERS.

The following candidates were elected members of the department:

From Albert Hose Company, No. 1.—Mr. F. L. Ermonts.

From Engine Company, No. 2.—Everitt Marsh.

AUDITING CLAIMS.

The following claims were presented, audited and ordered paid:

D. S. Roberts	$7 28
J. B. Dalton	9 00
D. J. Smith	6 25
Levi Bird	6 25
Peter Lowsley	12 75
W. N. Rowe	2 50
J. A. Hubbard	125 00
W. V. Mandy	10 50
Y. W. Nash	12 98
J. V. Whitlock	99 50
P. Robinson	2 00
W. L. Force	25 50
Emil Scharbacker, John Albert and John Jackson	6 00
Allan Utzinger	7 50
C. Seibel	1 40
Chas. Seibel	12 50
J. A. Kryney	6 00
C. Seibel	11 00
E. M. Mosher	6 00
Willie Kiely	1 40
H. Geisler	27 75
Jos. Cuery	2 00
P. Kelleghar	9 00
H. Geisler	2 00
John Kiely	2 00
T. O. Doane	20 67

Commissioner Knowland thought the Board of Managers of the Fire Department should unanimously pass a motion the Council to offer a good reward for the apprehension of incendiaries. He said there seemed to be a regular system of burning barns, and surrounding the whole city of late. He thought it was about time that the Fire Board should take some action if the Council did not.

Commissioner McClure thought the Board should not bring the matter to the notice of the council and should not ask them to offer a reward.

The matter was then dropped.

Commissioner McClure reported that Mr. Mandy's lateral hose had been appointed as a committee of two at a previous meeting to have No. 1 steamer put in proper repair. He said that he had conferred with the Chief Engineer about sending the steamer away and was told that it would be impossible to get the steamer away before July 4th, so he had not done so and would send it as soon as possible.

On motion it was decided to sit as a Board of Appeals, in the city court room between the hours of two and six p. m. on Wednesday, July 20th.

The Chief Engineer suggested that the purchase price for Warren Engine Co. No. 3, a new hose cart.

On motion of Mr. Knowland Mr. McClure and himself were appointed a committee to purchase a jumper for Warren Engine Co.

The meeting then adjourned.

Respect to a Dead Priest.

More than seven thousand Catholics at New Brunswick yesterday afternoon witnessed the transfer of Rev. Father John Roger's body from the Division street residence to St. Peter's church between 4 and 5 o'clock p. m. More than half that number also viewed the remains as they lay in state near the grand altar of the church. A guard of honor, composed of the officers of the leading church societies, watched beside the bier all of last night, and were relieved by the officers to-day when the funeral services were held. The body is encased in an oak casket with solid silver handles. The casket is after the pattern of those used when Cardinal McCloskey and Bishop Gibbons were buried. At nine a. m. this morning the pontifical service was begun by Bishop O'Farrell, who conducted the requiem mass. Professor Dr. Lambing, of Seton Hall, conducted the choir music and the oration was delivered by Rev. Father O'Grady at 10 a. m. The interment took place in the new St. Peter's cemetery, French street. The funeral was the largest ever seen in these parts. Father Smyth of St. Mary's church, Plainfield was in attendance. Hundreds were unable to gain admittance to the church. About fifty priests were present.

Suicides at Woodbridge.

The little town of Woodbridge seems to be filled with tribulations of late and many of its inhabitants appear to be infatuated with a desire to hurry themselves out of this world. Within two weeks there have been five suicides or attempted suicides there, and the coroner says he believes them to be all true suicides, not murders, and in none does he think accidental or mysterious deaths in one month to investigate.

Another victim was called yesterday to take the auto-mortem statement of his sister-in-law, Miss Louise Tucker. Miss Tucker, who lives in Cumberland, Dr. Joseph Moore; Gloucester, Dr. Hiffman; Mercer, Dr. Lloyd Wilbur; Middlesex, H. B. Willis; Monmouth, Dr. Samuel Lockwood; Morris, Mr. Mott; Ocean N. Ronan; Somerset, W. T. F. Ayers; Sussex, Luther Hill; Salem, election postponed. A resolution prevailed that the State Superintendent investigate the subject of industrial education with its applicability to New Jersey's school system.

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BY THE SEA.

Plainfielder Celebrates his Fiftieth Birthday with Four Generations of Kindred. Incidents at the Place.

DEAR NEWS:—Yesterday, I wandered from the loved and peaceful shades of Plainfield, "the Queen city of New Jersey" to the roaring waves of "the twin cities by the sea," and the journey occupied just two hours by train.

Amid such a Babylon of people, I looked not in vain for familiar Plainfield faces and sought the favorite beach for many of them, the Surf Avenue House, kept by Mrs. Price, a model hostess, well-known and much esteemed by our people.

There had not many arrived yet, but the quality rather than the quantity is the thing most desired when one goes to the ocean to be saved or pickled that we may not become too fresh.

There was the Lowitz family of West Sixth street, brimful of spirits—nothing of the ardent however, for they are as proud as any Plainfielder of our glorious town, its people and its reputation of being foremost in everything worthy, and what is there worthy about that which causes more misery than "war, pestilence and famine," destroys homes and wrecks families, who might otherwise be happy in the enjoyment of the blessings God has bestowed upon us in such abundance to enjoy.

Before going further we must shake hands all round and get our bearings, for the elder Mr. Lowitz is a fund of information hereabouts, for he has made this a summer stopping place for many years, and knows all about it. While we are having a general shake—not of the agua sort—an expressman arrives with a package, and as it is opened there appears a card with these significant words:

"Many Happy Returns of the Day. E. Wilson, 39 Madison avenue, Plainfield, N. J.," and a magnificent solid silver "traveling bag," which, the company gathered around the recipient Mr. Lowitz, and joyously congratulated him, for the gift was a token of esteem on his fiftieth birthday anniversary. Then came numerous other valuable presents, and then it was explained that the generations were assembled to celebrate it.

There was Mrs E. B. Gray, of Plainfield, her daughter, Mrs. Lowitz, her granddaughter, Mrs. L. H. Moore, and her great-granddaughter, little Belle Gray Moore, four years old.

Plainfield is the home of many bashing officials, and Mr. Lowitz, City Surveyor, and in our spiritual and temporal affairs, they are conspicuous. Mrs. Gray is a near relative of one of three projectors of the famous concern, who is at present also one of its largest stockholders.

Mr. Lewis is one formerly for about ten years organist for Grace church, Plainfield, and now holds a similar position in one of the leading churches in Brooklyn, and presides over a choir there, regarded as about the best in that famous city of churches.

Mr. Lewis is one of the concern controlling the wood-fibre industry of their country, and was the first man to practically introduce into Germany petrolium, now called in its infancy, coal oil or kerosene. This was in 1860, and he did it in the face of most bitter opposition, as the Germans had been led to believe it to be of the most dangerous explosive character. Manufacturers of gas and of illuminating oils, as well as the insurance companies strongly opposed the introduction of petroleum, and at various expositions and eventually overcame the prejudice against it.

The Lowitz House is that most estimable ex-President of the W. C. T. U. Mrs. J. W. Yates, and family, including her daughter Miss Clemmie likewise, are also in the work of that organization. Apropos a good story is told here of a preacher from way back in the days of big meetings, and he prayed, "Lord, bless the Y. M. C. Asses, and the W. C. T. U. Cusses," in fact good asses are the ru le rather than the exception here This one is told of a jolly colored man in Plainfield, named Cowan, who, after meeting another colored man one morning was heard to say:

"How did yer like the preacher we had last evening?"

Ans.—"Pretty pert."

Cowan—"Yes he's the most livelest preacher I've heard in some time."

Other man—"Dis yer remember the textif the preacher to-day?" Cowan: something 'bout Daniell."

Other man—"I can tell yis. It were "Come and see, man." (The text was "Come and see.")

Here is another one—A colporteur one day attended a Methodist church and was very much amused, not only at the text, but at the sermon. The preacher said, "You will find my text in Genesis and the Revelations. The words have been suggested by seeing some little boys playing that devilish game of marbles." For you all know that the Bible says, 'Marvel not, I say unto you!'"

Well, we are off for a splash and in my next I may tell what the wild waves are saying.

PLAINFIELD WANDERER.

July 12, 1887. Surf Avenue House.

SCOTCH PLAINS.

Mrs. Swaney and daughter Ollie are spending a few days with Mrs. T. Cleaver.

The ladies circle of Baptist church held an ice cream and strawberry festival, in Excelsior hall this evening.

Mr. Julian Hawthorne and family, are summering at Sag Harbor, Long Island, and Mr. Swan is also there stopping there.

Rev. Mr. Parker, of Morristown, occupied the pulpit of the Baptist church here last Sunday, making exchange with Pastor Parks.

Mr. Warren Ackerman, has a furnished house to rent on Front street, Plainfield, formerly Fotwell's, where about 40 persons are enjoying the delightful breeze, and refreshing shade. For particulars call on Mr. Ackerman.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. H. Cleaver, were visiting at this place where their son Thomas lives. They also have spent several days in Plainfield with Mr. Cleaver's daughter Mrs. Col. Cleaver is a native of West Virginia, and Mrs. Cleaver is a native of this place. Mr. Cleaver will be 69 the coming of October 1887. If his life is spared till then, Mr. Cleaver will be 70 the same month of Sixty-four years ago they were united in marriage by Rev. Thos. Brown, that pastor of the Baptist church in this place. They are both smart and active.

Railroad Accidents in January.

The report to of the railroad commissioner for the past year show the number of deaths by railroad accidents in the railroad year ending December 31, to have been 760. The United Companies report 8; North Pennsylvania, 1; Pennsylvania, 61; Reading, 27; Lehigh Valley, 27; Morris and Essex, 20; West Jersey and Atlantic, 5; Camden and Atlantic, 4; Delaware, Lackawanna and Western, 3; Delaware and Raritan Canal, 1; Belvidere Delaware, 1; Central of New Jersey, 1; Delaware River Bridge, 1; Pennsylvania and Atlantic, 1; Pennsylvania and New York Canal, 1; Pennsylvania and Reading, 1; Pennsylvania and Western New York, 1; Philadelphia and Reading, 1; Philadelphia and Trenton, 1; Philadelphia, Wilmington and Baltimore, 1; Philadelphia, Wilmington and Baltimore, 1; Philadelphia, Wilmington and Baltimore

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SPORTING MATTERS.

The Record of Baseball Games and Their Events.

Ball games yesterday: At New York—Pittsburg, 15; New York, 6. At Philadelphia—Philadelphia, 11; Indianapolis, 5. At Washington—Chicago, 8; Washington, 6. At Boston—Boston, 15; Detroit, 3. At St. Louis—Brooklyn, 7; St. Louis, 3. At Louisville—Louisville, 6; Metropolitan, 2. At Cincinnati—Cincinnati, 7; Athletic, 4. At Cleveland—Baltimore, 5; Cleveland, 1. At Binghamton—Stars, 7; Binghamton, 6. At Scranton—Scranton, 7; Utica, 6. At Toronto, Ont.—Toronto, 7; Rochester, 5. At Hamilton, Ont.—Hamilton, 3; Buffalo, 1. At Jersey City—Jersey City, 10; Newark, 6. At New Haven—New Haven, 12; Waterbury, 6. At Hartford—Hartford, 11; Danbury, 6.

UTICA, N. Y., July 13.—The race between Campbell and Hamilton, of Philadelphia, and Manager Dishler, of the Uticas, for the franchise of the club in this city, have fallen through, and the club will re-instate Id in Utica as if no talk of the Brandler had ever existed.

WASHINGTON, July 13.—President John B. Day, of the New York League Baseball club, is in the city, and has arranged for the game Bob Barr back with him to pitch on the New York club for the remainder of the season.

CONDENSED NEWS.

A. L. Parent, the defaulting cashier of the Bicksegan bank of Montreal, having returned the stolen funds, is angry at being prosecuted.

The bursting of a soda fountain in Bridgeport, Conn., caused a compound fracture of both legs of a drug clerk.

Two men, who were to settle an old grudge with a farmer, near Lockwood, Ky., were both killed in the attempt.

A criminally careless farmer near Logansport, Ind., shot his wife in the darkness of their bedroom.

The funds of Sangamon, Ills., have disappeared so extensively that an investigation is ordered.

A drunken peddler at St. Henry's, O., killed one man and fatally wounded another while running amuck.

The ex-mayor of Gloucester, N. J., damaged the house of an entire police force when they attempted to arrest him.

The color line is agitating the Grand Army of the Republic in Louisiana and the Episcopal church in South Carolina.

Mr. John Voorhis was attacked by masked highwaymen near Greenwich, Conn.

The Chicago city council has authorized the commissioner of public works to advertise for bids for the construction of a new tunnel under the lake to increase the water supply. The tunnel will extend from the foot of Scott's street four miles due east, and will be eight feet in diameter.

Gen. Chinchilla, formerly captain general of Porto Rico, will shortly be made captain general of Cuba.

Shot by a Schoolmate.

PEEKSKILL, N. Y., July 13.—Arthur A. Phillips, a student in the Peekskill Military academy, and the son of W. Phillips, publisher of Phillips' Elite and Business directories, was shot by the accidental discharge of a rifle in the hands of Louis Lehnbeck, a fellow student, on the grounds of the academy, Monday evening. He died at 5:15 o'clock yesterday afternoon.

Killed on a Trestle.

CHATTANOOGA, Tenn., July 13.—A Sugar Valley, on the East Tennessee, Virginia and Georgia railway, Mrs. Craig and her niece, Miss Allie Hall, of Rossville, Ga., were walking on the track, and reached midway of a long trestle, when the fast express train dashed around a curve, and before the engineer could stop his train the engine struck the two ladies, killing them both.

The Death Watch Set.

MT. HOLLY, N. J., July 13.—Last night the death watch was set upon Barclay Peak, who murdered his cousin, and if no legal delay is secured by his counsel the stolid young criminal will die upon the gallows in just seven weeks, for the murder of Mary Anderson. Ex-Constable J. Henry Heavit was on guard last night, this morning he was relieved by a deputy sheriff.

The Poisoned Bun Makers.

PHILADELPHIA, July 13.—The hearing of the cases of George M. Palmer, the chronic yellow baker; F. C. Schmidt, baker, and George W. Hall, wood dealer, charged with selling to the bakers, was further postponed pending further action by the coroner. It is expected that the coroner will hold another inquest in the Wolf and Helms cases next week.

TRADE BULLETIN.

New York Money and Produce Market

Yesterday.

NEW YORK, July 12.—MONEY closed at 3 per cent. The lowest rate was 3½ and the highest 3½ per cent. Exchange closed steady; posted rates, 4.85½@4.86; actual rates, 4.83½@4.83¾ for sixty days and 4.84½@4.84¾ for demand. Government securities closed steady, 4s, 123 bid; 4s, coupon, 123¾ bid; 4½s, do. 109 bid.

The market was almost stagnant during the afternoon. The volume of business was the smallest by 3 o'clock in most cases. The closing prices, as compared with those of yesterday, were irregular. Manhattan Elevated was the only stock conspicuously strong, and the next best half or its early advance during the afternoon.

General Markets.

NEW YORK, July 12.—FLOUR—Closed dull, but steady; common to choice extra, $3.15@5. Rye flour, $4.30@4.50. Corn meal steady; yellow western, $2.40@2.45. Southern, firm; closed dull; common to choice, $2.30@3.

WHEAT—Receipts were moderately active and weak. Prices close heavy and 1@1¼c. lower than last night. Spot lots closed weak and lost 2@2c. lower; options, close of No. 2 red winter, 85¾@c.; No. 2 do., 86@c.; No. 3 red winter, 84c.; No. 3 do., 85@c.; ungraded red, 84@86c.; No. 2 red winter, Aug. 84¼@85¾c.; do., Sept., 85c.

CORN—Receipts were moderately active, but the tone was weak, and prices closed 1@1½c. lower. Spot lots closed steady and unchanged. Spot prices of No. 2, 54¾@55c., f. o. b. afloat; ungraded mixed, 54@55c.; No. 2 mixed, July, 53¾c. bid; do., Aug., 53@53¼c.

OATS—Options were dull, but steady, and closed unchanged. Spot lots closed steady and unchanged. Spot sales of No. 1 white state, 39@39½c.; No. 2 do., 38c.; No. 2 mixed, July, 38¾c.; do., Aug., 38c.

RYE—Dull; state, 60@63c.; western, 54@56c.

BARLEY—Nominal.

PORK—Dull; old and new mess, $14.50@15.00.

LARD—Closed dull and weak; cash, $6.30; Aug., $6.32; Sept., $6.40.

BUTTER—Weak; state, 13@20½c.; western, 13@20c.

CHEESE—Moderately active and firm; state factory, 8½@9¼c.; colored, 9@9¼c.

EGGS—Firm; state, 13@15½c.; western, 13@14½c.

SOME LIVELY RIOTING.

GROWING OUT OF THE BATTLE OF THE BOYNE CELEBRATION.

Paterson's Police Called Upon to Quell Several Disturbances Arising from Differences of Opinion as to the Merits of William of Orange.

PATERSON, N. J., July 13.—The Orangemen of Paterson, together with large delegations from Jersey City, Hinabeth and Newark, celebrated the anniversary of the battle of the Boyne with a street parade in Paterson. The police authorities anticipated trouble, and Chief Carroll had an extra platoon of men under Sergt. Hewitt at the head of the parade and another at the rear, while a large number of policemen in citizens' clothes were ordered to accompany the paraders and be in readiness for any emergency. When the procession went through the Irish quarter of the city the streets were thronged. Just as the procession turned into Mill street from Grand a rash Orangeman shouted at the top of his voice:

"Hurrah for King William!" This was too much for pence, and an Irishman on the sidewalk rushed for him, with the exclamation:

"To —— with King William!" He threw a brick, which hit the enthusiastic Orangeman in the mouth, knocking him down and stunning him.

A thousand persons crowded about the spot, and stones, bricks and clubs were thrown. The ranks of the paraders were broken, and in the middle of the street there was a general fight. A stout woman pounded an Orangeman in the face till he was covered with blood. Several persons were hit by the flying missiles. Sergt. Hewitt and his men were summoned into Mill street policemen in plain attire, took a hand in the struggle. They closed in about the rioters, and the brick thrower was promptly arrested. After that it did not take long to disperse the crowd, and in a few minutes the Orangemen had re-formed and were again on their way.

In the evening the rioting was resumed at 7 o'clock. The Orangemen formed in procession at Riverside park and marched to the Erie depot at Market street without being molested. The visitors were embarked for their homes, and the local organization formed line and marched down Market to Main street toward their quarters in Continental hotel, on Van Houten street. The streets were thronged with people, who had turned out in expectation of seeing a repetition of the scene that occurred in the morning. In this they were not disappointed. As the line marched down the street the band played "The Battle of the Boyne," which seemed to rouse the ire of many men who were on the sidewalk. They managed to restrain their feelings, however, and the occurrence that did cause the second riot was an insignificant matter. Frederick Smith, a backwoodsman, who was dressed in just as much of the line came abreast of the intersection. He had two female passengers, and finding his way blockaded he pulled up his horses and waited patiently until he thought the whole line had passed. Then he started forward again, but just as he was crossing Grand street the rear rank, dressed in full regalia, who had been straggling behind the column, rushed forward, and, grasping the horse by the head, pushed it around. Smith struck at the fellow who began his horse forward, but the man clung to the bridle and made so much noise that a hundred persons flocked around the carriage in two or three seconds. Others came rushing from neighboring streets, until there were more than 5,000 persons congregated in one compact mass, shoving and jostling each other until they began to fight in earnest.

Then there was a general fight. All the crowd engaged in a general row. The Orangemen, being in the minority, got the worst of it. They were broken up and ran, and some of the instruments carried by the band were wrenched from their owners and used for battering over their heads. A piper was badly hurt in this way, having his cranium split open and his face lacerated and bruised.

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THE FRENCH FETE DAY

MAY FIND THE POPULACE ARRAYED AGAINST THE MILITARY.

President Grevy's Opposition to Boulanger Causes Rioting of Unrest Which May Lead to Revolt—M. Floquet Withdraws His Resignation.

LONDON, July 13.—The popular feeling in Paris against President Grevy, which, during the late ministerial crisis, was exceedingly strong, has increased to a dangerous degree since then. Recollections of the highhanded measures taken by the president in his efforts to secure the installation of a ministry which should not include Gen. Boulanger, are now reported from the tomb of the past and serve as fuel to the fire of determination that he shall not again defy the will of the people with impunity, and should the cabinet fail to hold itself together, as few believe that it will, the president will find his position extremely unpleasant, if not positively dangerous, unless he foresees the discretion his late experience must, or, at least, should have taught him.

As the situation now appears, it would surprise nobody to see the populace arrayed in solid ranks and resolute strife against the military on the occasion of the annual fete to-morrow. In spite of the positive orders of prohibition issued by the government against any demonstration of sympathy with Gen. Boulanger, of whatsoever character, popular manifestations of regard for that officer multiply daily, and the people, who, as a rule, are well informed and undignified policy of petty persecution pursued toward the late war minister to thank for the predicament it now finds itself in. If the government had been content to treat Gen. Boulanger as his distinguished services to the country on the field of battle and as the executive head of the army entitled him to be treated, at the hands of men occupying positions commonly presumed to be held by statesmen, the French ministry would not now be engaged in covering itself with ridicule by making war upon barrel organs, street bands and stationery shops, and in other ways recalling the fable of the mountain in labor.

In deference to the entreaties of his colleagues and the determined stand of the chamber of deputies against his retirement, M. Floquet has withdrawn his resignation. This places the cabinet in the position of being divided against itself. M. Clemenceau, for some unaccountable reason, abandoned Floquet on Monday, Tuesday's action, but even he, strong as he is, cannot at this late day stem the current of Boulanger's popularity, whatever may be his object in deserting his friend at a time when he should have needed no urging to defend him against the aspersions of his jealous critics.

The belief is hourly becoming stronger that there will be trouble before to-morrow, and every possible precaution is being taken against it. M. Paul de Cassagnac advises every one who can do so to leave the city on that day and counsels those who cannot to keep within doors as much as possible.

BERLIN, July 13.—The North German Gazette, in an article condemning the French feeling of hatred toward everything German, advises German residents of Paris to close their houses and places of business to-morrow and not show themselves in public.

FORGERY AS A FINE ART.

Harvey Had Made a Careful Study of Others' Signatures.

WASHINGTON, July 13.—The government detectives are still searching through Harvey's effects for evidence of his forgeries. His desk at the department was forced open. In the course of their investigations they detectives found ample evidence that Harvey went at the business of forgery in a thorough, practical way, and made a study of it as he might of an art or a science. He had evidently devoted much time to the study. Books have been found in which were written by him a great variety of signatures in different inks and with all sorts of pens. Accompanying each signature was a note giving an analysis of how it was done. Under one, for instance, he would write, "Written with left hand," with a certain sort of pen and quality of ink. He also kept a record of what he had done, for what use certain signatures were, etc., so as to guide him in his work. The evidence indicates that he is a skilled and accomplished forger.

Flames Beyond Control.

ADDISON, N. Y., July 13.—A fire started Monday night at Lansing, Pa., a few miles south of here, and is still raging, spreading to the forests and causing much excitement and great loss. The fire department of this village was routed out at midnight and went to Lansing to assist. Addison and North Pennsylvania trestle there, but returned yesterday afternoon exhausted, having been utterly unable to cope with the flames, which, for the past twenty-four hours, has destroyed. The fire started in the extensive lumber piles of Walker & Lathrop, of Corning, spreading to immense piles of tan bark and logs and burning everything.

Dominie Smith Accused.

KINGSTON, N. Y., July 13.—The Rev. J. R. B. Smith, for five years pastor of the colored Methodist church in this city, was sent to Hudson by the last conference, and the Rev. Mr. Cornish succeeded to this church. The Rev. Mr. Smith had had entire control of the finances of the church, and he went away without having made any settlement. It is charged that a certain $300 is unaccounted for. The church organ is also missing, and some of the church people say that Pastor Smith took it away. The matter is now in debt and cannot pay the present pastor's salary.

A Private Political Canvass.

TOLEDO, O., July 13.—The Weekly Blade in May sent inquiries to its subscribers in all parts of the Union, asking them to signify their first and second choice for president on the Republican ticket of 1888. Answers have been received from 21,300 persons, or about one in four of those addressed. The replies show the following votes for first choice: Blaine, 11,010; Sherman, 6,664; Lincoln, 2,257; Allison, 384; Edmunds, 117; Ingersoll, 115; Harrison, 101; Ingalls, 95; Gen. Logan, 94; Foraker, 42; all other votes, 341; total, 21,300.

Died of His Injuries.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., July 13.—Luigi Giacardo, an Italian, who was struck on the head with a hammer in the hands of a fellow workman named Cerulo, on the night of July 1, died in the Pennsylvania hospital yesterday. From the time of the injury Giacardo was unable to speak, moaned or screamed continuously. Cerulo fled and has not since been apprehended.

Confessed on the Scaffold.

CHARLOTTE, N. C., July 13.—Andy Martin (colored) was hanged at Rockingham yesterday for the murder of Hardy Cole (colored) on May 16 last. On the scaffold Martin confessed the crime and warned all others to remember his fate. "Let me be the last man hung in Rockingham" were his last words.

THE PROFESSIONAL GARRISON.

Lee, Mans and Rockwell Start White Horses at Lake Quinsigamond.

WORCESTER, Mass., July 12.—Lee, Mans and Rockwell, the three white horses which opened the third day's professional regatta at Lake Quinsigamond. The course was three miles, with turn-stake. Lee, Mans and Rockwell, with Hosmer and Tom Eyck led from the start, but just before the mile and a half stake was reached Mans passed by both Rockwell and Lee, who kept side by side. Mans led Lee by two feet at the quarter mile stake and finished in 20 min. 27 sec. Rose' time, 20 min. 31 sec. Tom Eyck did not finish.

Hosmer, Rockwell and Hosmer were the starters in the second heat. It was a very fast race for three-quarters of a mile, with Hosmer in the lead. Ham turned first in a mile, 48 sec., with Rockwell second and Lee third. Hosmer after the first turn had been made Rockwell and Hosmer tired and quit rowing, leaving Hosmer to finish alone in 20 min. 27 sec.

McKay, Dempsey and McKay were started in the third heat. McKay led off, but was soon passed by Tosmer, who won without an effort in 20 min. 39 sec. McKay finished 20 seconds later. Conway was out of the race from the start. Lee, Tosmer and Hamm will row the final heat to-morrow. The double scull race between Tosmer and Hamm, Dempsey and McKay and Rose and Lee takes place to-day.

TWO NEW RAILROADS.

The Carbon, Schuylkill and Western and the Clearfield and Allegheny.

HARRISBURG, Pa., July 13.—Two railroads controlled by the same company were chartered yesterday with a capital stock of $33,000,000. They are said to be a part of the Baltimore and Ohio railroad's gigantic scheme to run a line from New York to Pittsburg. The first is the Carbon, Schuylkill and Western Railroad company, whose capital is $20,000,000. The road will be about 325 miles, and the road will traverse Carbon, Schuylkill, Snyder, Union, Mifflin, Center, Huntingdon, Blair, Clearfield, Cambria and Indiana counties. It will start from a point on the southerly line of Carbon county, near the northwest corner of Lehigh township, in Northampton county, and the terminus will be in Center or Cambria or Indiana county. The other corporation is the Clearfield and Allegheny Railroad company. Its line will be 100 miles long, and will run through Clearfield, Cambria, Indiana, Westmoreland and Allegheny counties starting at a point near Gazzam station, on Beech Creek railroad, in Clearfield county, extending to Allegheny City. The capital stock is $3,000,000. The president of both companies is John Summers, of Philadelphia.

Shot While Trying to Escape.

DETROIT, Mich., July 13.—Arthur Stone, alias Arthur Saunders, died from the effects of a gunshot wound in his neck, inflicted by Sergt. Davis, of the Twenty-third United States infantry, at Fort Brady. Saunders was the well educated son of wealthy parents of Joliet, Ills. He enlisted in the Twenty-third United States infantry. Recently he procured a pass to visit Detroit for a day. Upon Saunders was tried for "conduct derogatory to military discipline," and was sentenced to forty days' confinement. Sunday he made a break for liberty and was shot.

Fight with Train Robbers.

ST. LOUIS, July 13.—A special from Fort Worth, TEX., says: There was considerable of a flurry in the city when a rumor became current that a bloody fight had taken place near Little River, about 30 miles south, on the Missouri Pacific, between robbers and guards. Little River is a watering station and is in a very wild region. It is certain, that officials of the road have been on the lookout secretly put guards on both the north and south bound night trains, and the trainmen are also armed. The northbound train reached here without molestation.

They Want to Gather Maxico In.

EL PASO, TEX., July 13.—Citizens are being actively solicited to sign a petition from Cutting's anti-Mexican "committee," and intended to stir up feeling against Mexico. They repeat the charges made by Mr. Bird at St. Louis, of the confinement of his opera company at Paso del Norte, and allege that hundreds of outrages by Mexicans are disregarded by our government. Bird's charges are pronounced by the most reputable citizens of Paso del Norte to be wholly groundless, and the public are cautioned against placing any faith in them.

Overwhelmed by the Flood.

PORTLAND, Ore., July 13.—A disastrous flood has occurred in the valley of the Boise, from the breaking of a big dam on Blossom lake. Many wagons and teams are reported to have been swept away, bridges destroyed, and it is feared the loss of lives has been. It is reported that the mining towns of Mountain City and York were nearly destroyed. Mail and telegraphic communication is cut off. It is feared that a great deal of stock, teams on the road have been lost. The disaster is very serious to mining property.

For the Second Time This Year.

BRAZIL, Ind., July 13.—The business part of Knightsville, a few miles east of here, on the Vandalia line, was destroyed by fire at 8 o'clock yesterday morning for the second time this year. Twenty stores, several halls, the postoffice, and a number of residences were burned. The loss is about $50,000. Insurance small. Origin of the fire is unknown. But for the timely arrival, on a special train, of the Brazil fire department the town would have been wiped out.

A Peculiar Marriage.

DOVER, N. H., July 13.—Ruth Emma Sykes, a member of the Free Will Baptist church, has been in jail some time for larceny and other offenses. A young man named Thomas F. Gay, of New York, came here, and said he wanted to marry Miss Sykes and pay her fine. The magistrate objected, as the girl admitted that she did not know Gay. She was willing to marry him, however, and the ceremony was performed and Mrs. Gay released.

A Presidential Reception.

HOLLAND PATENT, N. Y., July 13.—Promptly at 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon the people of this village began to wend their way to "The Woods" where the president was announced as holding a reception. Dairy Commissioner J. K. Brown presided on the platform which had been erected in the small parlor and said a pleasant word to each. Mrs. Cleveland did not appear. The reception closed at 4 o'clock.

More Bathing Fatalities.

PHILADELPHIA, July 13.—Andrew Walsh, aged 16, and John and Alexander McCarson, brothers, aged 16 and 18, of Camden, N. J., were drowned while bathing in the Delaware river at Petty's Island, yesterday afternoon. Two other boys narrowly escaped themselves. Alexander's body was recovered.

The Government Finances.

WASHINGTON, July 13.—The receipts of the government thus far this month have been $10,600,000, and the expenditures $15,500,000. The redemptions of bonds under the call due July 1 have been $13,000,000.

SCENES OF CHILDHOOD.

PRESIDENT CLEVELAND'S VISIT TO THE HOME OF HIS YOUTH.

His Boyhood Sweetheart Up the Street Located with Reluctance—A Reception to the Visitors—Off on an Early Train for Gotham.

HOLLAND PATENT, N. Y., July 13.—The news on the route when the president's party arrived at Utica yesterday morning, Dr. Depew's luxuriously appointed private car. At the depot they dropped Col. Lamont, who had preceded to spend the day with friends living in Utica. Col. Lamont had agreed to greet the president amongst the officials of the road, as his time of arrival had been kept a secret.

A special engine was attached to the car and drew it over the remainder of the journey to Holland Patent. Mrs. Cleveland had expected the party to come by the regular train, and was not informed of the change in time, wholly explaining her surprise.

All morning the family remained within doors, enjoying a domestic chat, but shortly after 9 o'clock the people of the village began to flock to "the Woods," where the president, it had been announced, would hold a reception. Daisy Commissioner J. K. Brown remained the caller to Mr. Cleveland. The president stood in the small pavilion and said a pleasant word to each. He wielded the entire effort in addition to the strain of shaking hands, because the population of Holland Patent is limited, and he calculated that a large percentage would be too shy to call.

Mrs. Cleveland did not appear, which greatly disappointed many of the visitors.

At 4 o'clock the last caller had shaken the president's hand and left in a single which will not vanish till the White House once more shelters him.

Early last evening the president went to bed and arose early to-day in order to board a sunrise train for Clinton, where the commencial anniversary of that village, after this to be famous for furnishing also besides ages, is being celebrated.

At 8 this afternoon they will be once more in Utica, when Senator Kiernan will have the supreme honor of entertaining them. Before leaving another reception will be inflicted on the president.

Next day the president will start a visit to the clerical brother William N., at Forestport.

Marine Intelligence.

NEW YORK, July 13.—Arrived, steamers Moracs, Barbadoes; Cherbon, Marseilles; City of Augusta, Savannah; Gen. Whitney, Boston; Lahn, Bremen; Ohio, Liverpool and Norfolk; New Orleans, Aspinwall; Amos C Barstow, Providence; Jerome, Cuba; Venetianus, Montego Bay; Stamford, Barados; Lucinia, Demerara; Hudson, New Orleans; Comal, Galveston. Barks Scott, Cienfuegos; Kong Carl, Bahia. Arrived out, steamers Arabic, from New York, at Queenstown; Rugia, from New York, at Hamburg.

No More Bodies Found.

BROOKLYN, July 13.—The excitement over the big sewer explosion at Canarsie has abated considerably. There are still many anxious watchers there who are awaiting the recovery of all that may be left of some dear one. No more bodies have been recovered, and it is not probable that there will be any more brought in as the tide, in all probability, has carried them out to sea.

Not an Accomplice.

BROOKLYN, July 13.—John J. Ryan, the alleged accomplice of Waldron in the murder of Dr. Edward H. Duggan on June 24 last, was discharged from custody. The evidence showed that Ryan was on the opposite side of the street when Waldron fired the fatal shot, and was not in any way connected with the murder.

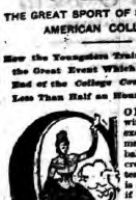
KEEP COOL.

*Parasols, Sun Shades

COLLEGE BOAT RACES.

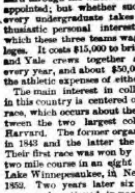
THE GREAT SPORT OF STUDENTS IN AMERICAN COLLEGES.

How the Youngsters Train for Years for the Great Event Which Comes at the End of the College Course and Lasts Less Than Half an Hour.



COLLEGE boys with ambition to excel in athletics may enter the baseball nine, boating crew or the football team. The student is fortunate indeed if his physique, his skill and his sacrifice of much personal comfort finally result in his being a member of any of the three. Many are hopelessly out at the beginning, others work hard through the whole course only to be disappointed; but whether successful or not, every undergraduate takes a keen and enthusiastic personal interest in the battles which these three teams wage with rival colleges. It costs $15,000 to bring the Harvard and Yale crews together at New London every year, and about $50,000 besides to pay the athletic expenses of either college.

The main interest in college boat racing in this country is centered on the university race, which occurs about the 1st of July between the two largest colleges—Yale and Harvard. The former organized a boat club in 1843 and the latter the year following. Their first race was won by Yale over a two mile course in an eight oared barge on Lake Winnepesaukee, in New Hampshire, in 1852. Two years later six oars came into vogue and continued in vogue, with the exception of two years, until 1876, when the



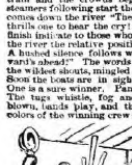
THE START.

number was increased to eight, where it has since remained. From 1852 until the war the races continued at intervals, Harvard winning the greater number. Racing was resumed in 1864, Yale winning then and also the following year. Then Harvard turned the tables for five years. From 1870 until 1876 various other colleges competed, but since then the two great competitors have rowed alone, the honors being in favor of Yale.

When college racing began a boat 37 feet long and 5 feet wide was used; now the shells are 37 feet by 19 inches. The races were rowed in various places, until finally, in 1878, the Thames river at New London was chosen. It is a four mile straightaway course, and, excepting a tide which prevents any accurate comparison of time being taken, it is probably the finest course in the world.

For several days before the great race occurs the freshmen and other crews of various colleges compete. This year only Columbia and the University of Pennsylvania, besides Harvard and Yale, sent crews, the many other colleges having a different intercollegiate association, and preferring to race in places more convenient to themselves. Where so many people assemble to witness a sporting event the acquisitive bookmaker is sure to be. He frequents the most popular hotel, and then lays his odds, after a careful consideration of the merits of the contestants. Besides the amount of money put up in this way, thousands of dollars are laid on their respective crews. No loyal man will bet against his own college, and every loyal man feels bound to back his opinion, which he freely expresses to any one who will listen.

The hour set for the race depends some what on the tide. One of the most interesting races the writer has attended was rowed at dusk. An immense crowd had congregated on the banks of the river, in the observation cars, on the steamers that follow the races, or on board the thousand and one craft anchored at the finish. At last, start all eyes watch the handsome steam launches and the boat houses, which belong to the colleges. Finally the rowers make their appearance, their shells are towed out and they get on board in their places. Then they pull their crimson and blue shirts off over their heads, reveal the hardened muscles, and signalize their readiness to go. At the word they start steadily; the observation train and the crowds begin to move; the steamers following start their engines. Soon comes down the river "They're off." How it thrills one to hear the cry! Two balls at the finish indicate to those who cannot see far up the river the relative positions of the crews. A hushed silence follows wild cheers. "Harvard's ahead!" The words are followed by the wildest shouts, mingled with college cries. Soon the boats are in sight from the finish. One is a sure winner. Pandemonium reigns. The tugs whistle, fog and fish horns are blown, bands play, and they who wear the colors of the winning crew scream and shout.



RED PAINT.

In the intensity of their excitement several boys in a small boat near the yacht I was in fell overboard, but the water could not dampen their ardor. No sooner had they crawled back than they proclaimed their wild screeching.

The race is over, but New London has yet to be painted red; and what a dazzling coat those collegians can put on!

They tramp back to the hotel, howling like Indians. They search for the bookmaker who took their bets. Lo! he has taken advantage of the quietness in the village during the race and gone no one knew where. A disappointed, cursing crowd hurl anathemas after him. No amount of money lost, however, can deprive them of the glory of a victory.

WHEN SHE COMES HOME.

When she comes home. Let me see. A day or two.
I hasten, to myself, the tedious moments count;
Or my mind wanders. I shall tremble—pray,
And touch her, as when first in the old time
I touched her pliant hand, nor dare? speak.
My eyes, much was my faint heart's speech, die down.
Then
Slow sense. And the perfumes of her dress
The room will sway a little, and the haze
Clear to sunlight—sunlight, and she will stand
And tower—yes, the same here in the throat,
To know that I so ill deserve the place
Her arms make for her; and the yielding note
I stay with kisses, ere the tearful face
Again is hidden in the old embrace.
—James Whitcomb Riley in The Century.

BERLIN'S FAMOUS STREET.

"Unter den Linden" Does Not Deserve Its Reputation—Berlin's Big Crowds.

The Baedeker population of Berlin has grown to colossal proportions this summer. The beautiful weather with which north Germany has been favored of late seems to have had an unusual attractive power upon the traveling public. Half the people one meets upon the thoroughfares are loudly engaged reading their red covered books. One look distinguishes them all when upon the boulevard—providing they take time from Baedeker to find individual expression—look of disappointment at the Linden. Unter den Linden is, I fancy, the most famous street in the world, not excepting the prominent ones of Paris or London, but it does not deserve its reputation. The trees are scraggy, short and uneven—here a live, there a dead one, and over them one in the early stage of consumption. "But," says the Berliner, "you should have seen them years ago, before the ers of gas and electricity." Perhaps; but the limited traffic of to-day do little honor to the giants of yesterday; the street is broad, and *this is its only* pleasing *feature*.

On each side, bordering the pavements, are the usual foot roads in the world. Next these, on either side, are two for horseback riders, and between these is the famous allee, flanked by the Linden. This is the thoroughfare almost exclusively of the street urchins. Dirty benches, distasteful in form and color, are filled by the Berlin proletariat, who sun themselves from morning till night. The houses are anything but fine, with few *fair exceptions. The* "Linden" *is not* more than a quarter of a mile long. Carlyle, when visiting Berlin years ago, wrote of the houses bordering the boulevard as "too squatty." The same is true to-day. The entire stretch from the Prillwitz mansion to the emperor's palace contains hardly a building of pretentious architecture. Most of them, even including the Russian embassy and the buildings of the departments of war and the interior, are more than single grass a city of 100,000 inhabitants, but not a metropolitan capital. The famous Restaurant Langlet, Berlin's Delmonico, wouldn't compare with half a dozen in New York. The Academy of Art, near the palace of the kaiser, is a smoked stone building whose one half is used as a soldiers' barracks, and has little to indicate the high purpose which it serves.

As for the imperial residence behind the celebrated bronze statue of Frederick the Great, I do not believe there is on Fifth Avenue a villa which so poorly non-commercial. Just at this time the place in front of the historical window is crowded daily at 1 o'clock, when his majesty, true to his custom, shows himself to his people. It is often impossible to pass at that hour. All the troops return then, saluting their aged commander, and replacing the regimental standards which are always kept in the room near the emperor where he lives to look at them. Nowhere else in all Berlin is a crowd allowed to gather.—Berlin Cor. New York Tribune.

He Had to Wait.

On a Michigan Central train the other day at the "Switch" came into the car with a basket of oranges an old man, whose wife sat beside him, was very anxious to buy half a dozen, but she waved the boy on with:

"He can't afford it. He never eats one without the juice runs down on his shirt bosom."

"Shoo! but I want two or three, Hanner," he protested.

"You behave yourself! You want to get oranges and raise a great row, don't you?"

The boy soon returned with boxed figs, and the old man beckoned to him and began to lick his chops.

"Pass right on!" said the woman to the boy. "He can't eat a fig for thirty years, and I guess he can go thirty more."

The boy passed on and returned with peanuts. The old man was ready for him, but the wife protested:

"He can't eat 'em. It's been ten years since he had a tooth in his head, and he'd have to swallow 'em whole. No, Reuben, you let peanuts alone."

Twenty minutes later the boy was back with candy packages in which there were prizes, and the old man beckoned:

"I'll bev one o' them er—bust!"

"Then you'll bust," she replied as she motioned the boy to pass on. "It's agin the Lord and the law to take chances, and you wouldn't get nothin' nohow."

"But I'm going to buy sunthin', Hanner."

"Well, you wait. You can't have ice cream nor lemonade, and if he comes with popcorn or buttermilk don't you dare to raise a fuss. Just you wait. We'll be in Detroit at 6 o'clock, and then, if there happens to be a grocery handy by, you can buy six herrings for five cents. Herrings is something to stand by you, Reuben, and the beds and tails will keep moths away and are good for warts. We've got too old for gewgaws, Reuben. What we want is the wuth of our money."—Detroit Free Press.

The Art of Engraving.

Seymour Haden has labored zealously to awaken interest in the art, and various artists have been inclined to do something in this direction, but there is not much vitality in the attempt thus far. Mezzotints by Joseph Knight and a few others are occasionally published, but any account of engraving to-day is much like an obituary. In our own country the first engraver of the figure, Asher B. Durand, died last September. Our first landscape engraver, James Smillie, died two years ago. Ritchie and Sartain, who have done considerable work in mezzotint as well as line, have engraved but few plates of recent years, and Mr. Marshall is almost the only one who seeks to carry out in an ambitious way the traditions of an older school. There is no new school springing up, here or in *England, and on the continent the art is languishing.* There are no signs of a revival; indeed present tastes and the use of photography in the printing press indicate the contrary, and it seems probable that in a very short time engraving as an art will be extinct.—Chicago Herald.

Seriousness of Funny Men.

There is something very serious about funny men. Robert J. Burdette has become a Baptist deacon. Bam Smalls left his pants and became an "evangelist." Montgomery Bailey, The Danbury News man, is a Sunday school superintendent. Mark Twain passes the contribution box in Hartford (but they keep an eye on him). Eugene Field, of The Chicago News, refuses to lead at the Thursday evening meeting, lest he is understood to be deeply religious. The funniest men on the American press have cast an anchor to the windward.—Washington Post.

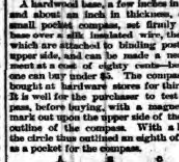
SCIENCE AND PROGRESS.

THE NEW PAVING STONE FROM THE PRAIRIE REGION.

A Simple but Useful Galvanoscope for Amateur and Professional Electricians. Steam and Exhaust Pipes—Tricbines to a Human Body.

A New Jersey correspondent in Scientific American tells how to make a useful and inexpensive galvanometer.

A hardwood base, a few inches in diameter and about an inch in thickness, carries a small pocket compass, set firmly into the base over a silk insulated wire, the ends of which are attached to binding posts on the upper side, and can be made a most instrument at a cost of eighty cents—better than one can buy under $5. The compass may be bought at hardware stores for thirty cents. It is well for the purchaser to test the compass, before buying, with a magnet. Then mark out upon the upper side of the base the outline of the compass. With a knife and the circle thus outlined an eighth of an inch, as a pocket for the compass.



A SIMPLE GALVANOMETER.

Cut the wood so as to form a bobbin, upon which is wound wire, as shown in the upper illustration. The ends of the wire will be laid one end being left for attachment to binding post A, and the wire being wound about the core by passing the other end through the opening, and then attaching it to the binding post C. About twenty feet of good quality, silk covered wire, of size between 26 and 32, is amply sufficient. After the wire has been wound upon the core they may be attached to it, with a little care, at its middle, a short piece that will connect with a third binding post B. This will make a short circuit of one-half the length of the wire when terminal A or C is connected with terminal B. A fine gimlet hole will serve to carry each end to its binding post, where it is best attached to the foot of the post, leaving the holes in the posts for other connections. A circular piece of tin may then be fastened to the base, so as to cover the wire, and the whole base may then be varnished or oiled to suit the fancy. The compass may be firmly united to its receptacle with a bit of Chatterton compound or glue, care being taken to set it perfectly level.

An instrument thus constructed will be sensitive to delicate currents, and forms a useful galvanoscope for amateur and professional electricians.

Positive Copies of Drawings.

Cost suitable paper with a 2 per cent. solution of bichromate of ammonia, to which a little grape sugar has been added, and dry in the dark. The paper containing the drawing is laid upon it, and exposed to light until the prepared paper has assumed a gray color; now dip into a 1 per cent. solution of nitrate of silver, one-tenth the volume of which consists of acetic acid. The image developed *thereby consists of* bichromate of silver, which becomes dark brown on drying.

Trichinæ in a Human Body.

Trichinæ have been discovered in a human body which was being prepared for anatomical demonstration at the University of Leipsic. The man had lived for many years in a neighboring commune, and died without the presence of the trichinæ being suspected. Peculiar interest attaches to the case for the reason that it is said to be the first case of trichinosis ever observed in Italy. —Science.

The Snail and Its Load.

A late observer, Mr. E. Sandford, reports having made a common snail carry a load of two and a quarter ounces up a perpendicular wall, its own weight being but a quarter of an ounce. A snail weighing a third of an ounce drew a ton of seventeen ounces on a horizontal table, and supported four ounces while crawling on the ceiling. It even climbed a thread with another snail on its back.

Pipes, Steam Exhaust and Discharge.

It is recommended by The Miller that all pipes, steam exhaust and discharge, be made as straight as possible, but always of ample area. Keep the steam and well oiled. The exhaust should have an area double the steam pipe. The pump should be firmly secured on a rock or masonry foundation, and in all cases be easily accessible for use.

Artesian Wells in Dakota.

In several places in Dakota the artesian wells of 900 to 1,500 feet show pressures of 200 to 250 pounds. As there are no deviations within hundreds of miles to correspond to this, The Chicago Journal of Commerce asks the geologists, geologists or seismologists, to tell what causes the pressure. Is it confined gas?

A New Paving Stone.

A new paving stone called quartzite granite, is a deposit from the prairie region of Dakota. It is soft when quarried and easily sawed out, but hardens into a mass flinty and indestructible and non-absorbent. Experts have pronounced it a perfect paving stone.

Dining with Queen Victoria.

A lady who has been visiting at Windsor Castle tells me that at dinner it is not etiquette to address the monarch unless directly spoken to by her. The meal over, however, the visitor once again finds his way to the Grand Hall, and there the queen says farewell as she goes to her own private rooms. It is an experience to dine at the Castle, and the silver and china will strike the observer on the first visit as being magnificent, especially the former. But dining at Windsor is so thoroughly formal that it is not enjoyable. As a critic once said of Milton that the perusal of "Paradise Lost" should be kept for high days and festivals, because it was "like feasting off gold plate," so magnificent and impressive did it seem; so, I think, if they were placed in the confessional would many of the monarch's guests express themselves. My lady informant assures me that the solemnity of the dinner is utterly opposed to anything like gayety or even ease of manner. To dine with her majesty is a thing to do once or twice in a lifetime.—American Register.

Change from the Old Method.

It is quite noticeable that a large number of hackers all over the country have ceased to seek customers in the movements of the children, emphasizing, rather, prompt, quick movements. As a matter of fact there is little more noise and no more disturbance than the old method.—Boston Journal of Education.

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Leave Dunellen at 6.35, 7.18, 8.34, 9.55, 11.37 a. m., 12.34, 1.41, 4.40, 5.31, 6.55, 8.37, 9.58, 11.44 p. m. Sunday at 9.14 a. m., 12.34, 1.41, 4.40, 5.31, 6.55, 8.37, 9.58, 11.44 p. m.
Leave Plainfield and Dunellen for Somerville at 6.00, 6.45, 7.30, 8.45, 10.00, 11.15 a. m., 12.00, 1.15, 2.30, 3.45, 5.00, 6.15, 7.30, 8.45, 10.00, 11.15 p. m. Sunday at 9.00, 10.15 a. m., 12.00, 1.15 p. m.
Leave Somerville for Plainfield and Dunellen at 6.30, 7.45, 9.00, 10.15 a. m., 12.30, 1.45, 3.00, 4.15, 5.30, 6.45, 8.00, 9.15, 10.30, 11.45 p. m. Sunday at 10.30 a. m., 12.30, 1.45 p. m.
Passengers for Bound Brook change cars at Dunellen.
Plainfield and Somerville.
Leave Plainfield at 5.30, 7.14, 8.30, 9.51, 11.30 a. m., 2.30, 3.15, 4.36, 5.10, 6.51, 8.33, 9.54, 11.40 p. m. Sunday at 9.10 a. m., 12.30, 4.36, 5.10, 6.51, 8.33, 9.54, 11.40 p. m.
Leave Somerville at 6.05, 6.35, 7.60, 8.59, 10.35 a. m., 12.05, 2.00, 3.50, 4.45, 5.45, 7.05, 8.37, 9.58, 11.44 p. m. Sunday at 9.14 a. m., 12.05, 2.00, 4.45, 5.45, 7.05, 8.37, 9.58, 11.44 p. m.
Passengers for Bound Brook change cars at Dunellen.
Plainfield and Scotch Plains.
Leave Plainfield at 8.10 a. m.—For Boston, Allentown, Stead Ing and Mauch Chunk.
8.34 a. m.—For Easton, Washington, Boston, Wind Gap, Mauch Chunk, Drifton, Upper Lehigh, Hazleton, Delaware, Lackawanna and Western, Scranton, Binghamton, Elmira, Rochester, Buffalo, Niagara Falls and the West.
9.31 a. m.—For Flemington, High Bridge Branch, Schooley's Mountain, Lake Hopatcong, Stanhope, Netcong, Intelligence office by Mrs. Lindsay, No. 37 West Front street, opposite New.
Mauch Chunk, Wilkesbarre, Towanda, Nanticoke, Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre Branch, Bethlehem, Easton, etc.
2.05 p. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, etc.
4.34 p. m.—For Easton, Wind Gap, Mauch Chunk, Delaware, Williamsport, Drifton, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, etc.
5.16 p. m.—For Flemington, High Bridge Branch, Schooley's Mountain, Lake Hopatcong, Stanhope, Netcong, Easton, etc.
6.35 p. m.—For Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, etc.
Leave Plainfield at 2.27, 3.45, 6.07, 8.32 11.06 a. m., 1.21, 3.35, 5.45, 7.30, 8.54 p. m. Sunday except Ocean Grove, 2.27, 6.07 a. m., 7.30 p. m.
Plainfield & Philadelphia Via Bound Brook.
Leave Plainfield for Philadelphia and Trenton at 1.32, 5.10, 6.14, 9.45, 11.44 a. m., 2.15, 3.35, 5.10, 8.15*, 8.17 p. m. Sunday at 4.36, 8.15*, 9.35 a. m., 4.36 p. m.
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Leave Philadelphia, Market Streets at 8.30,* 9.05 10.30 a. m.; 1.00, 2.30, 5.00, 6.00, p. m. Sunday at 8.15 a. m.; 4.30 p. m.
Leave Trenton, Broad, Front and Turbo Streets, at 1.35, 9.14,* 10.10, 11.36 a. m., 1.15, 4.25, 5.50, 7.40 p. m. Sunday at 9.14, 10.40, 11.36 a. m., 5.50, 7.40 p. m.
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ETERNAL FITNESS.

"It is never too late to mend," remarked the pastor, closing his illustration. "Good thing," murmured his son. "And, why?" asked the parent. "Because the older a man is the more he needs repairs."

THE NEW, NEW STORY.

At the Church of the Holy Sinners—Dearly beloved, you will find the words of my text this morning in the fifth paragraph of the fourth column on the second page of The Sunday Screamer. In order, however, to fix clearly in your minds the apparent relations of New York divorces and New Jersey murders, I will first read the entire article before going on with the sermon. (Preaches the gospel most acceptably for an hour, and only makes one mistake; reads a circulation affidavit as a reference in the prophecy of Daniel, but naturally enough none of his congregation know any better.)

LYIN'S (FAR) FROM POPE.

Loathe poor Indian, whose sun tutored mind,
Tho' settler's hut, or soldier scamp will find,
His sole proud defense nevermore to betray,
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And simple nature for his scalp has given,
Some colored claps of hues not born in heaven;
To be, contents his natural desire,
But chief to be, 'tis well set to inquire;
He asks no angel's wing, he does not care
For anything except the angel's hair;
And such a haughty spirit doth he hath,
He will not take an insult or a bath.

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John Sullivan has been offered $5,000 a year to sing bass in a Boston choir. The members of the choir say it is a big price to pay for music, but that peace and harmony are worth it.

LEAF FROM AN UNPUBLISHED NOVEL.

"Agamemnon," said his wife, softly, as she opened the door of her husband's study, where the colonel was busily engaged upon his great speech for the coming Grand Army reunion, "Agamemnon, dear, there is a man in the parlor who wishes to see you a moment. He says if I tell you that old Norm, the dead shot of old C company of the old Thirty-twoth of the old Outh brigade of the old marchin' division of the old Worst corps, is on post, you will know him."

The colonel, who was carefully reconnoitering down the "ide" column of the dictionary to ascertain the proper spelling of bicbewminous, lost his place and was irritated.

"By all the gods that fought at Cohoes, or some other place up that way, I can't be bothered by every duffer that served in the United States army. I don't know him; I never heard of such a man; I never served in that corps. That fellow was a deserter, anyhow; I court-martialed him myself; there was no such man in my regiment. Tell him I'm busy; tell him I'm dead; tell him I'm dead; send him away. Here, I'll go down and bounce the beggar myself; I'll bet $1,000 he wants to borrow money of me. I'll go down and tell him once, I've had enough of this; I'll settle him once for all, the lazy loafer, with nothing better to do than bother busy people who don't want to see him. Where is the tramp? Oh! Well! well! well! Old Norm! If I ain't glad to see you! I was askin' some of the old boys only yesterday if they knew where you were; I was goin' to write to you. I don't know any man in the old fighting Thirty-twoth I'd rather see than you. No, you don't have to go, neither; you're goin' to stay to dinner; gal down that hall; some of the boys'll be up this evening, I expect. Say, do you remember that time down at Fort Slaughter when you and me"——

The remaining chapters of this interesting novelette will not be published here, but if you want to risk a little money you can get a bet of several thousand dollars and twenty cents that at least seven minerics of The Eagle know all the other chapters by heart.

LEARNING TO THINK.

Sir Isaac Newton, of Newton Centre, Mass., was one of the greatest thinkers that ever carried a thinker in his bootleg. Whatever he saw he endeavored to find out a cause for it. But as he was thinking all the time he didn't see a great deal. One day, as he was sitting in the garden, oiling up his thinker, he saw an apple fall from a tree. Most men would have supposed that it fell of its own accord, but Sir Isaac had been a boy himself long before founding the theological seminary which perpetuates his name, which, by the way, is a very easy one to spell. He at once began to wonder what made the apple fall; some foolish people say that he wondered why it didn't fall up instead of down, but that is all rubbish. Sir Isaac was no fool if he was a philosopher, and he knew that everything falls down except a wig, and that false hair.

After pronounced awful much thought and study upon the subject, he discovered the cause; he noticed that apples were more disposed to fall down after school was dismissed than during study hours. So the next time he went into the garden he lay low, and when the apple fell he held his breath until the cause came sniffing at the fence to pick up the effect. Sir Isaac collared the boy, for it was he, and taught him how easily pain might be produced by the rapid impingement of a common apple switch upon exposed or only partially protected portions of the human form divine. He illustrated his theory with a few simple experiments such as a boy of ordinary intelligence would readily comprehend. This valuable discovery of Sir Isaac's has been a great boon to grown up humanity. It is now universally known that apples are more apt to fall when there are a few boys at large in the vicinity than at any other time, and that apples will fall for a boy when they might have defied the laws of gravitation for months longer. This sublime fact teaches us that proclivications that are at first artificial are rendered spontaneous by heredity.

This incident of the apple tree, however, had one bad effect upon Sir Isaac. It led him to late boys, and he devoted much of his time to making life a burden to them. With this revengeful object in view he invented the attraction of gravitation, and by a joint resolution of congress, which he easily accomplished by persuading the members of the house that there was a big appropriation in it, he got it established as a fundamental law of nature, with jurisdiction over the tides, the seasons and the movements of the planets, and many other things which boys have since been compelled to learn. So it is that whenever a boy sees an apple he thinks of Sir Isaac Newton first, and then he thinks of some way to get the apple, and by and by he wonders if he can find the pain killer in the dark, and then he thinks how awful it would be to die there, all alone, in the night, and then he thinks of bed, and he lives till morning he will give the rest of his apples to his little brother, and thus you see quite a train of thought is awakened in the boy's mind by Sir Isaac's great discovery.

Sir Isaac never took out a patent on his discovery, but the Bell Telephone company claims that the principle is covered by their invention and has patents relating thereto, and if the courts sustain this claim, as they probably will every time a man picks up an apple they will have to pay him $5, or have to pay the telephone company a royalty, and every time the boy refuses to do it with the telephone company he will drop something.

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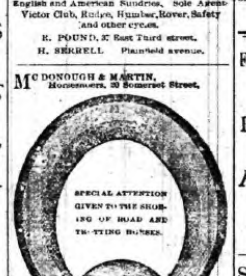

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JOTTINGS.

—The Court of Errors will deliver opinions July 22.

—It is against the law to kill upland plover before Aug. 1.

—The Reform Club will hold its usual weekly meeting to-night.

—A number of persons from this city go to New Market nearly every evening and enjoy a row on the lake.

—At the Crescent Rink last evening Zephyr Hook and Ladder Company gave a picnic which was largely attended.

—At Warren Engine house to-night will be held the regular monthly meeting of the Plainfield Union of American Firemen.

—Excursion of the M. E. Sunday school to Ocean Grove and Asbury Park to-morrow. Trains leaves Plainfield at 7.30 a. m. sharp.

—A. W. Rand gives notice by change in advertisement elsewhere that "Eclipse" photographic outfits can now be purchased for $2.50.

—The peach growers of Somerset county will hold another meeting at the Washington Valley school house on Saturday evening at seven o'clock.

—A party of young folks left this city this morning in stages for Florida Grove, where they will spend the day boating, fishing and bathing, returning this evening.

—A lawn tennis court has been erected in the Public school yard corner of Fifth and Liberty streets, by the teachers of that school and they go there early every morning to take part in a game of tennis.

—On Friday July 22, the Mystic Base Ball club of New Brunswick will come to this city and play a return game of ball with the Athletics. The game will be played on the grounds near the Potter Press works.

—In the Court of Special Sessions, at Elizabeth yesterday, Lawyer Frederick C. Marsh made application for an order calling before the courts, the Surveyors of Highways of Springfield Township, for a review of their returns, on the ground of alleged defects.

—The time is now at hand to regain possession of pet canines should see that they are muzzled to conform to the requirements of the dog ordinance which goes into effect in a day or two. The dog-catchers will hardly give warning when they are ready to begin business.

—Michael Serugney, arrested recently for cutting telegraph wires on the Lehigh Valley railroad at Bound Brook, was examined at Somerville on Tuesday by Dr. H. G. Wagoner and declared by Law Judge Bartine to be insane. He will be taken to the State Asylum, this week by Prosecutor Bolmer and Clerk Sutphen.

—Not in many years has there been such an abundance of flies as have put in an appearance this season. The farmers are pestered with them. The flies congregate about the wash-rooms and kitchens in the country, and vie with the mosquitoes in their savage attacks. They are larger in size than usual and terribly ferocious.

—At the meeting of the Fire Board Tuesday evening a committee, composed of Messrs. Knowland and McClure, were appointed to purchase a hose cart for Warren Engine Company, No. 3. The company have now a four-wheeled carriage and claim it would cost nearly as much to fix it up as it would to purchase a cart.

—At Keyport yesterday, Dr. W. E. Johnson received the silver cup given by the Brooklyn Eagle to the carrier pigeon making the best speed for a distance of 370 miles and over. The bird's speed was 1,222 yards per minute from Canville, Va., a distance of 383 miles. The next best speed was by a Boston bird which made 600 yards per minute.

—A semi-official notice has been received at New Brunswick from the mail department at Washington, stating that a free delivery system will be maintained in that city as soon as the authorities have numbered the houses and properly indicated the streets. Over eleven thousand pieces of mail matter are now handled daily at the New Brunswick office.

—The reportorial staff of the New York World will have another opportunity to enjoy the liberality of the proprietor, Mr. Joseph Pulitzer, in an outing August 29. The picnic will entrance a sail down the sound, a dinner at Island Wild and a dance after dinner. All the reporters are invited and expected to bring their wives, sisters or sweethearts, and a good time is promised.

—The excursion to be given by the members of St. Mary's T. A. B. Society on Wednesday, July 20, to Riverview Grove, up the Hudson, will give an opportunity to their many friends to enjoy a delightful sail of about four hours. Good music has been secured and dancing can be enjoyed. The train will leave this city at eight a. m. sharp, and returning reach home about 8.30 p. m.

—At the meeting of the League of American Wheelmen, at Orange, last week, Mayor Cooley of North Plainfield presiding, it was decided to appoint a committee of five to confer with the board of officers as to the feasibility of making a cinder path from Jersey City to Philadelphia, via. Newark, Orange, Springfield, Westfield, Plainfield, Bound Brook, Somerville and Trenton.

—The third trial of the now celebrated case of Fox vs. Silvester will take place to-day in the Elizabeth District Court. The plaintiff, a boy, sues for damages alleged to have been sustained by being run into by the defendant, who was on his bicycle. The two former trials resulted in a disagreement. This case is regarded as a test, and the final result is awaited with much interest by the wheelmen of Elizabeth, who have crowded the District Court at the previous trials.

The Rahway Mystery.

Juryman Mark Keefe made a sworn statement yesterday in Elizabeth before Justice Hetfield regarding his having identified the little egg basket found beside the body of the unknown girl murdered in Rahway last March. He stated under oath before the Justice and Mayor Daly, of Rahway, and Chief Keron, of Elizabeth, that he saw old Mrs. Sarah Baker, mother of Stewart Baker, mend the lid of a very small half-egg-shaped basket with white twine about a month before the murder. If this is true, and the police have every reason to believe it is, the basket found on the scene of the murder is the same, Keefe said he was positive that it was. He stated that on the morning of the finding of the body his friend, Paul Price, told him Aunt Sarah Baker's little basket was beside the body, and soon afterward "Billy" Byrnes, who works for Baker, told him he knew the basket's owner, but did not think they had anything to do with the murder.

All these parties deny Keefe's statements, but the police have two witnesses who will help Keefe out a little. This is considered the latest and best clue in the great mystery, and the authorities begin to feel once more encouraged.

The Staten Island Bridge.

The Staten Island bridge litigation came to a close in the United States Circuit Court, so far as concerns the arguments, late yesterday afternoon. Judges Bradley and Nixon then announced that a decision would be rendered in a few days on the motion to dissolve the injunction restraining against the proposed bridge. Then the case will go to final hearing. Counsel on both sides agreed to be ready to submit it on final hearing at the opening of the next term of court, which will be on the fourth Tuesday in September. The orators were Counsel Van Cortlandt Parker of Newark, and the Attorney-General of New Jersey, both for the State, and W. W. McFarland of New York for the railroad. Judges Bradley and Nixon were again on the bench.

Bound Over for a Hearing.

On complaint of Louis Sprague, Frederick Conde was arrested by Constable Bannemann and taken before Justice Austin last evening. The complaint charges Conde with threatening to shoot Sprague. Witnesses testified pro and con, and Justice Austin required defendant to furnish bonds in the sum of $50 to keep the peace.

The trial was humorous throughout, and the justice was obliged to order one person out of the court room. It is said that a Front street barber undertook to defend the defendant, but that his arguments were not accepted by the court.

Peach Growers' Association.

The peach growers in this vicinity have formed themselves into an association in order to properly protect their interests. Mr. G. E. Quigley is the secretary of the association and Mr. J. L. Swartz of Martinville the secretary. They meet at short intervals and discuss the prospects for the year, and make known to the members the local freight rates, together with the different markets the association has in contemplation for the sale of peaches. The next meeting will be held in the Washington Valley school house at seven o'clock on Saturday evening next. This association was formed several years ago.

The Free Delivery Law.

The following is the law respecting the free delivery of letters, in which Plainfield is somewhat interested:

An act to extend the free delivery system of the Post Office Department, and for other purposes.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That letter-carriers shall be employed for the free delivery of mail-matter, as frequently as the public business may require, in every incorporated city, village, or borough containing a population of fifty thousand within its corporate limits, and may be so employed at every place containing a population of not less than ten thousand, within its corporate limits, according to the last general census, made by authority of State or United States law, or at any post office which produced a gross revenue, during the year ending June 30, of not less than ten thousand dollars: Provided, That no act shall not affect the existence of the free delivery in places where it is now established: And provided further, That in offices where such free delivery shall be established under the provisions of this act, such free delivery shall not be abolished by reason of decrease below ten thousand in population or ten thousand dollars in gross postal revenue, except in the discretion of the Postmaster-General.

Sec. 2. That there may be in all cities which contain a population of seventy-five thousand or more three classes of letter carriers, as follows: Carriers of the first class, whose salaries shall be one thousand dollars per annum; of the second class, whose salaries shall be eight hundred dollars per annum; and of the third class, whose salaries shall be six hundred dollars per annum.

Sec. 3. That in cities containing a population of less than seventy-five thousand there may be two classes of letter carriers, as follows: Carriers of the second class, whose salaries shall be eight hundred and fifty dollars per annum; and of the first class, whose salaries shall be six hundred dollars per annum.

Sec. 4. That all laws inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed.

Approved January 3, 1887.

The Chautauqua College.

CHAUTAUQUA, July 14.—The summer session of the Chautauqua College of Liberal Arts has begun. The college occupies for the first time the new building on the hill, overlooking the lake at the most picturesque part of the grounds. The number of students is larger than in any former years, attracted by the comprehensive course of study. Classes have been organized in nearly every subject taught in the best American colleges. Students are taught by such noted instructors as Dr. Barrett, of Yale; Professor Gunsaulus, of Harvard; Professor Ballantine, of Oberlin; Professor R. T. Ely, of Johns Hopkins; Professor Gregory, of Yale; Professor Davis, of the University of Virginia, and Professors Wilson and McClenahan, of Chautauqua. The attendance thus far from the outset is wonderful to note. After two days, class work is proceeding in accordance with the plan of the college. Ample had been together for the year. Great credit is due to the Chautauqua authorities for the beautiful new college building erected for the accommodation of the students.

—Bicyclist from all over the county are anxiously waiting for the dedication of the new club house of the Union County Wheelmen at Westfield to take place.

LATEST DISPATCHES.

THE NEWS controls the services of the American Press Association and the United Press, and is the only paper published in this section that possesses a Telegraphic News Franchise.

Thermometer Record.

The following is the record of the thermometer for this day and for the corresponding date of last year, as kept at Stelle's drug store, corner of Front street and Park avenue.

1887			1886		
6 a. m.	74	66	Sun rises		4 40
2 a. m.	79	72	Sun sets		7 31
12 m	85	77	Moon rises		00 12
3 p. m	90	80	Moon sets		

Weather Indications.

For Friday, in New Jersey, eastern New York and eastern Pennsylvania, and in New England, fair weather, with slightly lower, followed by rising temperature.

FOUR YEARS FOR SHARP.

The King Boodler Sentenced To-day—$5,000 Fine.

NEW YORK, July 14.—Jacob Sharp woke about nine o'clock this morning. He had passed a very restless night in his handsomely furnished parlor in Ludlow Street Jail. Yesterday's needless trip to court has about finished the work that the weeks confinement has failed to do. It has left Sharp a very weak and feeble man. He stands virtually on the edge of the grave, and his friends and doctors say that it is probably but a question of days when the end will come.

Shortly after eleven o'clock Under Sheriff Sexton and Deputy Sheriff Curran arrived at the jail in the carriage in which Sharp was to be conveyed to the court house. As soon as they entered Warren Keating's office Sharp was summoned. He had to be fairly carried from his room to the large iron barred door leading out to Ludlow street. The street in front of the jail was crowded with a motley and curious gathering of the denizens of the neighborhood. It was only by main strength that a path was cleared from the jail door to the coach. After Mrs. Sharp, who followed close behind, was seated in the vehicle, Under Sheriff Sexton and Warden Keating jumped in also and hurriedly slammed the door in the face of the crowd. Deputy Sheriff Curran had taken a seat beside the driver, who gave the horse the whip and they dashed around the corner of Grand street and thence on their way to the new Court House in City Hall Park. On their arrival there Sharp was hurried into the building and had to be carried.

Judge Barrett went down to the Court House at about half-past eleven, and after convening court, Sharp was called up for sentence. The sentence imposed was four years imprisonment, and $5,000 fine. Sharp's counsel at once made a motion for a stay of judgment, but Judge Barrett promptly refused it. Much sympathy is felt for the aged boodler, and the verdict is rather more severe than was anticipated. Sharp accepted the sentence with the best grace possible, but paled very perceptibly when sentence was pronounced. It is thought that he will not long survive the shock. His wife is greatly distressed.

A New President.

NEW YORK, July 14.—Jarvis M. Adams, of Cleveland, Ohio, has resigned the presidency of the New York, Pennsylvania and Ohio Railroad Company. Charles E. Whitehead, of this city, succeeds him.

Flames in California.

HANFORD, Cal., July 14.—About eight o'clock last night a fire broke out in the Lafayette House and, fanned by a strong wind, quickly spread over the entire block, destroying the principal business houses of the town. The total loss is $150,000; insurance, $80,000.

An Assessor's Assessment.

NEW BRUNSWICK, July 14.—Considerable indignation is expressed by the stockholders of the new People's National Bank here at the action of the City Assessor in making an assessment of $12.50 on the $500. The stockholders have only paid in $300, which includes the first and second calls, and are quietly laughing at the judicious mistake made by the city official.

Attacked by Insects.

WABASH, Ind., July 14.—A report from Roann in this county, states that the town was attacked by a cloud of insects, resembling millers, so dense that lights had to be lighted. The pests covered everything. Business was suspended for a time. Bonfires were built, which attracted the insects, and their bodies were soon piled up in great heaps around each fire.

The Latest Scheme.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., July 14.—The latest scheme to make trouble in the Grand Army encampment is the suggestion which the Illumination Committee has under consideration, of erecting a Cleveland arch with the Presidents, portraits in variegated lights. Similar designs for Grant and Lincoln have been constructed and the portraits of these leaders in outlines of fire will surmount arches in prominent streets.

Hottest of the Season.

CHICAGO, July 14.—Dispatches from various points in the northwest indicate that yesterday was generally the hottest day experienced in years. At Tuscola, Ill., business was practically suspended, the thermometer ranging from 105 to 109 in the shade. At Pekin, Ill., it was 104, and at Carthage 102 to 108. For three days the mercury has hardly been below 90 at Oshkosh, Wis., day or night; while in the neighborhood of Wabash, Ind., it was 101 in the shade yesterday—from eleven to four o'clock. A great number of sunstrokes are reported, several proving fatal.

PERSONAL.

Martin J. Cooley and family of the Borough have left for the Adirondacks.

Mrs. Bret Harte and daughter, of East Front street, are in the Adirondacks.

Mr. F. Mours, of this city, is registered at the Grand View House, Atlantic Highlands.

Dr. Reichenbach entertained a number of homeopathic physicians at his residence on Park avenue last evening.

Dr. Clarence W. Butler, of Montclair, N. J., one of the leading homeopathic physicians of this State, was in Plainfield yesterday.

Bar Harbor, Me., will be the stopping place of Mrs. John Taylor Johnston, Miss Eva Johnson and Miss Hale, after Tuesday next.

Mr. F. A. Stevens of this city is registered at the Coleman House, Asbury Park. Mrs. F. R. Young is also registered at the same hotel.

Prof. Scott, of Rutgers College, is writing a history of New Jersey. The book is written for the Commonwealth series published by Houghton, Mifflen & Co.

Mr. S. A. Haines of Netherwood, entertained Francis Murphy the celebrated temperance orator, at his home on Tuesday. Mr. Murphy will lecture in Brooklyn.

The New Brunswick Home News of yesterday says that "Dr. W. F. Mattison, of North Plainfield, formerly of this city, is in town to-day on a visit to his son and his numerous friends."

James McStain, the man who was injured at the Dunellen station on Monday afternoon rendering the amputation of his left leg necessary, is improving. He is at the Middlenberg Hospital.

John R. Miller, aged 78 years, an old resident of Fanwood, died at his home there yesterday. The funeral will take place on Sunday at three o'clock, services to be held in the Scotch Plains Baptist church.

Frank Lincoln, assisted by Mr. W. B. Stone, gave a parlor musical entertainment at the Hotel Netherwood on Monday evening. The entertainment was tendered to the guests by the proprietor, Mr. F. E. Miller.

Messrs. Rockfellow, Vanderbeek, Thiers, Houtsman and several other gentlemen went to South Amboy this morning on a fishing trip. They will take a yacht at Amboy, and try some of the old fishing grounds.

Charles Trotter, of Park avenue, who met with a painful accident a few days ago by breaking one of the small bones in his left leg, has so far recovered from his injuries as to be able to walk around with the use of crutches.

Rev. Dr. Ketcham, of the First Presbyterian church, is expected to return from Europe to-morrow. An reception will be tendered him in the lecture room of the church by the Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor in the evening.

Miss Lillie Perry, daughter of the late Samuel Perry, formerly of Water street, this city, died at her home in Flushing, L. I., recently. The remains were brought to Plainfield on the 3.35 train this afternoon and interred in the First Presbyterian cemetery, North Plainfield.

Rev. H. D. B. Mulford, of Franklin Park, will spend his vacation in Egypt. He intends to make an exploration of the country of the Nile, and it is said that after his return home he will write a brawny sketch-book. Prof. J. Searle, of Somerville, and Prof. Lansing, of the New Brunswick Theological Seminary, will accompany Mr. Mulford.

Senator McPherson, of this State, is noted for his queer midday lunches when in New York. His business is near Wall street, and he generally goes over at noon to a wine cellar on Pine street, where wines are drawn directly from the casks. There he sips a glass of sherry while he eats a sandwich. It is the pure wine that entices him, he says.

Fifty priests took part yesterday in the services at the funeral of the Rev. John Rogers, the golden priest in the diocese of Trenton, who died at New Brunswick on Sunday. Among them were Vicar-General Smith, who acted as celebrant; Bishop O'Farrell, Mgr. Doane, Mgr. Seton and Dean John Kelly. Three thousand persons were in the funeral procession and the same number at the church.

John Adair, a popular resident of Perth Amboy, left his home on Tuesday morning to visit his daughter in Princeton. Late Tuesday evening a despatch was received in Perth Amboy announcing his sudden death from heart disease. He was an undertaker, and was a prominent member of Mrs. Bulkley in apparent good health. He served one term as Assemblyman from the Third District, and at one time was treasurer of the city.

Carmon Parse and wife and their ward Miss Adams will go to Racket Lake, in the Adirondack mountains, next week, for the balance of the summer season. Mr. Parse has been visiting this resort for the past seven or eight years and declares it to be the best place for rest and recreation that he has ever found. The ground is as high and is fully equals in attraction Saranac Lake, where President Cleveland and his party were stopping. This lake is about seventy-five miles north of Racket Lake. The route to the latter is through a wild stretch of country after leaving Saratoga, and the trip is enjoyed hugely. Mr. Parse thinks it an excellent place to recuperate a health, for the finest trout fishing cannot be found anywhere.

Dr. Frederick P. Chase, died at his residence No. 106 West Front street, this morning at 5.40 o'clock, aged 72 years, 11 months and 23 days. He had been ill about two months and the immediate cause of his death was due to fatty degeneration of the heart. Dr. Chase was born at Newton, New Hampshire, August 3, 1814, on the old homestead where several generations had preceded him. He comes of Puritan stock. He was a graduate of the New York Medical College and for many years practiced surgery of Monroe and Ten years ago Dr. Chase came to Plainfield and has since resided here; but some time previous to that he built the house on Front street in which he resided at the time of his death, and occupied it as a summer residence. The funeral will take place on Sunday and the remains will be interred in the Hillside cemetery.

Miss Alice Talleman of North Plainfield left to-day for Middletown, N. J., for two weeks recreation.

George Doty, of Elmira, N. Y., is making a short visit to his friend Mr. Geo. Lewis, of Mountain avenue.

Mrs. O. R. Adams, of Door street, North Plainfield starts in a few days for Croton, N. J., to be gone for a few weeks.

Messrs. Agger and Cole, of the Westinghouse Electric Light Company, N. Y., visited the plant in this city yesterday.

Miss Kattie Buckley, of this city, returned yesterday after spending several weeks with her parents in New York State.

Mr. Fred. H. Marsh, wife and family, of Mercer avenue start Friday morning for Pierdne, N. J., to spend the remaining warm months.

An infant child of Mr. and Mrs. James Whitely, of North avenue, died yesterday afternoon, after a short illness, with cholera infantum.

Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Day and family of Rockview avenue, North Plainfield started a short time ago to spend the summer in the White Mountains.

Geo. P. Dupee, wife and family started this afternoon for Keansbenkport, Me., to be gone several months. Mr. Dupee has been summering at that place, several years.

C. Harvey Doremus, president and George Sanders, secretary of the Homing Club of owners of Antwerp pigeons recently organized in this city, The club will be auxiliary to the Philadelphia Federation.

City Judge Ulrich's wife, two children and a nurse went to Ocean Grove yesterday and are stopping at the Surf Avenue House. The Judge's infant child has been suffering from cholera infantum, and it is hoped that the sea air will do it good.

Somerset Freeholders.

[From the Somerset Messenger.]

The Somerset Board of Freeholders met at the Court House in Somerville on Tuesday, all the members were present. The minutes of the last regular meeting and of adjourned meetings were read and approved.

Mr. Helderbrant reported that the committee to view bridge near John Auble's agree to build an A truss, and will make the arrangements to sell the same.

The committee to procure a law library reported that the books were bought and a case ordered for them, to be delivered in a few days.

Prosecutor Steele advised the offering of a reward of $150 for the apprehension of the party who threw the child in a well near Millstone. He was authorized to offer $50 for that purpose.

The number of ballot boxes was again taken up, and, on motion of Mr. Kirch, it was ordered that 10 boxes of the Hall & Wood patent be bought, and that the stamp read "Somerset County, New Jersey."

Five bids for repairing Newfort at Bound Brook were read. Mr. Skillman moved that a wooden plantform bridge be built. Carried.

A petition from Mrs. Ann Hall and others praying the board to erect a stone arch bridge in the hollow above Chimney Rock, in place of the old wooden one, was read. Laid under the original order was lost by a vote of 5 to 4.

Messrs. Ballentine, Helderbrant, Haver, Kirch and Wyckoff were appointed a committee to examine bridge in Peapack, near Mr. Lapp's, and report next meeting.

Mr. Kirch reported the Owens bridge out of repair, and he was authorized to call committee and make necessary repairs.

The board dined at the County Hotel.

The Rahway Debt.

At the meeting of the Rahway Common Council Tuesday night a considerable surprise was created by the receipt of a communication from Ross Vanderhoven, Treasurer of the defunct Rahway Saving Institution, stating that as the Chancellor had appointed a Master in Chancery to make an inventory and estimate of the assets of its affairs, the proposition recently made by the managers to compromise the $100,000 of secured interest due on the $181,000 worth of water bonds held by the institution at 35 cents on the dollar, and to refund the interest at the rate of 7 to 4 per cent. on the principal was withdrawn.

The whole affair has now fallen through. Mayor Daly sent in a communication, in which he pointed out that the city had gone forward in the matter of refunding the debt under a provision in the agreement which, unless eliminated or abolished in some way would prevent the city ever getting rid of its load. He referred to the section of the agreement which provides that no proposition to compromise shall not be considered complete and binding unless all the the creditors of the city signify their assent. He recommended a thorough reconsideration of the agreement and its revision on a practical basis.

STATE NOTES.

The school census for Jersey City, just completed, shows the number of children of school age to be 52,407, an increase over last year of 1,380.

The Rev. Dr. R. Harcourt has resigned from the pastorate of Grace Methodist Episcopal church, Jersey City, to accept a call to the pulpit of the Howard street Methodist Episcopal church of San Francisco.

A commencement will be effected in a few days for the payment of the salaries of ex-Water Registrar Michael Murphy, of Hoboken. It is said that the officers of the Hackensack Water Company are anxious to adjust the matter amicably, and that they have agreed to pay Murphy $40 per week for deficiency. The business will not take any steps to prosecute Murphy.

The annual meeting of the American Union Telegraph Company of New Jersey was held at 14 Exchange place, Jersey City, yesterday, and the following officers and directors were elected: President, John Hone; vice president: Charles A. Tinker, Vice President; Thomas G. Clark, Secretary and Treasurer; Directors: Thomas G. Clark, C. L. Wright, Thomas F. Clark, A. R. Brevoer, and J. B. Berthoff.

George Jackson, a retired manufacturer of Little Falls, was found drowned in his pond at Little Falls last evening. Jackson was formerly engaged in crumb cloth manufacturing, at which he had accumulated a large fortune. He had been convicted of shooting at his wife, Professor Davis, of the University of Virginia, and Professors Wilson and McClenahan, of Chautauqua. The attendance thus far from the outset is wonderful to note. After two days, class work is proceeding in accordance with the plan of the college. Ample had been together for the year. Great credit is due to the Chautauqua authorities for the beautiful new college building erected for the accommodation of the students.

—Several young men of this city are advocating weekly excursions to Boynton Beach by stages.

—Some trouble was experienced with the electric lights at the Crescent last night on account of the breaking of the belt. The matter was speedily remedied, although it somewhat delayed the progress of the picnic.

NOTICE—The Plainfield Gas Light Co. would call attention of the Gas Consumers in this city to the marked improvements recently made in the construction of gas stoves for heating and cooking.

The SUPERIORITY of the Gas Stove for roasting, baking and broiling has been demonstrated in the cooking schools of New York, and remains unchallenged.

We invite inspection of these stoves at our office corner of Fourth and Washington Sts.

Persons desiring to test the economy of the stoves can bring articles to be tested; and gas will be furnished for such tests FREE OF CHARGE.

SPECIAL RATES will be made for gas used for cooking so that the cost will compare favorably with the use of coal. The stoves will be offered to our customers AT COST, or can be rented at moderate rates.

PLAINFIELD GAS LIGHT COMPANY.

BOUND BROOK.

[From the Somerville Messenger.]

Dr. B. C. Cornwell has returned from Oswego.

Mrs. L. R. Pettit has gone on a trip for her health.

John Stevens, clerk for Brosaw Bros., is quite ill.

The Township Committee met at Hotel Caddis Tuesday.

Miss Bessie Praleigh, of High Bridge, has been visiting friends here.

Constable Kitchen has made a number of arrests here within a few days.

Rev. H. B. MacCauley and family are spending the month of July at Lakeside, Pa.

L. D. Cook and wife, who had been to Albany and Saratoga, have returned. The trip did not benefit Mr. C.

There was a special school meeting Monday night to consider the question of raising $500 for an extra teacher in the public school. A motion for the amount was carried by a vote of 44 to 19. A feature of the occasion was that eight ladies voted.

The Sisters of St. Michael's Hospital, Newark, will be here this week on or about the 15th to collect for their hospital. A most worthy object, since the Sisters sacrifice their very lives for the care of the sick. No one from this neighborhood has ever been refused admittance to the hospital, and hereafter either rich or greatly benefited.

Cent-a-Word-Column.

A GERMAN woman, first-class washer and ironer, wants work by the day. Address 74 and 76 North Fourth street. 13-2.

FOR SALE—A few desirable lots on Spooner avenue corner Division street, cheap. Also a number of lots in neighborhood of Green avenue station. J. T. Vail Agent opp. R. R. station Plainfield. 7-14-4tr

FURNISHED ROOMS to let, with or without board, at No. 11 West Second street. 7-30-tf

FURNISHED ROOMS, with or without board, at Mrs. Smith's, 72 East Second street. 11-6.

HOUSE and lot with stable near Grant avenue for sale, splendid opportunity for investment, buildings in good order. Address Box 1398. 7-8-sod-tf

MONEY to loan on first mortgage. Box 1371. 3-4tf

TWO goats for sale cheap. Corner Central avenue and Wilmington street. 14-2

WANTED—Girl to cook, wash and iron. Call at 75 East Fifth street. 13-2

WANTED—girl for general housework in small family; good wages. Dr. Carman 79 Somerset. 14-2t

50,000 celery plants, Henderson's half dwarf and white plume, also late cabbage and greenhouse plants in variety at Dentop's, Hillside avenue. 29-1t

TO THE PUBLIC

It having been brought to the notice of the Committee of Arrangements that some person with evident intent to injure the excursion has been circulating a libellous report that there would be no dancing on the

EXCURSION

to be given by

ST. MARY'S T. A. B. SOCIETY,

Wednesday, July 20,

we, the Committee, take this method to announce the falsehood and assure our friends that the best music that can be had has been secured and dancing can be indulged in to the fullest extent. Signed,

THE COMMITTEE.

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WEDNESDAY, JULY 20.

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THURSDAY, JULY 14, 1887.

SPORTING MATTERS.

The Record of Baseball Games and Turf Events.

Ball games yesterday: At New York—New York, 7; Pittsburg, 3. At Boston—Boston, 12; Detroit, 4. At Philadelphia—Philadelphia, 16; Indianapolis, 5. At Washington—Washington, 3; Chicago, 0. At St. Louis—St. Louis, 6; Brooklyn, 0. At Louisville—Louisville, 6; Cincinnati, 5. At Cincinnati—Cincinnati, 6; Athletic, 1. At Cleveland—Baltimore, 3; Cleveland, 1. At Buffalo—Rochester, 21; Buffalo, 13. At Syracuse—Syracuse, 6; Binghamton, 4. At Utica—Scranton, 12; Utica, 3. At Hartford—Hartford, 6; Celtan Giants, 5. At Wilkesbarre—Wilkesbarre, 10; Reading, 4. At Binghamton—Binghamton, 7; Reading, 6. At Danbury—Danbury, 13; New Haven, 3.

NEW YORK, July 14.—At Brighton Beach yesterday: First race, purse, seven-eighths of a mile; Regal first, Widgeon second, Falsgotte third; time, 1:33½. Second race, purse, mile and a sixteenth; Lee first, Lady Dean second, Keokuk third; time, 1:50¾. Third race, purse, three-quarters of a mile; Calera first, King Arthur second, Parasol third; time, 1:16. Fourth race, purse, mile and a quarter; Jasper first, Brooklyn second, Ernest third; time, 1:59½. Fifth race, purse, one mile; Lola L. first, Confession second, Kink third; time, 1:44¾. Sixth race, purse, seven-eighths of a mile; Dearborn first, Welter second, Dearborn handicap, mile and an eighth; Cary first, Barnum second. Time, 1:57¾. Fourth race, mile and a quarter; Sallie Boy first, Wanda second, Rebound third; time, 2:08. Fifth race, one mile; Aurelia first, Sallie Boy second; time, 1:47¾. Sixth race, seven-eighths of a mile; Willing; Swing first, Bertha S. second, Pendennis third; time, 1:29¾.

BUFFALO, July 14.—Yesterday was the first day at Buffalo Driving park. First race, five-eighths of a mile dash. Rail Buck first, Pat Hamm second, Harry Rose third; time, 1:02¾. Second race, one mile heats; Nettie first, Logan second, Bobby Hingle third; time, 1:43¾, 1:44, 1:45¾. Third race, one mile dash; Pierce first, Joe Cottage second, Hornpipe third; time, 1:46. Fourth race, three-quarters of a mile dash; Angus Lewis second, Jack Hayes third; time, 1:16. Fifth race, water jumps, hurdle; mile and a quarter, Water first, Jack second, Williams third; time, 2:30.

READING, Pa., July 14.—Five hundred people witnessed the prize fight on Penn square this afternoon, near Fleetwood, between Moses Rothermel, brother of the ex-district attorney, and Frank Forquin, a prize fighter from Philadelphia, with bare knuckles, stripped to the waist, without referee, biting and kicking allowed. The matchless to decide which of the two men really is the best man. After fifteen minutes of brutal fighting the men were separated by friends. Both men are fearfully punished.

Enforcing the Liquor Law.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., July 14.—Thirty liquor saloons were raided yesterday by the police and agents of the state liquor law. A quantity of beer and stronger liquors was seized in each. The raid was made by local officers.

Murder in Fairmount Park.

PHILADELPHIA, July 14.—Ernest Kammy shot and killed his wife in a secluded spot in *Fairmount* park yesterday and then shot himself. His attempt at suicide failed, and when found and taken to the hospital he begged the doctors to let him go, saying that the tragedy was a premeditated agreement between him and his wife that they should die together. Kammy has been despondent for some time past, and was by some considered insane.

Complaints of the Milkmen.

WASHINGTON, July 14.—Mr. Henry Bacon, counsel for the Orange county milkmen, appeared before the interstate commission yesterday, that being the day set for the hearing of the complaints of the milkmen against the New York state railroads. Mr. Bacon said as he had not received certain information which he had requested of the railroads, he was not prepared to go on with the case. The hearing was consequently postponed.

The Ground Gave Way.

HAZLETON, Pa., July 14.—A large cave in occurred at Yorktown Tuesday night. As three Hungarians were entering a boarding house, upon their return from work, the ground upon which they were walking suddenly gave way, burying one of them beneath a mass of earth and rocks. The body was recovered yesterday morning in a badly mangled condition.

Collision on a Railroad.

CYNTHIANA, Ky., July 14.—The south bound passenger train due here on the Kentucky Central railroad at 11 a. m., collided yesterday with a construction train several miles below this city. Engineer Joe Paul, of the passenger train was killed, and about fifteen passengers and trainmen were badly wounded. The track is badly obstructed.

The Great Showman Robbed.

BRIDGEPORT, Conn., July 14.—Mr. and Mrs. P. T. Barnum boarded the train at Bridgeport yesterday for the Adirondacks. Mr. Barnum's pocket was picked of $300 by one of the cars and his pocket picked of $300. Officer Arnold tried to capture the thief, but in the confusion he escaped. Mr. Barnum continued his journey without funds.

Eloped with a Child.

NEW YORK, July 14.—The police have been notified of the elopement of Estella Brant, the pretty 15 year-old daughter of Robert E. Brant, stage carpenter at the Union Square theatre, with Joseph Murphy, a gambler and well known man about town. Up to a late hour nothing has been heard of the runaway couple.

Asking for an Injunction.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., July 14.—Several business men yesterday applied for an injunction against the Derby railroad to stop the railroad stock to W. H. Starbuck. The argument will be had in September.

The Feud Ended.

NASHVILLE, Tenn., July 14.—James Yates, a teacher, was shot and mortally wounded at Cross Plains by Dr. Taylor, who emptied the contents of a double barrel gun into Yates' face. The tragedy was the result of an old feud.

TWO ROBBERS FOILED.

AN ATTEMPT TO STEAL THE PAY ROLL OF A STONE QUARRY.

Frustrated by the Prompt Arrival of the Quarrymen—One of the Masked Robbers Arrested and the Other Believed to be in Custody.

GREENWICH, Conn., July 14.—About half way between Greenwich and Portchester are the stone quarries belonging to John Vogt, at which give work to fifty men. It is the custom to pay off the men on Tuesday, twice a month, and the owner's son, Jacob Vogt, has regularly brought the money from the cupola on the train which reaches Greenwich at 5:34 p. m. A road from the quarry runs under the railroad track, and here the foreman usually stands to catch the package of money which, to save time, is thrown by Jacob Voorhis from the train as it passes over the road bridge. On Tuesday last Mr. John Voorhis himself went to receive the money.

In his place the train passed, and the package, containing about $700, was thrown, striking the ground about ten feet from Mr. Voorhis. He picked it up and had taken several steps when a shot was fired from the direction of a clump of bushes by the roadside. At the same time two men rushed upon him, one from the rear and one from in front. Both were masked. The one in front seized the package, while the other caught Mr. Voorhis by the shoulder and rained heavy blows on his neck and face. Mr. Voorhis, though past 60 years of age, is strong and sturdy, and although he was set upon by the bandits, succeeded not only in retaining it, but in throwing off both of his assailants.

Meanwhile his calls for help had been heard by Peter Vogt, the quarry foreman 150 yards distant, and several came running to the scene. The rising ground hid them until they were close at hand. When the robbers saw the quarrymen they ran down the track. For 400 yards the workmen pursued them, when one of the fugitives turned and showed a revolver. He fired a shot at the crowd. Mr. Voorhis by this time had summoned all his men, whom he told to surround the woods and search it.

One of the number soon came upon a man who was apparently changing his clothes; another was standing near, and both started on the run. One surrendered when a pistol was brought to bear on him, while the other fled. He left his coat, a hat, a cap, a pair of trousers, a coat, a mask and a stocking leg, with one end tied up, apparently to be used as a sand bag, were found where the man were discovered. The mask was made of a piece of old overalls, and reached to the middle of the breast.

The captured man was identified as William Kelly, Jr., of Portchester. When he tried on the mask found in the woods it fitted him exactly. He denied his guilt, but was held over to the superior court in default of $5,000 *bail on a charge of attempt at murder* and robbery, and sent to the county jail at Bridgeport.

At 10 o'clock that night Patrick Fox was arrested in Greenwich for drunkenness. Yesterday he was sentenced to thirty days in the Bridgeport jail. It is strongly suspected that Fox was the man who struck the assault upon Mr. Voorhis. He had two revolvers in his pocket, one of them having one empty chamber. Both men have bad reputations.

Bad for the Knights, it True.

NEW YORK, July 14.—The Commercial Advertiser says that the Knights of Labor have lost 400,000 members during the past fourteen months and that the dissolution of the order is imminent. The American Federation of Labor now numbers over 500,000. *Every way for the Knights*, and is rapidly growing.

More Trouble for the Asylum.

NEW YORK, July 14.—Judge Donohue, of the supreme court, yesterday granted writs of habeas corpus, directing the superintendent of Ward's Island Asylum for the insane to produce before him certain inmates of the asylum. It is alleged that, although detained as lunatics, they are not insane.

The Pope's Physical Condition.

ROME, July 14.—The pope is suffering from stomach troubles, and, owing to the bad condition of his teeth, is able to eat but little. He constantly craves iced drinks, of which he consumes great quantities, and performs a great amount of work each day; in spite of his ailments.

The Cost of Seduction.

SYRACUSE, N. Y., July 14.—Charles E. Kearney, who is the son of a prominent brewer in this city, and who was convicted last week of seduction under promise of marriage, was yesterday sentenced to imprisonment for ten months and to pay a fine of $750.

The Value of Our Exports.

WASHINGTON, July 14.—The bureau of statistics reports that the exports of breadstuffs during the month of June aggregated in value $17,025,880, and during the six months June 30, 1887, $84,166,000 against $69,932,856 during the same period in 1886.

Sudden Death of a Prominent Horseman.

CHICAGO, July 14.—Geo. Harold Richard Rowett, of Carlinville, Ills., well known as a politician and breeder of running horses, died suddenly while in the stable at the Washington club track shortly before noon yesterday.

The Ubiquitous Reporter Got Left.

SARATOGA, N. Y., July 14.—The Flint and Lime Glass Manufacturers' association held its annual convention here yesterday. The proceedings were secret. Reporters were excluded.

A Plea for Peace.

LONDON, July 14.—Mr. David Dudley Field made an address in favor of the principle of arbitration among nations before the International Arbitration society yesterday.

CONDENSED NEWS.

The sultan still refuses to sign the Egyptian treaty.

Prince Ferdinand is urged by Bulgarians to ascend the throne at once.

The annual summer school of philosophy at Concord has opened.

Chamberlain, the young man who confessed to the murder, strangulation, of Mrs. Ernst, was found guilty of murder in the second degree at *New Haven*.

The papers connected with a duel between two hotheads at Norfolk, Va.

The immense gathering of school teachers at Chicago continues in session.

A locomotives was blown to pieces near Ashford, Pa., because of low water in the boiler.

The Dominion government is in a quandary. Manitoba defies its decree prohibiting the Canadian railway, and Sir John Macdonald is powerless to enforce it.

The Brooklyn "L" road tie up is likely to be settled by arbitration. The road is much crippled and many men are easily persuaded to go over to the strikers.

The first criminal trials in Limerick for resisting evictions have resulted in the acquittal of the accused, and Sir Edward Clarke, the famous counsel for the defense, is the hero of the hour.

THE PRESIDENT AND WIFE

Now the Guests of His Reverend Brother at Forest Hotel.

UTICA, N. Y., July 14.—The president and Mrs. Cleveland reached Utica from Clinton at 6 o'clock last evening, and were met at the depot by ex-Senator Kernan's carriages, which they entered, and were escorted by the Utica Jacksonians through the principal streets to the senator's residence. The excellent program was favorable for a large crowd, and there were thousands on the streets. The party dined at ex-Senator Kernan's, and at 8:30 Mr. and Mrs. Cleveland gave a reception at the Butterfield house parlors. Fully 10,000 people were in front of the hotel, and less than 2,000 were able to be presented. Considerable enthusiasm was manifested. The president and Mrs. Cleveland remained at ex-Senator Kernan's over night and went Forrsport this morning, where Rev. W. W. Cleveland and Lee, were the guests of Secretary Fairchild. While in that vicinity the president will visit his old home in Fayetteville.

HOSMER AND M'KAY

Win the Double Scull Race for Professionals at Worcester.

WORCESTER, Mass., July 14.—The double scull race between Hamm and Teemer, Hosmer and McKay and Ross and Lee, was the event in the second day of the professional regatta. Hosmer and McKay won in 18:20, the distance being three miles, with a turn. Hosmer and McKay got the lead at the start, *Ross and Lee second, Hamm and Teemer* third. The latter had taken hardly a score of strokes before Hamm broke his oar. Ross and Lee, Hosmer and McKay were pulling thirty-eight strokes a minute and gaining on Ross and Lee, who were pulling thirty-six. The latter then fell in behind Hosmer and McKay and remained a tandem one for three-fourths of a mile, when Ross and Lee again crossed to their own water and began to gain. They came steadily together, and at Mosby's at the mile and a half stake; time, 9:03. The latter were then rowing thirty strokes, and again began to draw ahead, Ross and Lee dropping to thirty-six. They were very several spurts by both crews, without altering their relative positions. Ross and Lee stopped rowing about thirty feet from the finish, and *Hosmer and McKay drifted over the line* ten seconds later than the winners.

THE NOBLEST ROMAN.

Conflicting Statements As to His Candidacy for the Governorship.

CLEVELAND, July 14.—Regarding the statement published by a morning paper that he had received a letter from Judge Thurman positively declining the Democratic nomination for governor, Mr. Dodge has said there was no truth in the report. He has received no letter on any subject from Mr. Thurman. It is the opinion of leading Democrats of this city that Thurman will remain silent on the subject until after the convention, and if nominated unanimously will accept.

Gen. Thomas E. Powell, *next to Thurman* the most prominent Democratic candidate for governor, arrived in Cleveland today. In an interview with a Press reporter Gen. Powell said that he is a candidate only in the event of Thurman's refusing to allow his name to be used. Powell also emphatically stated that he would not go second place on the ticket. He believes Thurman will accept the nomination and be elected.

Combining to Defeat Monopoly.

BOSTON, July 14.—The executive committee of the Newsdealers and Booksellers' association met again yesterday. Mr. P. A. Benton, of Worcester, presided, and Mr. A. W. McClery, of Pittsburg, Pa., was elected secretary. A spirited discussion on opposing the American News company monopoly was participated in by Messrs. Dodge, of Providence, McMurray, of New York, and Daley, editor of The Newsman, Boston. The fact that there are only two wholesale stationery houses in New York obtained as a basis for the formation of an opposition movement and a competing company in that city. It was alleged that the failure of other opposition was owing to the companies handling newspapers and periodicals at a loss, whereas the present association proposes to confine their sales to stationery. Stations in the open market. The executive committee voted to meet in New York the coming October and January.

Much Ado About Nothing.

LONDON, July 14.—At Portsmouth yesterday the royal yacht, Victoria and Albert, with the Crown Prince and Princess Frederick, his wife and daughters and the Prince of Wales on board, met with an accident that narrowly escaped most serious results. The yacht was putting out for a cruise when she came into collision with her majesty's troop ship Orontes, but, fortunately, received a glancing blow and got away with the loss of her rail and some of her rigging. The damage was wholly of such a nature as would permit its being repaired on board, and the yacht will proceed on her voyage after a short delay.

They Don't Always Escape.

BATAVI, N. Y., July 14.—Tuesday night Policeman McCulley detected a man stealing a ride on a New York Central train, and after a hard struggle succeeded in arresting him. It was noticed that there were brass buttons on the man's coat, and the discovery of a letter which was dropped in the scuffle established his identity of John Barton, deserter from the United States ship Dolphin, Brooklyn navy yard. The naval authorities have been notified and requisition to hold Barton were received yesterday. The officer through whose vigilance the deserter was arrested will receive the reward offered for his capture.

In the Coke Region.

PITTSBURG, Pa., July 14.—As a precautionary measure the coke operators have arranged for twenty-five additional Pinkerton agents, to be located in West Lieberning. The work of evicting the strikers to make room for the new men has commenced. Some of the houses at Red Stone works were vacated peacefully yesterday. The final notices were served at Leisenring today. The offers of different labor bureaus to furnish new men have been accepted. Everything was reported quiet yesterday and the number of men at work increasing.

Boulanger Demonstration.

PARIS, July 14.—A Boulanger demonstration of a mild character began at midnight, but increased in enthusiasm a little later. The streets adjoining the railway station became crowded with people generally good natured, but determined to have it understood that they were not to be interfered with. Houses of deputies were illuminated in many cases, assailed with stones, but no great damage has thus far been done. Cries of "Vive Boulanger," etc., fill the air, and the demonstration is at every side.

AN EMBITTERED LIFE.

THE ROMANTIC CAREER OF COL. WILLIAM J. REYNOLDS.

Killed by the Girl He Had Intended to Make His Wife, He Takes Up with a Slave and Becomes a Social Outcast. Revealed by a Will Contest.

COLUMBIA, S. C., July 14.—A sensation has been caused in Sumter county by the discovery that Col. William J. Reynolds, one of the wealthiest farmers in the state, who died last month, bequeathed the bulk of his fortune, estimated at about $600,000, to a negro woman who was formerly his slave, and with whom he lived for many years, and to her children, of whom he is the father. The story of Col. Reynolds' life is an interesting one. He was born in Sumter county in 1806, of honest, industrious and frugal parents. After receiving a good common school education he began life as a planter. Fortune *favored him from* the outset, and everything that he touched seemed to turn to gold. Possessing a genial disposition, he was one of the most popular young men of this district. Fifty years ago he became enamored of one of the most gifted young ladies of the county, and sought her hand in marriage. His suit at first was looked upon with more than passing favor, and he had good cause to believe that his love was reciprocated. After a while, however, the lady, influenced by her mother, rejected him. But the ardent young lover would not take "No" for a final answer. He determined to make himself more worthy of the object of his affections and to try again. Taking a leading part in all matters of public welfare, he was elected to the legislature, and in the state legislature, *which in those days was* composed of the wealth, talent and chivalry of the proud Palmetto state. He at once made a record for himself, and the object of his first term he was recognized as one of the leaders of the house. Returning home elated by his success in the councils of his state, he renewed his suit for the hand of the lady of his choice, and was again repulsed. After being re-elected the second and third time to the general assembly he again wooed the fair one to whom his heart had ever remained loyal. This time success seemed to crown his efforts. The parents withdrew their opposition to his suit and the lady finally accepted him. The nuptial day was appointed, the wedding garments were ordered, the presents purchased and every preparation was made for the event. *One day, however, all his long hopes were rudely* dispelled by the reception of a formal note from his affianced bride notifying him that in consequence of the wishes of her mother she had reconsidered the acceptance of his hand and fortune and that she could never under any circumstances become his wife.

The blow was a fearful one for young Reynolds, and it changed the entire course of his life. At first he was plunged into the depths of despair. His grief seemed to be greater than he could bear. He neglected his business and he wandered listlessly over his plantation, seemingly oblivious to everything around him, and caring not whether he lived or died. He soon, however, became somewhat reconciled to his fate, and finally found consolation from a comely negro woman, who was one of his slaves. He lived with *her to the end*, a social outcast, utterly indifferent alike to public opinion or the earnest entreaties of his relatives. He continued to cultivate his extensive lands and to accumulate money in valuable real estate, and at the time of his death he was generally regarded as the wealthiest farmer in the state. He raised a large family of mulatto children, and provided well for each of them. Several of these children have received a liberal education, and are now engaged as teachers in public schools of the state.

Two or three years before his death Col. Reynolds drew his will with his own hand and bequeathed almost his entire fortune to this negro concubine and her mulatto children. When will Col. Reynolds' distant and other relatives will endeavor to invalidate and set aside, but eminent lawyers who have looked into the matter give it as their opinion that the instrument is legal in every particular and that the indignant relatives must swallow their bitter disappointment.

More Suspense for Sharp.

NEW YORK, July 14.—Jacob Sharp and everybody else expected that he would learn yesterday what punishment is to be meted out to him for bribing Aldermen Ledwith & Fullgraff of the board of 1884. But he was doomed to endure at least one more day of suspense. Judge Barrett was too sick to take his seat on the bench, and Judge Donohue occupied it long enough to adjourn the court until to-day. When Judge Barrett is finally recovered the convicted will learn his fate. Sharp was so weak that he was unable to walk without assistance.

Of Interest to Shippers.

WASHINGTON, July 14.—The treasury department has notified collectors of customs that grain bags manufactured in the United States and returned to the United States free of duty, notwithstanding that the manufacture of such bags was from foreign material, or that at the time of exportation no manufacturers' drawback was claimed for duties on such materials. This decision will be applied to all future importations of returned grain bags and similar coverings of exported merchandise which may be of the manufacture of the United States.

The King's Chief Baker.

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KNIFED ON THE STREET.

ASSASSINATION OF JOSEPH C. KENNEDY AT WASHINGTON.

One of the Oldest and Most Respected Citizens of the Capital Meets Death at the Hands of a Laborer—Killed with a Butcher Knife.

WASHINGTON, July 14.—The most sensational murder that has occurred in Washington since the assassination of President Garfield was committed about 5 o'clock last evening in the building situated on the Pennsylvania avenue, opposite the northeastern end of the treasury department building.

Mr. Joseph C. Kennedy, an attorney and real estate agent, one of the oldest residents of Washington, and a personal acquaintance of many of the most prominent people of the national capital, was murdered in cold blood, and apparently without provocation, by John Daily, a white laborer. A few minutes before 5 o'clock Mr. Kennedy left his office, just across the Bigot bank, and crossed the street diagonally to the opposite corner, where he mailed several letters. He then started to take a car of the Fourteenth Street railroad. When he had proceeded but a few steps in front of the car Daily, who had been loitering around the corner for several hours, walked up behind him, and drawing a large knife bladed knife, similar to those used by butchers in killing hogs, ran it into Mr. Kennedy's right side, near the abdomen, with a vicious lunge, and then gave it a jerk sideways.

A large crowd was on the corner at the time, including many clerks in the government departments, but they were all so horror stricken that they remained nobody moved. Mr. Kennedy fell to the ground, and after giving one cry of "Murder!" groaned deeply and pointed to his murderer, who made a second attempt to run, but at this moment Henry Mason, a colored watchman in the safe deposit building on the opposite corner, hearing the cry, ran across and supported the wounded man as best he could. The knife dropped out of Mr. Kennedy's side at this instant, and Mason resigned the care of the murdered man to a policeman who had come up. Mason then seized Daily, who had stood looking on, apparently the most unconcerned and self possessed man in the crowd, which had now come to feel afraid to approach the murderer.

Mr. Kennedy expired in about five minutes, and his body was removed to the police station, where an inquest was held this morning. *The excitement rose rapidly* and the crowd grew boisterous, threatening to hang the murderer. Daily paid but little attention to them, and refused to say why he committed the crime. Once, when provoked by the crowd, he turned serenely around and said:

"Yes, I killed him, ——— him!"

The indignation of the people became so great that Policeman Salkeld, who had taken charge of the murderer, removed him to the drug store on the corner, where he kept him until the patrol wagon came up and carried him to the station house. He is about 50 years of age and apparently is a working man. At the station he told a rambling and incoherent story about the affair, of which the general purport was that Kennedy had wronged his father years ago and had secured property worth $50,000, and that he refused to make restitution.

The murdered man was about 75 years old, and an old Washington family name. One of the most respected citizens of Washington. He was a grandson of Ellicott, who at the request of President Washington, surveyed the site and square, which now constitutes the District of Columbia. In 1830 and 1860 Mr. Kennedy was commissioner of the census. He was a prominent politician in earlier days and an ardent adherent of the old Whig party. At one time he edited The Franklin (Pa.) Intelligencer. He was an intimate friend of ex-Senator Conkling, Attorney General Garland, W. W. Corcoran and a large number of other prominent people. He acted as the agent of Levi P. Morton, and conducted that gentleman's real estate operations. *He has left a wife and* one married daughter, Miss Sallie Kennedy, a son, Mr. Joseph Kennedy, and one married daughter, who is the wife of Gen. Biddle, a wealthy Californian. Mr. Kennedy was a man of considerable property.

Marine Intelligence.

NEW YORK, July 14.—Arrived, steamers Westerniand, Antwerp; Herschel, Rio Janeiro; Benefactor, Wilmington, N. C.; City of Texas, Galveston; Ingleside, Newport; Alicana, Porto Rico; Kepler, Rio Janeiro; Archimedes, Palermo; Bark Nova Unico, Rio Janeiro. Cleared—R. M. Horn, Bremen; Capt. Cadwalader, New Bedford; Alligator, Calais; Richard Morrell, Greenwich; David Pearsall, Greenwich; M. A. Bird, Cold Spring; W. H. Rowe, New Bedford. Arrived out, steamer Belgenland, from New York, off The Lizard.

For Leading Lyons a Pistol.

NEW YORK, July 14.—Alexander Nell, the young man who loaned to Daniel Lyons the pistol with which he shot and killed Capt. T. Quinn, the amateur athlete, last week, was yesterday committed as an accessory before the act.

TRADE BULLETIN.

New York Money and Produce Market Quotations.

NEW YORK, July 14.—Money closed at 6 per cent. the highest rate. The lowest was 4 per cent. Exchange closed steady; posted rates, 4.85½@4.86; actual rates, 4.82½@4.83 for sixty days and 4.84@4.84½ for demand. Government bonds closed firm; currency 6s, 128 bid; 4s, coup., 120½ bid; 4½s, do., 109½ bid.

In the afternoon there was some selling of Louisville and Nashville, said to be for foreign account, and the stock declined from 51¾ to 51¼ per cent. The market was weak during the afternoon, and under the lead of Missouri Pacific, which was down 2 per cent., all the prices went steadily down up to 2:30. At that hour the decline ranged from ¼ to 2¾ per cent., and the market was dull and heavy, closing by the shorts causing a rally of ¼ to ¾ in several of the stocks. The market was decidedly more active in the last half of the day. The largest declines were recorded by Missouri Pacific, Union Pacific, Lake Shore, Louisville and Nashville, Nashville, Pacific Mail, Western Union, Northwestern, Ohio and Mississippi, Reading, St. Paul and Dubuque, and Lackawanna.

General Markets.

NEW YORK, July 14.—FLOUR—Closed closed steady at unchanged prices; winter wheat extra, $3.25@3.75; Minnesota do., $4.15@4.90; city mill extra, $4.75@5.00; Ohio do., $3.25@3.75; Minnesota clear closed steady; common to choice extra, $3.30@4.

WHEAT—Options were moderately active and irregular, losing ¼@¾ lower. Spot lots closed weak and ¼@¾c lower. Spot sales of No. 1 red and white at 92½@93c; No. 2 red and white winter, 85c; No. 3 do., 85½c; unground red, 89@93c; spot sales of No. 2 red winter, July, 83¾@84c; do., August, 85½@85¾c; do., September, 86½@86¾c.

CORN—Options were dull and easy, closing ¼@½c lower. Spot lots closed weak and lower at a slight advance. Spot sales of No. 2 mixed at 46½c; unraded mixed, 46@46½c. No. 2 white, July, 46½c; do., August, 46½c; do., September, 47c.

OATS—Options were moderately active, but irregular, and were fractionally lower. Spot lots closed steady and unchanged. Spot sales of No. 2 white at 32½c; do. mixed, 30½c; No. 1 white, 33c; No. 1 mixed, 32c; No. 2 mixed, July, 29½@29¾c; do., August, 30½c.

A REGULAR PITCHED BATTLE

Between Railroad Employes and City Officials, Police and Firemen.

YOUNGSTOWN, O., July 14.—A regular pitched battle between about fifty Pittsburg and Western railroad employes, mostly Italians, on one side, and the whole city police force, with *twenty-five specials, city engineer* and street commissioner's force, every member of the city council and fire department, under the leadership of Marshal Williams, on the other, took place yesterday afternoon. Contractor Kelly, of the Pittsburg and Western, had a number of cars standing across Mill street, making a roadbed about three feet above its grade, when the city forces, at a given signal blown on the fire whistle, pulled out the coupling pins and two well directed streams from three inch nozzles soon drowned the railroaders out. They deserted their locomotive and cars, and the police mounted the engine. The railroaders rallied and climbed upon the locomotive, and a pitched battle took place. Pistols were drawn, the police used clubs and both parties fought until they tumbled out of the engine cab. By this time 2,000 people congregated and a hand to hand fight occurred. The police again captured the locomotive and drove the men off into a field. Several arrests have been made, among them Contractor Kelly, who is in the lockup. City forces are now shoveling away the obstruction and police are guarding the crossing.

HER MOST GRACIOUS MAJESTY

Horrified at the Prospect of Paying £300,000 for the Jubilee.

LONDON, July 14.—It is rumored that the queen, owing to financial matters, after the excitement of the jubilee festivities, is appalled at the expenses incurred in the entertainment of the royal guests and in other ways directly connected with the celebration not properly or legitimately of a character to be liquidated from the imperial treasury, and has made up her mind that she ought not to be called upon to pay. The total these expenses is said to be £300,000, and the thrifty old lady is represented to be on the point of of requesting Lord Salisbury to ask parliament to come to her relief. The premier knows the temper of the house of commons in such matters too well to rush blindly into any scheme involving a special grant to the royal family and will wait long before presenting to the representative branch of the British legislature a demand that would swamp the Tory government by an overwhelming majority at the first opportunity given to the members to vote on it. The story is, however, generally believed, and it is further said that the queen's visit to Hadfield's factory was made for the purpose of broaching the subject to Lord Salisbury.

THE STEAMBOAT NEW YORK

Breaks the Record in Her Trial Trip to Yonkers.

NEW YORK, July 14.—The new steamboat New York, of the Albany day line, made her trial trip to her Yonkers property afternoon. She made the best time on record for a side wheel steamboat, namely, fourteen miles in thirty-seven minutes. There was a remarkable gathering of men of affairs on board, as great interest has been taken in the new boat. Of those who timed the trip agreed that the actual time was thirty-six minutes, but allowing for the slow official record. The boat was not pushed. There was ten pounds of steam to spare, equal to two hundred revolutions. The number of revolutions made was twenty-eight to twenty-nine, with forty pounds of steam. It is thought that the New York can beat that record which has been made by any steamboat on the river hitherto. The Mary Powell's best record is forty minutes for the same trip. The New York has the newly invented feathering paddle wheels, which are very expensive and are in use on only about three other boats in the United States. Mr. Van Santvoord, her owner, says the performance agrees precisely with the calculations of the builders.

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WOMAN AND HOME.

LIFE OF THE TENEMENT HOUSE BABY DURING THE HOT SEASON.

Rules for the Young Housewife—Woman in Literature—The Voice of Children—Marriage—Crime's Beginnings—A Drink for Baby—Odds and Ends.

But how fares it with the baby of the tenement?

The tenement baby, like its aristocratic compeer, awakes early in the morning, too. It is awake at dawn, and then dozes off into a fretful sleep again. It awakened at short intervals during all the first part of the night and roused its tired, impatient mother with its peevish wailing. Its lips are parched and its thin hands hot; its eyelids but half closed. It rolls its head now and then in a feeble way. It seems consumed with heat, but when its mother puts a spoonful of water between its lips the weakened stomach refuses to take the liquid.

The father, worn with his day's toil, is angered at the suffering innocent disturbing his sleep. Harshly, perhaps, he chides his wife for not hushing the child. She gives to it an empty breast from which it turns with renewed wailing. Then she tries another expedient. She hastily prepares some milk and water and feeds the baby a few spoonfuls. She knows it is good milk. Did she not buy it herself of Jacob, who keeps four cows in a rear stable, and sells the lacteal fluid they supply so much cheaper than she can get it of a milkman? To be sure the poor kine stand day after day, from week's end to week's end, from one month to another, in the same stalls almost knee high in offal. But she is certain it is good milk, real cow's milk; for did she not see Jacob milk the cows?

So she gives it to her baby, trotting it up and down on the floor while she does it. The baby frets, and the summer heat makes it ill. She is so worn that scarcely can she keep her weary eyes open till she has finished feeding her offspring. Then she takes it back into the bed occupied by herself and the father. He turns over as she lies down, and testily hopes the young 'un will keep still, now it's got its stomach full.

Scarcely has the mother fallen asleep before another cry arouses her. The milk and water put down the little one's throat has been rejected by its stomach. Again she rises and turns up the wick of the smoking kerosene lamp. She dandles the child up and down, for she knows not what to do to quiet it.

Its wailing disturbs other inmates of the tenement. Out of a window a neighbor woman puts her head and calls to her:

"Reach out your hand," she says; "I've got a bit of medicine that will quiet the baby."

She gives her a bottle and bids her administer a half teaspoonful. It is a brown liquid and has a strange smell. She gives it to her infant unhesitatingly. Then it fails into a heavy sleep that lasts till dawn. When it awakes it frets, but it does not always fret. Its eyes are heavy and have a glazed look.

"Th' children's eyes always do look bad when they're teethin'," says an old dame who comes in to borrow a half cup of sugar.

The tenement baby's hands and face are not sponged when it awakes. Its mother is very busy getting breakfast. Instead of fresh breezes the odor of smiling salt pork comes to the nostrils of the sick infant. The father, or an older child, feeds it crackers and water "to keep it quiet" until the morning meal is on the table. The mother sits down with it in her lap. It gets now and then a "bite of potato" or a "sip of coffee," for it is a hand fed baby.

The flies buzz around it, covering its soiled robe and lighting on its feverish mouth.

Some time during the day its mother will wash the hand fed, tenement baby and change its clothing if she has the garments. She will tell her neighbors that she cannot keep it clean, for "its victuals will not stay down."

Thus the tenement baby frets and frets through the summer days. If by chance an unusual allowance of constitution carries it through, it is with diseased digestive organs which may affect its life.

The tenement house, hand fed baby may be aworthless drunkard or a criminal, because it has starved for four years it lived it was half starved for food and fresh air.

The tenement house, hand fed baby may be a corpse before half the summer is over, because it was quite starved for proper food and the blessing of heaven, which should be free and easy to get—fresh air.—Chicago News.

Missouri Ladies as Notaries.

They made a great deal of noise in New York about the appointment of a lady commissioner, as if such a thing was a novelty. In this state we have half a dozen notaries. There is nothing in the statutes or at common law to prevent a woman from serving in such capacity, and I am glad Governor Marmaduke made the appointments. Governor Crittenden would not appoint ladies as notaries. I tried to get him to appoint a young lady, and while he admitted that her indorsement was strong enough, he feared to make an innovation. His successor, more gallant, has had no hesitancy in giving them notarial powers. There is no reason why a woman should not be a notary, and there are some cases of delicacy where a great deal of trouble would be avoided, and people would feel more comfortable if a woman could take an acknowledgment. Women keep secrets just as well as men when there is a matter of importance involved.

A notary also has many responsibilities of which his clients are not all aware, and hence people of morality should be appointed. For instance, here is a case that has just occurred where I would have made \$10 by taking advantage of a woman's ignorance of the law. She sent for me to write her will, and after writing her various legacies I found out that she had only a dower interest in an estate, and was trying to bequeath that. I quickly informed her of her error. A man with an eye to \$10 only would have allowed her to continue in blissful ignorance of her mistake, arguing that the will would work no harm.—Francis Valle in Globe-Democrat.

The Voice of Children.

Much can be done by mothers and teachers to cultivate the voice of children. Instead of the nasal shrieks used by so many children, encourage them to use pure, round, smooth tones. Teach them to open the mouth and not to mumble and not to speak through the nose. Much of the unpleasant habit of mumbling comes from ill humor, as well as laziness or disuse of the muscles of the mouth and jaw. Cheerfulness is a good lubricator, and the duty of cultivating a spirit of cheerfulness and the desire to please should be imposed upon children by precept and habit.

The disagreeable nasal tones may be avoided with due care. See that children have a sufficient supply of handkerchiefs and insist upon their use. There is physiological reason for this. If the real passages are not freed it will eventually lead, to catarrh and disease of the throat, and so the nasal habit will be confirmed. Teach the children to keep the mouth closed except when speaking, and then to let the voice come clear and pure out of the mouth, and not through the nose, instead of reversing the process—breathing through the mouth and talking through the nose.

The rude boisterous singing (?) indulged in at many of our public schools cannot fail to be injurious to youthful voices. A word to mothers, teachers and nurses. Keep your own voice down, avoid shrill, high tones. A voice of sweetness and power is at the death of Cordelia, could say nothing more pathetic than "Her voice was ever soft, gentle and low—an excellent thing in woman."—Mary Edwards in Atlanta Constitution.

We All Break Down There.

He was about to die for a cold blooded murder. Standing between the pillows he made a short talk. He spoke of his impending death with slight emotion. Then of "his people" with some signs of tears. Then of his wife, with sobs and a trembling voice. Then of "his old mother"—and there he broke down completely and gave way to uncontrollable grief.

Ah, yes! It is right there that we all break down. At the thought of "the old mother," with her graying hairs, her kindly face, across which time and sorrow are cutting their furrows, and her faithful affection that never wavers or doubts. It is to "the old mother" that man's heart turns at last when trouble or affliction or remorse overtakes him. Other loves may be stronger and the passion of other loves may obscure this for a time. The wife clinging in absorbed happiness to the arm, or listening to the deep tone and perfect talk about the knee, may efface all thought of "the old mother." But when a great crisis comes and the strong man is bending beneath it he finds too grievous to be borne the vision comes to him of one, idealized in his heart at least, who never doubted, who never wearied, but who loved all the time with a love that was understanding. The wife, wondering at this at first, accepts it at last, quietly acquiescing, but happy in her mother's heart to know that from her one asylum in this day's toil and strife one stalwart child be rendered unto her.—Atlanta Constitution.

Ahead of the Squire.

In a suburban town not ten miles from the gilded dome the great question has been for months, Shall we have a public library? The sewing circle favored the proposition. The Young Men's Literary association, which frequently took tea with the sewing circle after the latter had ended the monthly shirt for the heathen, cordially concurred. The "tops of the flour barrels in all the groceries caved in under the weight of the debating village statesmen discussing the ways and constitutionality of public libraries. At last the day came when the partisans of the library and its opponents met in force in the forensic the strict constructionists met in forensic combat on the floor of the town hall. The arguments were gone over again, and Squire Spike closed the case for the conservatives. He lashed himself into a fine frenzy over the interruption of the sweet and holy harmony of home which the introduction of library books would occasion. Women would read novels and then they went unsexed; husbands and wives would dispute over metaphysics and the little domestic world would be turned upside down.

"Then I shall not be called return," said Squire Spike, "and would find his dinner unprepared or burned up and his wife reading. What kind of a book would he find in her hand?"

"A cook book!" yelled the village wag from the back seats.

Thenceforward it was vain for Squire Spike to attempt to push back the tide of progress. The library was established, and Squire Spike has been even known to take out a book now and then.—Boston Transcript "Listener."

Women in Literature.

I remember how great was the longing among intelligent women, thirty or forty years ago, to do a greater share of the literary work of the nation. A few ventured forth timidly from the kitchen to do it, perhaps bringing with them in their hands a new cookery book, like Mrs. Child and Miss Leslie, to propitiate the other sex, and prove that they had in a manner worked their passage into freedom. Now they still bring the cookery book, like Marion Harland, who has indeed sold at 150,000 copies of hers; but it is no longer needed as an apology. Mrs. Woods points out that there are about 2,500 women engaged in literary work in London, including, no doubt, all grades of journalism; that out of 125 authors on the publishing list of Roberts Brothers 77 are women; that there are the names of 55 women on Ticknor's list, 80 on Houghton's and 50 on that of the Methodist Book Concern. The demand for literary expression being thus in part satisfied, it is the most natural thing in the world that there should be a demand for action as well as literature, and that the pressure for executive and public duties on the part of women should only be increased by the fact that they have already free course in the field of mere literary expression. Granted a pursuit, there is still needed some other pursuit.—T. W. H." in Harper's Bazar.

Marriage as an End.

The question of marriage is a serious one, and because it is usually in the future, however remote, of most young women they do not as a rule take as strong a hold of a profession as do young men. When a young man begins business he knows he will probably stick to it to the end of his days. The fact that he may get married makes it more necessary that he should devote himself to moneymaking. But with a young woman it is entirely different. I have known young women to become very proficient engravers, for example, and just as their employers were beginning to depend upon their work they got married and laid the graver aside forever.

How often you find parents spending hundreds, even thousands, of dollars on the musical education of their daughters, and when the daughters get married they shut up the piano, and their musical education is as good as thrown out of the window. I have heard hundreds of young married women say when asked to play something: "I am entirely out of practice. I haven't opened the piano since I was married." Whatever a man does he does for life; but as a usual thing when a woman undertakes a thing, instead of being for life, it is till she shall be married.—New York Cor. Philadelphia Record.

Decorations of the Table.

But many are the tables at which the formal "grace" is the only suggestion of things spiritual; at such tables the "grace," far from elevating the ceremony of eating, seems rather itself to suffer desecration.

The mistress of the table is not ready for her place as director of the feast, if she is not certain of the time of serving of the flavor of the mood, of the aroma of the conversation which will be served at her board than she is of the quality of the meat and the character of the bread which will be served there. The appetite for food, as food, is gross; if that appetite alone is sated at a table, the table is but a manger. The eye, the olfactory nerve, the ear, not the palate, are susceptible to poetic suggestions. Such is the subtle connection between smell and taste that certain foods are guessed the savory odors; but delightful odor disconnected from food is a mere refining influence; sweet smelling flowers, or, if they are procurable, great masses of them upon a table or in the dining room, awaken a sense of pleasure which is akin to that of the palate awakened by the odors of foods, and through this sense one may learn subtle decorations of the table which, making little appeal to the eye, yet set a train of refining thought.—Mary Wright Sewall in Brook.

Rules for the Young Housewife.

General cleaning should be done the day of summer. Before leaving your room throw open windows, top and bottom; lay pillows in the sun, bed clothes to air, and turn back mattress. As soon as you come down stairs open blinds and windows. Light kitchen fire; take up ashes; sift them. Brush off the stove; rinse and fill the kettle. Sweep the kitchen, the stoop and walk. Sweating all mats thoroughly. Remove stale flowers from parlor and dining room, and dust. Prepare for breakfast, putting biscuits or muffins to bake while you lay the table. Close blinds of sunny side. After breakfast clear the table as soon as possible, putting milk and butter away at once, instead of allowing them to remain in the hot kitchen. Do not leave the white tablecloth on a moment longer than necessary. It attracts flies. For the same reason remove the crumbs from the floor. This applies to every meal. Wash and put away breakfast dishes. Darken the dining room, pantry and all unused rooms. Make beds, empty slops, wash soap dishes, fill water pitchers, fold dry towels, take away soiled ones—but, if damp, dry them before putting into the soiled clothes hamper, as everything quickly mildews in hot weather. Darken rooms after having put them in perfect order. —Good Housekeeping.

The Beginnings of Crime.

I have made a study of crime for many years, and have watched its development in children who have grown up in my immediate neighborhood. I have noticed that children who are not properly watched over at home commence by first stealing the marbles and playthings of their companions; then they steal from the unoccupied buildings and yards, carrying off old iron and loose articles, which they sell to junk dealers. After this they get bold enough to enter the cellars of occupied buildings and get empty bottles and other things of small value, and it is not very long before they try climbing into dwellings over the cellars and carrying off anything they can lay their hands on. I know several criminals, who are now serving terms in the penitentiary, who commenced stealing in just this way. They learn gradually, and become more expert every day, and at the same time grow more hardened as they get older.—Sergt. Lang in Globe-Democrat.

Give the Baby a Drink.

Now that warm weather prevails it should be remembered that infants require water to drink as well as milk. It does not follow that because milk is a liquid it is capable of satisfying thirst. On the contrary, being warm as it is drawn from the breast, it does not thirst after it has remained in the stomach for some time, the same as other food. It is this sense of thirst which causes healthy, breast nourished infants to offset cry for "drink" periods of time after freely nursing. It is claimed that there are many cases of indigestion due to insufficiency of the child's gastric juice, which would be greatly benefited, or even cured, by allowing the child occasionally a drink of decidedly cool water. And it is certain that an enormous amount of suffering among infants is caused by neglect or ignorance of this simple rule. By a "drink" is not meant, of course, a large quantity—a teaspoonful or two is sufficient.—Chicago News.

Things That Lighten Labor.

There are other things which make the work of German housekeeping much lighter than with us. There is no regular washing day, very little washing being done in the house, the wash being sent into the country every five or six weeks. This long interval necessitates the use of household linen, and here is another pretty feature—all the articles sorted into distinct piles, held together with ribbon or stitched bands of pretty color by machine. Our big washing days are avoided, and our baking days likewise exist not. Thus the weekly dreaded days are obliterated from the German domestic calendar. The progress in America in the same co-operative system that will settle the question for us, and while removing the inconvenience and annoyance of the present, allow us to retain our greater comfort and beauty. —"Life Among the Germans."

A Series of Waits.

"How thoughtless men are sometimes," exclaimed a lady in one of the fashionable west side boarding houses as, seated in the parlor directly in front of the window, she awaited her husband's return. "Keep one of them waiting for five minutes and you never hear the last of it, and yet they keep us waiting half our lives and think nothing about it. A woman's life is a series of waits. It is a series of waits. First she waits to get on long dresses and to enter society. Then she waits for some man to ask her to marry him. After that—what? Why, then she begins to wait for her legs lord and master to come home to his meals, and maybe she has to wait for him to come home at night. Waiting gradually becomes second nature to woman. And can you wonder?"—Chicago Journal.

Don't Slice Pineapples.

Few people know that pineapples in their native country are never sliced, but after peeling they are carefully cut around the core in small pieces with a silver fork. If this way is once tried no one will again injure the fine flavor by cutting across the grain. They should always be so prepared, both for table and canning.—Chicago Journal.

To Remove Blood Stains.

Blood stains can be removed from an article that you do not care to wash by applying a thick paste, made of starch and cold water. Place in the sun, and rub off in a couple of hours. If the stain is not entirely removed, repeat the process, and soon it disappears.—Good Housekeeping.

The effects of poison ivy may be removed by applying a solution of a tablespoonful of copperas in a small cup of hot water.

The kitten souled women have an easier time of it than the eagle winged and the strong.

A teaspoonful of heated camphor is said to be a curative application for a stye on the eyelid.

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Leave Plainfield 5.30, 7.15, 8.33, 9.51, 11.00, a. m., 12.05, 1.15, 2.35, 3.47, 5.04, 6.05, 7.00, 8.40, 10.40, 11.59 p. m. Sunday 5.30, 7.15, 8.33, 9.51, 11.00 a. m., 1.15, 3.47, 5.04, 6.05, 7.00, 8.40, 10.40, 11.59 p. m. Express trains 8.33, 11.00 a. m., 1.15, 3.47, 5.04, 6.05, 7.00, 8.40, 10.40 p. m. Sunday 8.33 a. m., 1.15, 5.04, 6.05, 7.00, 8.40, 10.40 p. m.
Leave New York, West Shore Ferry, Desbrosses street at 6.00, 7.30, 8.30, 9.00, 10.00, 11.00 a. m., 12.00, 1.00, 2.00, 3.00, 4.00, 5.00, 6.00, 7.00, 8.00, 9.00, 10.00, 11.00 p. m. Sunday 9.00, 9.45, 10.00, 11.00, 12.00 m., 1.00, 4.00, 5.00, 6.00, 7.00, 8.00, 9.00, 10.00, 11.00 p. m.
Plainfield and Newark.
Leave Plainfield at 6.43, 8.25, 9.25, 7.30, 8.05, 10.05, 10.37, 11.05, 11.43, a. m., 12.35, 1.37, 2.38, 3.37, 5.01, 5.44, 6.05, 7.00, 8.05, 9.19, 10.15, 11.15 p. m. Sunday at 10.40, 11.43 a. m., 12.35, 1.37, 2.38, 3.37, 5.01, 6.05, 7.00, 8.05, 9.19, 10.15, 11.15 p. m. Express 8.25, 10.37 a. m., 1.37, 3.37, 5.01, 6.05, 7.00, 8.05, 9.19, 10.15, 11.15 p. m. Sunday at 10.40, 11.43 a. m., 1.37, 3.37, 5.01, 6.05, 7.00, 8.05, 9.19, 10.15, 11.15 p. m.
Plainfield and Boston.
Leave Plainfield at 5.30, 8.33, 9.51, 11.00, a. m., 12.05, 1.15, 2.35, 3.47, 5.04, 6.05, 7.00, 8.40, 10.40, 11.59 p. m. Sunday at 5.30, 8.33, 9.51, 11.00 a. m., 1.15, 3.47, 5.04, 6.05, 7.00, 8.40, 10.40, 11.59 p. m.
Leave Boston at 9.00, 9.00 a. m.; 12.45, 4.15, 7.00 p. m. Sunday at 7.15 a. m.; 1.00 p. m.
Westward Connections.
5.30 a. m.—For Easton, Allentown, Reading and Harrisburg.
8.33 a. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Wind Gap, Mauch Chunk, Delhi, Upper Lehigh, Scranton, Wilkesbarre and Elmira.
9.51 a. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Wind Gap, Mauch Chunk, Delhi, Upper Lehigh, Scranton, Wilkesbarre and Elmira.
11.00 a. m.—For Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, etc.
12.05 p. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, etc.
1.15 p. m.—For Easton, Wind Gap, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Delhi, Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, etc.
2.35 p. m.—For Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, etc.
3.47 p. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, etc.
5.04 p. m.—For Easton, Wind Gap, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Delhi, Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, etc.
6.05 p. m.—For Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, etc.
7.00 p. m.—For Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, etc.
8.40 p. m.—For Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, etc.
10.40 p. m.—For Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, etc.
Leave Plainfield 8.27, 8.45, 9.08, 9.32 11.00 a. m. 1.31, 2.25 3.51, 5.34 5.54 p. m. Sunday except Ocean Grove 8.27 8.57 a.m. and 5.39 p. m.
Plainfield & Philadelphia Via Brooklyn.
Leave Plainfield for Philadelphia and Trenton at 1.25, 5.10, 8.14, 9.45, 11.44 a. m. 12.19, 1.19, 2.19, 3.19, 4.19 p. m. Sunday at 1.25, 8.10, 9.25 a. m. 6.39 p. m.
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Leave Philadelphia, Ninth and Green Streets, at 8.30* 9.30 11.00 a. m.; 1.15 3.05, 5.15, 7.00 12.00 p. m. Sunday 4.45 8.30 a. m.; 12.00 p. m.
Third and Reed Streets at 8.30,* 9.05 10.30 a. m.; 1.00, 3.30, 5.00, 6.00, p. m. Sunday at 8.15, 9.30 a. m. 4.30 p. m.
Leave Trenton, Warren and Taylor Streets at 9.15,* 9.45, 10.10, 11.30 a. m. 1.45, 3.45, 5.50, 7.45 p. m. Sunday at 1.35, 9.15 9.40, a. m. 6.15 p. m.
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All his given sirnes and pennies
His small tin bank to fill,
That he might enough of fire-works
For himself and comrade buy,
To have just a lucky dory
Time upon the Fourth July.

So, when dawned the welcome morning,
Tommy and his comrade kid,
'Neath a cherry tree together
Long in consultation hid,
And most solemnly decided
To set fireworks off, but where
It would be the most convenient
To give folks around a scare.

Soon they spied the country parson,
A near sighted, lank divine,
Driving down the lane a-loping
On his mare by slacken'd line;
Up they sixly stole behind him,
And beneath his waggon rod
A torpedo off that started
The old mare upon a trot

Goodness gracious! it was awful!
How that old gray mare did go,
Reckless of the startled parson's
Frantic shouts of "Whoa!—there—whoa!"
As the rustics in their doorways
"Vowed a worse sight never had
Scandalized that old turnpike road!—
Was their parson going mad?"

Tommy and his comrade chuckled
Over the mischief they had done;
Thought it was a "tocs" beginning
For a lusty day of fun!
Later on, of tricks unwaried,
They a big firecracker lit,
Tied it on a stray Tom cat's tail,
And the feline took a fit.

In a field close by, a Bibly
Fresh from Erin's lovely isle,
Sat milking a meek heifer,
When like lightning o'er a mile
Leap'd the maiden's Tom cat at her,
All ablaze the fiery tail,
And upset the fainting milkmaid,
With her overflowing pail.

Unto Tommy's chilling mother
Biddy rushed 'mid pensive wails,
And declared "she and no longer
Shtay where cats kem to devils' tails!"
Vain we see coming to his bed
So to Pumpkinville "goodby"
Bade she, that fickle wayward wing
Of the Fourth day of July.

As the purple shades of twilight
Hovered soft and darkly nigh,
And, thank Heaven! at last was over
Punk and pain—Fourth July—
Wicked Tommy and his comrade,
With malicious viciousness,
Lit their final "nigger chaser"
In the hay loft of a barn.

Both the culprits soon were rescued
From the barn of blazing hay,
Then by Tommy's wrathful daddy,
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He sat on the curbstone in front of the city hall, in the full glare of the noonday sun, with the thermometer seeming to mark 400 degrees. A pedestrian, who carried an umbrella in one hand and a handkerchief in the other, thought to joke him a little, and called out:

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"Good lands! but why not?"

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The Same Old Boy.

Now to abstain from deadly pond
The urchin's ma doth urge him,
And in the guise of Adam he
Doth in the same submerge him.
And when with billies in his hair
He reaches the cottage homely,
The little fictionist asserts
'Twas but a passing shower.

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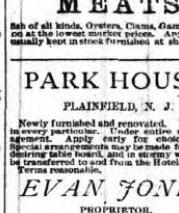

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JOTTINGS.

—A tennis match is to be played between teams from the Bound Brook and Somerville Tennis Clubs some time next week.

—For good reliable clothing Schwed Bros., is the place to go, they announce sweeping reductions in the prices of summer clothing.

—A man named Wm. Trainor in North Plainfield was arrested last night for beating his children, and committed to the lock-up.

—A drunken man on Somerset street yesterday afternoon attracted considerable attention by the cruel manner in which he was treating a horse.

—Almond D. Taylor, a driver, employed by Edward Rammonetti of North avenue, was kicked by a horse Wednesday and received painful injuries about the hip.

—Fifteen carloads of sweltering humanity comprised the excursion given by the M. E. Sunday Schools of Plainfield and Dunellen to Ocean Grove and Asbury Park to-day.

—A game of base ball played on the Somerset street grounds yesterday afternoon between the Stars, Jr., colored, of this city and a Somerville nine resulted in the defeat of the former by a score of 24 to 8.

—Complaint was made this morning to Mayor Male that Italian shoemaker, named Pluma, was obstructing the sidewalk on North avenue, with a bootblacking stand. The man was notified to remove the obstruction.

—The Methodist and Congregational Sunday Schools of Westfield went on their annual excursion to Ocean Grove Wednesday. The Methodist schools of Dunellen and Scotch Plains joined in the excursion. The excursionists numbered 501.

—THE NEWS was on the streets early yesterday afternoon with the information that Jacob Sharp had been sentenced, and it proved quite a God-send to an "esteemed" contemporary. Out of sorrow the despatch flag, THE NEWS was not copyrighted and it is not disposed to complain about the "fake."

—The Elizabeth Journal says that "the contesty for the consolation prizes offered by the Plainfield Tennis Club, for competition among all who played the winners in the recent tournament, may come off next Saturday afternoon. It is expected that those of the Elizabeth club entitled to enter will be present."

—A man who works the Sanford farm near the Greenbrook tanks, made complaint to Chief of Police Bodley this morning that a borer in his employ had robbed the house of about a dollar and a half in money at an early hour during the family's absence. The thief was caught in this city, as he was boarding the 9.32 a. m. train for New York, and the money recovered.

Firemen's Meeting.

The Ameskeag Council, Order of American Firemen, held their regular meeting for July in the parlor of Warren Engine House at eight o'clock last evening. After the transaction of routine business the following names were presented as candidates for membership: B. Frank Cornell, Peter Flynn, Jr., John H. Gable, Charles Seibel, W. L. Pierce, Anthony, T. J. Gillies.

Action will be taken on these at the next meeting.

A New Society.

At a meeting held at the residence of Michael Powers, on Somerset street, last evening, a society to be known as St. Joseph's Benevolent Association was organized and the following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

President—William McCann.
Vice President—Thos. Kenny.
Secretary—John Nolan.
Treasurer—Michael Myers.

The society will meet again on Tuesday evening next and complete the organization.

Injured His Foot.

About half past eleven o'clock this morning William Schwers, a young man seventeen years old, was walking along the railroad track between Second and Central avenues, when he chimes he stumbled his toe and fell, his left foot in some way getting under the wheels of one of the coal cars on a train drawn by engine No. 190, which was passing at the time. The foot was terribly mashed and pieces of the ballast which is used along the track, was driven into the flesh. Schwers was placed on a stretcher and taken to the freight house. He was subsequently taken to the residence of his brother-in-law, Charles Arnold, on Second street, where he is employed. The foot will undoubtedly have to be amputated. It is generally believed that he was attempting to jump on the train when the accident occurred, although he denies it.

Did they Visit Plainfield?

Jules VanDoorn, the fugitive from Rolland, who with Mrs. Cornelius Vroelkyst wife of Banker VanHerst of Boxtel, Holland, outwitted the New York and Jersey City officials yesterday and managed to reach the Central Railroad depot at Communipaw.

Without purchasing tickets they boarded a way train which left the depot at ten minutes after four. The train went no further than Bound Brook, and it is probable that the fugitives stopped off this side of Bound Brook, possibly at Plainfield, and boarded the next through train for Philadelphia. Banker Van Heyst is mourning the loss of a hitherto faithful wife, a three-year-old daughter and 50,000 glorins—about $20,000, while Jules VanDoorn is laughing in his sleeve at Banker VanHeyst, the combined wits of Jersey City and New York detectives and the legal efforts of Rx. Leon Abbett, who has been retained by the Dutch Consul at New York City.

BY THE WAY.

Remarks on Current Topics Heard on the Streets.

The much talked of military company seems to have died aborning. No meeting has been held for two or three weeks, and the interest at present appears to be lost. Perhaps this is due chiefly to the warm weather, for who wants to think of anything formal and unsalutary during this sort of weather. The names of over thirty good citizens had been secured, and others were willing to "consider the matter." It is thought that if the matter is permitted to remain as it is until cooler weather arrives there will be no trouble in securing the necessary fifty-three names. I am of the opinion that a company of Plainfield gentlemen would be a very acceptable addition to the Third Regiment, and Col. Ropes is much interested in the organization of such an one.

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Many remarks are heard concerning the incendiary fires which for the past year have occurred in and around Plainfield, and some are inclined to censure the authorities for being careless in the matter. The prompt action of the citizens of this town over the ravages of the fire bug," roars a contemporary, "has never been equalled in any place in this country." All of which shows that the writer of these words knows very little about the rest of the country. THE NEWS has all along pointed out the necessity of prompt action in this matter, and of late it has so clearly demonstrated the fact that the authorities are giving it closer attention. But it sees little supineness in this matter. Only a few days ago I told me the other evening that he was completely at sea, and could not for the life of him discover a clue. As a clue I think the people of Plainfield are about as intelligent, and alive to the interests of their city as any large community in the country of the size, and it is not because of a lack of effort that this fire bug has not been ferreted out. But I am inclined to the belief that the Fire Board has now taken this matter in hand, and I haven't the least doubt but that they will have the incendiary in due time to hold on to one end of a rope while the incendiary dangles at the other end will be very gratifying. Perhaps the ubiquitous writer I see none of his ubiquity during the interim, which it is hoped will be of short duration.

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Everybody talks about the proposed new City Hall, but few seem to think that the need of it is a pressing one. Of course each one has selected a site for it which in the opinion of that particular party would be the best place for such a public institution. There are several desirable locations, but the members of the committee have a third to see about real estate and are not disposed to talk too much until council does so. That such a hall shall be erected. Then it will be time enough to talk about the location, and the gentlemen who compose the committee can be expected to purchase at as good a bargain as though transacting their own private business. I have it from reliable authority that the hall will soon have a City Hall, and it will not be one for the citizens to be ashamed of, either.

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Speaking of city improvements leads me to say a word or two about the much mooted question of sewerage question. Quite frequently this matter is heard discussed and considerable asked concerning the progress being made. The new chairman of the Fire, Water and Lamps Committee of Council, has the reports of the expert engineers and they will be printed in pamphlet form very soon for free distribution. After the matter has been thoroughly digested by the people and Council concludes that the time is ripe for these much needed improvements, a special election will be ordered and the people will be given an opportunity to express their sentiments at the ballot box regarding the need of either water or sewerage, or perhaps both. Our Councilmen are all business men and it can be safely reasoned that they will favor any improvement, and will not recommend an expenditure of public money until satisfied that the city is in position to issue bonds that will of necessity be made on it. There isn't the slightest question about the need of water works, and Plainfield will continue in its position at the front by supplying them.

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How the people do travel for the seashore and mountains these hot days—that is, all those who can conveniently leave their business. And it is right that they should, for when the hot days are over they will return full of life and vitality that will amply repay them for the loss of time. The laws of human nature demand that body and mind should be given rest, and recuperated. It makes one feel more like living.

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What do they think in Plainfield about the verdict imposed upon Jacob Sharp, the New York "king boodler?" Well, opinions are divided. Yes are there are many prominent New York merchants and brokers living here who thoroughly understand the circumstances in the case, and while they are deeply grieved to see the old gentleman's lamentable condition, the general verdict is that his sentence was by no means the severest one deserved. It is thought that Sharp will not long survive the shock, and much interest is manifested in the fact that he has stood so bravely by his side through it all.

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"There are four gray horses," said a gentleman to me last night, at the corner of Park avenue and Second street, "now show me a red-headed girl." But I urged that it was necessary to see the red-headed girl first, and even then what the two would appear afterwards. And it wasn't long before an auburn-haired girl came along. Then there appeared two gray horses, and in more minutes more, until the crest-fallen erudite gentleman became convinced that red-headed females and white horses are about as inseparable as were the celebrated Siamese twins. THE TATTLER.

Injured by the Cars.

Adam Utzinger, a blacksmith on Emily street, North Plainfield, went to Newark yesterday, where he made some purchases, and when he got ready to return he went to the Broad street station to take a train for his home. By some mistake he got on the New York side of the station, and upon noticing his error crossed the track to board the right train, and was dragged for some distance before he was thrown off striking his head and inflicting a deep gash. He also received injuries to the body. He carried two bundles and before attempting to get aboard the train he threw them on the platform of the car. One of them rolled off and was recovered, but the other is still missing. Mr. Utzinger came home by a later train, and appeared very weak from the loss of blood.

*—The three signs of a counterfeit coin are not often heeded by a careless public. A bad piece of silver has a hollow ring, or light weight, or an imperfect ring. If these characteristics were fully learned, counterfeiters would soon be discouraged in trying to pass imperfect money.

LATEST DISPATCHES.

THE NEWS controls the services of the American Press Association and the United Press, and is the only paper published in this section that possesses a Telegraphic News Franchise.

Thermometer Record.

The following is the record of the thermometer for the 24 hours ending at 7 o'clock this morning, as kept at Sadler's drug store, corner of Front street and Park avenue.

	1886	1887		
6 a. m.	67	69	Sun rises	4.43
9 a. m.	75	79	Sun sets	7.36
12 m.	83	85	Moon rises	0.42
3 p. m.	84	84	Moon sets	

Weather Indications.

For Saturday, in New Jersey, eastern new York and eastern Pennsylvania, and in New England, warmer, fair weather, with southerly winds.

Dropped Dead in the Exchange.

NEW YORK, July 15.—A. V. Hill, the Vice-President of the Stock Exchange, dropped dead this afternoon in the Exchange. Out of respect to his memory the Exchange was adjourned over to 10 o'clock to morrow morning.

The Red Hot Term.

BLOOMINGTON, Ill., July 15.—Central Illinois is experiencing the most intense heat known in this section for many years, and it has been reported unbearable by the long drought. Yesterday was the third day of the red hot term and the thermometer all day stood above 100 in the shade, as it did the two previous days. The crops are suffering greatly, and in some places they are badly "fired."

A Sad Accident.

RACINE, Wis., July 15.—Three children of August Williamson, aged eight, ten and twelve years, residing in the town of Mount Pleasant, were set on fire by a powder explotion last night. The men of the family were in a field practicing with a rifle. The children were playing with firecrackers near a box containing powder, which exploded, blowing the children several feet. Their hands, faces and heads were seriously burned. The clothing of the youngest caught fire, and in order to extinguish the flames the child was plunged in a tub of water. The little one died, but the two elder children will recover, though one may be blind.

Three Large Fires.

PHILADELPHIA, July 15.—Louis Bergdoll Company's brewery was burned this morning. Loss $115,000; fully insured. The brewery will be rebuilt.

BATH, Me., July 15.—Fire was discovered this morning in the New England Shipping Yard. Three vessels and all the buildings were burned. Loss over $100,000.

MONTREAL, July 15.—The St. Lawrence sugar refinery was destroyed by fire here this morning. Loss $250,000. One man was killed and two fatally injured by jumping through a window.

Sharp Very Despondent.

NEW YORK, July 15.—Jacob Sharp takes his sentence of four years in Sing Sing, for bribing ex-Alderman Fullgraff, very hard. He is completely broken down. From his return from the Court of Oyer and Terminer up to the time of his retiring, at nine o'clock last night, he sat in his easy chair, with his head resting on his hands. Silent and morose he sat there as the hours slowly passed by. He presented a perfect picture of despair. Not a word escaped his lips. Neither did he by sign or act manifest the slightest indication as to what his gloomy thoughts were.

The first break in his meditations came at about seven o'clock, when Mrs. Sharp placed before him a tempting meal of soft-boiled eggs and milk. He partook of one of the former and drank a little of the milk. Mrs. Sharp also suffers very much. She has not been by his side as much since his return from court as before. This is due to her being confined to bed while she has to feed him and go to an adjoining room, where she has recourse to that great relief to a woman's troubles and pent-up feelings—a good cry. Even when with him her lips are all of a tremble, and now and then the tears course silently down her aged cheeks. As Warden Keating said to-day, it is indeed a sad sight to witness her grief and sorrow and enough to unman even the stoutest heart.

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Death Roll.

Edwin Booth, a colored child, seven months old died Wednesday, from an attack of cholera infantum.

Frankie, the seven months old child of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Stevens died Wednesday from cholera infantum.

John R. Miller, aged seventy-eight years died Wednesday at his home between Scotch Plains and Westfield from consumption.

The funeral of Adelaide M., the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Whitely of North avenue, who died Wednesday from cholera infantum, took place this morning at half-past two o'clock.

William L. Jones, of Seventh street and Park avenue died this morning shortly after midnight, of paralysis. Mr. Jones had been a sufferer for about a year and was confined to his bed for ten days. Deceased was seventy-three years old and was born in Wales. He came to this county about fifty years ago. He was very wealthy and owned considerable property in this city. He was well-known here, having resided in Plainfield about twenty-two years. Deceased was an uncle of G. W. F. Smalley, the London correspondent of the New York Tribune. He was very intimate with Mayor Male and Evan Jones. A wife and daughter survive him. The funeral will take place at his late residence Sunday afternoon. The body will be placed in the receiving vault at the Hillside cemetery on Monday.

Receiving Boards of Education.

The present system of the government of the public schools of Plainfield is almost unique. Five persons are elected to the people and constitute the Board of Education. This Board has practically absolute power over the whole matter of taxation, erection of school houses, employment of instructors; it not being required to submit to the concurrence or approval of any city authorities whatsoever.

The Board fix the amount of tax to be raised and are limited by general law to one half of one per cent tax on all taxable property. The amount so fixed upon, the Board certify to the Common Council. It is then made mandatory for the latter body to order the tax assessed and collected by the City Assessor and Collector. Until recently the expense of this assessment and collection was borne by the city. Now the Board of Education pays its share of the expense of assessing and collecting taxes. The money collected does not go into the city treasury but is paid over by the City Collector to the credit of the Board of Education, in the banks of the city.

In all intents and purposes, the School Board is a private corporation, having its own counsel and holding its meetings in its private rooms, although it is not known that the public are excluded from such meetings.

The high character and ability of the school trustees in the past has resulted in placing the public schools of Plainfield in the front rank of the schools of this State, and the management of the schools has been such as to inspire the public with confidence.

Should the time ever come, however, when the Board of Education ceases to be a body representing the best people and highest interests of Plainfield, the people of the city might avail themselves of a law passed May 11th, 1886, the existence of which very few people are aware of.

Sections 5 and 6 of this law are as follows:

Section 5. Such council or legislative body shall also have the power to establish a Board of Education, to consist of seven members, to be appointed by said council or legislative body for such terms as may be fixed by said council or legislative body; and such Board of Education when established shall have all power now vested in school trustees or any board having charge of education in said city, and shall have power to choose a city superintendent, define his duties and fix compensation not to exceed one thousand dollars per annum, and his or her in office shall not exceed three years; provided that the terms of the members of the Board of Education first appointed by the act, and vote for its adoption before it becomes the governing law of the city.

Westfield Military Company.

Westfield's military company met Friday evening. E. K. Adams, jr., of Cranford, declined the Second Lieutenancy, and Dr. F. A. Kisch, jr., of Westfield was elected in his place. The following non-commissioned officers were elected: First Sergeant, R. P. Moore; Second Sergeant, L. F. Lightfoot; Third Sergeant, C. P. Wilcox; Fourth Sergeant, A. N. Pierson; Fifth Sergeant, W. H. B. Du Bois; First Corporal, C. A. Behman, Second Corporal, Lazyn Moore; Third Corporal, William Sidell; Fourth Corporal, Harry Harden; Fifth Corporal, Theo. Ward. Adjt. Mandeville was present and addressed the company.

Capture of a Horse Thief.

After many thefts of valuable horses in several sections of Raritan township, Middlesex county, Constable Mahlon Soger, of Metuchen, managed to effect an arrest at one a. m. yesterday. When taken before Justice Stout, the prisoner gave his name as Robert Depew, and said he lived in Elizabeth. Depew who is now under other aliases, stoutly claimed his innocence when taken to the jail at New Brunswick, and demanded to be tried at once. Depew is charged with stealing a fine horse from the stable of Frank B. Noonan, on Tuesday night, and the animal was captured with the thief.

Rules for Bathers.

As these are the days when every well conducted journal prints a number of rules in regard to bathing, for the benefit of its readers, THE NEWS presents a few with the devout hope that they may be the means of saving life. There are only ten of them and they are from the pen of the editor of the Trenton Times:

1. Always wear a bathing suit. You will experience much less trouble by taking this precaution.

2. When you have once entered the water carefully abstain from drowning. It only creates a sensation on the beach.

3. Never drink intoxicating liquor while in the water. The finny tribe are not enamored of whisky-soaked bait.

4. Always endeavor to keep cool while in the water. It is an inconvenient place to be overcome by the heat.

5. Do not make an unnatural antipathy to water don't enter it. Water is really dangerous to some people in any form.

6. If you are such a pen-n and fool-hardy enough to take a bath be careful to avoid getting any of it in your mouth. Fatal consequences might ensue.

7. Do not remain in the water more than half an hour. Some people are slow swimmers.

8. Take excellent care of yourself if you are an expert swimmer. You are in much more danger than the novice. Cramps come on a stroke. We have the statistics at hand to prove this.

9. Always dress when you leave the water and enter the bath house. It is the customary thing.

10. Take these rules into the water with you. They may be of vast service in more than one contingency.

Granted a Divorce.

On Monday last, July 11, Chancellor McGill granted a divorce to William H. Sault, plaintiff in the case of William H. Sault against Frances Sault. The divorce was applied for on the ground of adultery on the part of the defendant. The decision was rendered by the chancellor on the report of Special Master in Chancery, E. S. Atwater, who took the testimony in the case last May. Messrs. Gilbody & Marsh were the attorneys for Mr. Sault, and Judge Depue defended the latter. Upon the chancellor's decision being rendered, Mrs. Sault's maiden name was Grier, and she formerly resided in Plainfield.

PERSONAL.

Madam Alberti of this city is stopping at the Grand Central Hotel, Asbury Park.

Mr. P. J. Voorhees of this city is registered at the Grand avenue Hotel, Asbury Park.

James W. Jackson, of Crescent avenue is at Asbury Park and stopping at the Metropolitan Hotel.

Arthur W. Pigeon, of Westfield, was registered at the Atlantic House, Asbury Park, yesterday.

Mr. P. B. Matthews, and Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Yates of this city are registered at the Hotel Brevlin, Ocean Grove.

Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Ross, of 29 La Grande avenue will leave next Wednesday for a three weeks' trip to Canaan, Maine.

James Brokaw is building a two story addition to his residence on Park street, and furnishing it with all modern improvements.

The names of Mr. P. B. Matthews and Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Yates appear among the list of guests at the Hotel Brevlin, Lake Hopatcong.

Whitfield Angleman will assume editorial charge of the Pine Hill Sentinel, a paper published in the Catskill mountains, during the month of August.

Mrs. C. B. Clifton, corner of Second street and Madison avenue, starts to-morrow for Patchogue, L. I., to be gone during the balance of the summer.

The reception to Rev. Dr. Ketcham by the Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor will be held in the lecture room of the First Presbyterian church to-night.

At the residence of Master Louis Hummer, corner of Somerset street and Linden avenue, yesterday afternoon, a number of young friends assembled to enjoy a lawn party. Refreshments were served and a good time generally was enjoyed by the children.

Rev. Wm. R. Honeyman, of North Plainfield, will preach on Sunday next. Miss Dr. DeHart, the able practising physician of Jersey City, and a sister of Mrs. Honeyman, to A. B. Furnell, a mechanical engineer of the same city. The ceremony took place at Dover.

Wallace V. Miller, a brother of J. B. Miller of the proprietor of Laing's Hotel, ruptured a blood vessel in his lungs last night and has confined to his bed. He was having some sport with two or three companions over a watermelon and over-exerted himself causing the mishap. Dr. Hedges is attending him and he is much improved to-day.

George W. Mead, a New Brunswick journalist and a graduate of Rutgers, will to-morrow assume reportorial charge of THE NEWS. Mr. Morris has had considerable experience as a newspaper writer and comes to Plainfield highly recommended. During the three years he lived in New Brunswick he made a host of friends. He will undoubtedly be well received by the hospitable people of Plainfield. He is a native of Montclair, N. J., and was on the eve of a summer's vacation when secured by THE NEWS.

The party of gentlemen, composed of Messrs. Shaffer, Vanderbeck, Thorn, Rockfeller and Hoagland, of the Board of Freeholders, that went to South Amboy on a fishing trip yesterday, returned last night in good shape. After arriving in town the roll was called, and every man answered to his name, or induced some other fellow to do it for him. Subsequently the party visited the catch amounted to forty or fifty fish of various kinds. They had a good time and fully enjoyed the trip. It is said that Lieutenant-Governor Bedle and Sheriff Wilson, an illustrated article about the trip.

The Rahway Mystery.

Another new clue to the famous Rahway mystery came to light yesterday. Steven Perkins, well known Custom House officer of New Brunswick, says he thinks he saw the unknown dead girl in life. The person he has reference to used to call at his general delivery window and ask for letters directed to Katie M. Noesy. Perkins further states that he used to see the girl in question in the company with a man named Timothy Byrne, who frequently inquired for letters in that name. It will be remembered that a letter addressed to Byrne was found on a rubber stamp in the dead girl's satchel.

William Mandeville, a clerk in Alexander Stewart Baker's grocery in Milton, the scene of the Rahway murder was treated to a mouthful of bathing, for the benefit of his friends Koron, Mayor J. J. Daly, and Chief of Police William Tooker. They took him into the outskirts of Rahway and administered a ducking that would have done credit to Judge Lynch. Mandeville was charged with stealing a watch and $5 in money from the residence of Mark Keefe, who says he identified the egg basket found beside the body of the dead girl as one he had seen old Mrs. Sarah Baker standing in her son's store about a month before the murder. On the morning of the discovery Keefe alleged in his affidavit Byrnes had him that the basket was the same one that Mrs. Baker had owned.

Byrnes denied that he saw or spoke to Keefe on the day the body was found, and said further that he never saw the basket at Baker's. The police took Byrnes's statement in the form of an affidavit, and dropped him at the Rahway station at half past eight.

There were two rumors in Rahway yesterday. One was that Billy Byrnes had left Rahway, and the other that the murdered girl had slept for three nights previous to her death in a barn in Woodbridge.

Information from New Brunswick concerning Perkins is to the effect that he has been an inmate of the Morris County Asylum for some time and was only recently released. He was a clerk in the post office there for a number of years and was taken to the asylum over two years ago.

The Bicycle Case Settled.

A remarkable case was decided yesterday at Elizabeth, in the District Court before Judge Gilhooly. It was the third trial of the suit of Fox against Sylvester for damages sustained by the former's boy in being struck by a bicycle ridden by Sylvester's son Edward while riding his bicycle on the evening of Oct. 5, 1886. As the previous trials had resulted in disagreements, a jury had been specially picked from Elizabethport's citizens. Sylvester swore he was not the party that struck the boy and attempted to set up an alibi to prove that he was on his way to New York at the time. The jury, however, took a different view and rendered a verdict for the plaintiff for $250. Sylvester followed the lawyer, Coger, after the accident, to Mrs. Fox, and offered to settle the case by paying her $25. Mrs. Fox refused the offer, explaining that by saying that he would never lose that amount in court. The jury, however, took a different view and rendered a verdict for the plaintiff for $250. Sylvester followed the lawyer, Coger, an absence of half an hour the jury brought in a verdict of $250, and Sylvester paid the amount.

"STATE NOTES.

The cornerstone of the Methodist Episcopal church, at Belvidere, was laid yesterday, with imposing ceremonies. Address were made by Hon. Thos. N. Butts and Whitney. The church is to cost $30,000.

Charles D. McLane, a Long Branch paper hanger and painter, has a battery, supplies, and an assignment to ex-Judge William Wilson was executed yesterday. His indebtedness is estimated at from $6,000 to $8,000. The creditors are mostly New-Yorkers. McLane will pay about 50 per cent.

Robert S. Dunham, of Long Branch, who was forced by the city authorities to close up his pool room on Broadway, went to Freehold yesterday and made a complaint before the State authorities against Philip Daly, proprietor of the elegant gambling establishment opposite the West End Hotel.

Joseph Young, 14 years of age, son of Adolf Young, of Elizabeth, died of lockjaw in Elizabeth Hospital yesterday morning. He was shot in the hand with a toy pistol on July 4. Willie Reid, the 11-year old son of David G. Reid, died Monday of lockjaw, the result of a similar wound in the hand received on July 4.

The sixth day of the Sunday-school Assembly was opened at Ocean Grove yesterday by a praise meeting, conducted by and girls in "The Last of the Judges." The devotional hour was occupied by the noiseless meeting in the Tabernacle, led by the young people's meeting in the Temple. Mr. Yatman's topic was "Christ, our Mediator." The subjects of the normal class lessons by Rev. Sprague Canada and History of the English Bible," "The Doctrines of Christ" and "Practical Instruction in Class Management" by Rev. Dr. Foreign tour to Paris was conducted by Mrs. Cree, of Brooklyn. The evening lecture was delivered by C. C. Bolton, esq., on "Landed of the Midnight Sun." The lecture was illustrated with stereopticon views.

A Bad Man Released.

[From the Somerset Gazette.]

Charles Quinn was released from the State Prison by the Court of Pardons on Thursday last. This is the man who stole a horse in this county, from a peddler, was arrested and tried here in 1882 and sentenced to 10 years imprisonment. While awaiting trial in jail he assaulted a fellow prisoner, and during the melee, which occurred when the officers tried to quell the riot, he shot and wounded Deputy Sheriff Conover and Officer Kitchen, and also made an attempt on the life of the present Deputy Sheriff, L. D. Vanderveer. He afterward escaped from jail, but was arrested after a few days and shortly after tried and convicted. A new act making the records of the Court of Pardons having been passed, it would be interesting to know by what sort of influence this hardened criminal secured a pardon before serving half his sentence. The Court of Pardons might have been engaged in better business.

The State Dental Society.

The seventeenth annual session of the New Jersey Dental Society will convene at Ocean Grove, on Tuesday next, July 19th, and will be the President's address. There will also be some crown and bridge work and papers read by Dr. Taft, of Dunellen; Dr. D. S. Fluhing, L. I., and Frank M. Odell, D. D. S., New York.

On Thursday morning papers will be read on "Treatment of Deciduous Teeth" by the following gentlemen: G. Carleton Brown, D. D. S., New York; C. N. Peirce, D. D. S., New York; C. A. Marvin, D. D. S., Brooklyn.

Besides the above there will also be clinical exhibitions. The society will continue in session several days.

BOUND BROOK.

Mrs. R. H. Brokaw was recently made the recipient of a handsome diamond pearl card case. It was a present from a class of 10 boys whom she had been instructing in vocal music. The presentation speech was made by Benjamin DeMott.

Thursday was the time set for the sale of the new bridge over the Raritan by the Board of Freeholders. The committee met several contractors on the ground that day, but as none of the bidders were willing to put in their bids, the awarding of the contract was postponed.

Died.

MILLER—At Fanwood, on Wednesday, July 13th, 1887, John R. Miller in the 78th year of his age.

Relatives and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral services from the Methodist church, Fanwood, on Saturday, July 16th inst., at 2 o'clock p. m.

CLARK—In this city, on Thursday, July 14th, 1887, Frederick P. Clark in the 72nd year of his age.

Relatives and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral services from his late residence, 108 East Front street on Monday 18th inst., at 11 o'clock a. m.

Cent-a-Word Column.

A RESPECTABLE woman wants a situation to cook, wash and iron. Call at the corner of Sixth and Richmond streets.

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FOR SALE—A few desirable lots on Spooner avenue corner Division street, cheap. Also a number of lots in neighborhood of Grant avenue station. T. T. Vail, agent opp. R. R. station Plainfield. 7-14-4w

FURNISHED ROOMS to let, with or without board, at No. 11 West Second street.

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TWO boats for sale cheap. Corner Central Avenue and Wilmington street. 14-2

WANTED to purchase a milch cow. Dr. Morse, 16 Hillside.

WANTED—A reliable woman to cook, help wash and iron. 10 East Fifth street. 15-2

WANTED—girl for general housework in small family; good wages. Dr. Canman 39 Somerset street. 14-3t

50,000 celery plants, Hastetown's and Dwarf Giant, for sale cheap. Also late cabbage and greenhouse plants in variety at Denton's, Hillside avenue. 29-18

TO THE PUBLIC

It having been brought to the notice of the Committee of Arrangements that some person with evident intent to injure the Excursion, has been circulating a libelous report that there would be no stands on the

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AN ORDINANCE

Concerning Dogs.

The Inhabitants of the City of Plainfield, by their Common Council, do ordain as follows:

SECTION 1. That no dog, not in charge of its keeper, shall be allowed to run at large within the city of Plainfield, unless a collar with a discernment mode shall be placed over the mouth of such dog by the owner or keeper, or such other impediment may be used as may be deemed sufficient and any person who shall permit such dog to run at large contrary to the provisions of this section shall be liable to a penalty of not less than two dollars nor more than five dollars, to be recovered by a suit not exceeding ten dollars before any officer.

SEC. 2. That there shall be established for the purpose of impounding dogs not muzzled as required by the first section of this ordinance, or at large, a dog pound, to be in charge of a dog catcher, who shall be appointed by the Mayor, subject to the approval of the Common Council, and suitable persons shall also be specially appointed by the Mayor, from time to time, as may be necessary, to assist the said dog catcher in the performance of his duties, which shall be found running at large in the streets of the city of Plainfield, without a muzzle as required by the first section of this ordinance, may be seized and shut up in the pound established by the dog catcher, and the owner of such dog shall be entitled to receive as compensation for the same the sum of one dollar, to be paid by the owner of such dog delivered by him to the pound-master, and in addition thereto the sum of fifty cents per day or fraction of any day other than the day of seizure, as are not redeemed as required in section four, he shall cause to be killed, and the owner of such dog shall be entitled to receive the sum of one dollar for each dog killed by the dog catcher, and the sum of fifty cents per day or fraction of a day for their keep, as aforesaid.

SEC. 3. That all dogs delivered to the pound-master by the dog catcher shall be kept by the pound-master for the space of three days from the time of delivery, and if not redeemed by the owner or keeper thereof, as provided in section two of this ordinance, shall be killed by the dog catcher, and the pound-master shall receive as compensation for his services the sum of fifty cents for each dog killed by the dog catcher, and the dog catcher shall receive as compensation for his services the sum of one dollar for each dog killed by him, and the same shall be paid out of the treasury of the city of Plainfield, upon the warrant of the Mayor, countersigned by the City Clerk.

SEC. 4. That all ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent herewith be and the same are hereby repealed.

Adopted July 5, 1887.
Approved July 6, 1887.

JOB MALE, Mayor.
Attest—O. B. LEONARD, City Clerk.

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SPORTING MATTERS.

The Record of Baseball Games and Their Events.

Ball games yesterday: At Boston—Detroit, 7; Boston, 4. At Washington—Washington, 3; Pittsburg, 3. At St. Louis—St. Louis, 6; Brooklyn, 4. At Louisville—Metropolitan, 18; Louisville, 9. At Cincinnati—Cincinnati, 3; Athletic, 2. At Cleveland—Baltimore, 5; Cleveland, 2. At Buffalo—Buffalo, 10; Rochester, 0. At Utica—Utica, 13; Scranton, 6. At Danbury—Danbury, 23; New Haven, 12. At Hartford—Hartford, 12; Waterbury, 4. At Meriden—Meriden, 16; Binghampton, 9. At Newark—Newark, 9; Chicago, 4. At Hamilton, Ont—Toronto, 8 Hamilton, 7.

NEW YORK, July 15.—The attendance at the Monmouth Park races yesterday was very large. The contests were close and exciting. First race, free handicap, three-quarters of a mile; Dunboyne first, Gardey second, Milton third; time, 1.16½. Second race, for 3-year olds, three-quarters of a mile; Bay Ridge first, Tristan second, Billy Brown third; time, 1.18. Third race, the Monmouth Cup, mile and three-quarters; Troubadour first, The Bard second; time, 3.04. Fourth race, free handicap, mile and a sixteenth; Jim Gaffney first, Rhoderick second, Adrian third; time, 1.51½. Fifth race, purse, one mile; Young Duke first, Susie Parks second, Windsail third; time, 1.46. Sixth race, handicap, steeplechase, about one course; Harborough first, Jim McGowan second, Mystic third; time, 3.06.

BUFFALO, July 15.—*First race*, three-quarters of a mile; Cassie first, Glenhall second, Keller Kain third; time, 1.16. *Second race*, three-quarters of a mile; Little Minch first, Egmont second, Eva K. third; time, 1.15. *Third race*, mile and an eighth; Leman first, Lonelight second, Ten Times third; time, 1.57½. *Fourth race*, the Quickstep stakes, half a mile; Graceland first, Van Leland second, Emperor of Norfolk third; time, 48½. *Fifth race*, one mile; Bob Mack first, Irish Pat second, others distanced; time, 1.43. 1.44. *Sixth race*, five-eighths of a mile; Glen Fortune first, Elmira second, Colonel Gay third; time, 1.04.

BUFFALO, July 15.—At the special meeting of the International Base Ball league at the Genesee house, this city, yesterday, the following rules were recommended: Scranton, Utica, Syracuse, Rochester, Hamilton, Newark, Binghamton and Buffalo. President Frank T. Gilbert presided, and C. D. White, secretary, read the minutes of last meeting. The routine business was disposed of. Manager Dahlke, of the Utica club, expressed himself as willing to take chances for the rest of the season to see if he could not get square with Dinan and Cox. It was the subject of congratulation that Barr has been signed by the Rochesters. The Newark and Jersey City clubs were censured for playing exhibition games on Sunday, in violation of the rule, and the umpires' salary was increased from $200 to $250 per month.

NEW YORK, July 15.—A fiercely contested glove fight between Tom Doran, of Yonkers, and Pat Farley, of Brooklyn, took place early yesterday morning, about thirty miles up the Sound, near Throg's Neck. Farley and Mitchell fought. The battle was a terrible one and lasted two hours and fifty-six minutes, during which forty-four rounds were fought. Both men were badly punished. When the fight was becoming most interesting the police boat Patrol came along. The lookers on took to the woods and Doran's seconds scampered off, not before the fight, however, was declared a draw. A purpose of $500 was dignified. About 100 sporting men, principally New Yorkers and Brooklynites, were present.

DUBLIN, July 15.—In the cricket match yesterday between the home team and the Canadians, the former scored 319 in the first inning. The Canadians quit with 90 and one wicket down in the first inning.

TRADE BULLETIN.

New York Money and Produce Market Quotations.

NEW YORK, July 14.—Money closed at ½ per cent., the highest rate for the day. The lowest was 2 per cent. Exchange closed steady; posted rates, 4.83½@4.85; actual rates, 4.83¼@4.83¾ for sixty days and 4.86¼@4.86¾ for demand. Government bonds closed firm; currency 6's held at, coup. 127¾ bid; 4½s, do. 108¾ bid.

After 12 o'clock the market steadily strengthened to the close on an active buying of some of the leading stocks. Prices recovered the decline between the hours of 11 and 12, and at the close were from ¼ to 1¼ per cent above the closing of last night. Chicago, St. Louis and Pittsburg preferred was exceptionally strong, advancing 2 per cent.

General Markets.

NEW YORK, July 14.—FLOUR—Closed quiet but steady; No. 2 low extra, $2.15@2.40; Minnesota do., $2.50@3.10; city mill extra, $3.10@4.30 for West Indies; Ohio extra, $3.15@4.50; southern closed steady; common to choice extra, $3.25@4.

WHEAT—Options were only moderately active, but generally ½ lower; No. 2 red, cash and July, ½ lower. Spot lots closed weak and ½@¾ lower. Spot sales of No. 1 red state at 93@93½; No. 2 red, 92½@93; No. 3 red, 85@90; ungraded red, 90@95c. No. 2 red winter, July, 89½@90c; do., Aug., 91@91½c; do., Sept., 92½@93c; do., Oct., 94½@95c.

CORN—Options were firm and moderately active, closing ½@¾c higher; spot lots sales of No. 2 mixed at the quoted rates; No. 2 mixed, Aug., 49@49½c; do., Sept., 49½@50c.

OATS—Options were more active and prices firm, closing ½@¾c higher. Spot lots closed firm and ½@¾c higher. Spot sales of No. 2 white state at 40c; No. 2 do., 39½c; No. 3 do., 37½c; mixed, July, 38½@39c; do., Aug., 32½@33c.

RYE—Dull; state, 60@62c; western, 58@59c.

BARLEY—Nominal.

PORK—Firm. $10@10.50 for old and new mess.

LARD—Closed quiet but firm; cash, $6.96; Aug., $6.91; Sept., $7.08.

BUTTER—Quiet and unchanged in price, receiving creamery, 20@26c; western creamery, 10@20c.

CHEESE—Dull and weak; state, 8½@9c, the latter for fancy colored; night skims, 3½@4½c.

EGGS—Dull, quiet and weak; state, 16c; western, 12½@15½c.

SUGAR—Raw, nominally; fair refining, 4 7-16c; Muscovado, 3 15-16c; centrifugal, 96 test, 4 15-16c; molasses sugar, 3 13-16c; refined steady on good demand; cut loaf and crushed, 6¾@7 1-16c; cubes, 6¾@6¾c; powdered, 6 15-16c; granulated, 6½c; mould A, 6 15-16c; confectioners' A, 6¾c; coffee A, standard, 6 5-8c; coffee off A, 6¼@6 3-8c; white extra C, 6 3-8@6 7-16c; C, 6@6 1-16c; yellow, 5½@6c.

FOUR YEARS FOR SHARP

HE IS ALSO TO PAY A FINE OF FIVE THOUSAND DOLLARS.

Judge Barrett, in Imposing Sentence, Tells the Prisoner that He and Kerr Are Impenitent Thieves—A Stay Granted by Judge Potter.

NEW YORK, July 15.—Jacob Sharp was sentenced by Judge Barrett, shortly before 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon, to imprisonment at hard labor in Sing Sing for four years, and to pay a fine of $5,000. The sentence was tacked on to the end of a searching address, which brought tears into the eyes of the convict's faithful wife. Judge Barrett told Sharp that he and Kerr and Foshay were thieves as well as bribe givers, and that Sharp, with a million in his pocket obtained by theft and bribery, and with no sign of repentance or restitution, had little ground on which to seek for mercy.

A crowd impeded Sharp's movements almost from the early morning hour when he awoke. After the exertion of attending court on Wednesday he slept much better than usual. It was nearly 9 o'clock before he struggled from his bed and put on the old suit of light colored clothes which he has worn almost constantly for nearly a year. He ate a little breakfast with apparent enjoyment. A crowd collected to see him leave the jail. Warden Keating supported him on one side, and Deputy Sheriff Curran on the other on the way to the carriage. *Sharp's legs supported him badly*, and his heavy head rolled about. His under lip had dropped, and his expressionless eyes stared straight ahead without seeming to see anything. He was almost lifted into the coach.

Mrs. Sharp, dressed in the same sombre clothes that she wore on Wednesday, and with the large diamonds flashing in her ears, seated herself by his side. The warden and deputy sheriff got in, and the carriage drove off.

Its appearance in Chambers street was the signal for the gathering of a mighty crowd that blocked the steps and sidewalks and overflowed on the grass. A path was opened with difficulty, and the old prisoner, leaning heavily on the arms of his supporters, passed slowly under the massive entrance and disappeared in the sheriff's office. The court room was already chock full. The only Sharp juror present was Juror No. 1, Irving. It was a few minutes before noon when Mr. Sharp appeared, supported by the deputy sheriffs. He was almost carried in, and sank into his accustomed seat at the end of his counsel's table. He threw his arms on the table and buried his face in them. His wife sat down by his side and vigorously fanned him, while Peter Mitchell excited the air on the other side.

All the counsel for the defense were present except Judge Fullerton. Judge Barrett came to court with his face yellow and drawn from his bilious attack.

Judge Nelson made a motion for a new trial, and the motion was denied, and then District Attorney Martine said:

"The defendant, Jacob Sharp, has been convicted of bribery, and it now becomes my duty to ask the court to impose sentence. Because of the *allegations made regarding* Mr. Sharp's health, it became necessary for me to give the court all the information I could on this point."

Mr. Martine read two certificates prepared by Drs. Hamilton and Janeway, who said that Sharp was suffering from an affection of the heart, with a suggestion of phthisis. Dr. Hamilton had inspected the hospital in Sing Sing prison, and reported that it was a fine, clean place, with plenty of fresh air and pure milk.

Judge Nelson made an appeal for mercy, and then Chief Clerk Sparks asked of Sharp: "What have you now to say why sentence shall not be pronounced against you?"

Mr. Sharp raised his head, his eyes moved restlessly about, and his lips moved. Two court officers seized him and tried to raise him to his feet, but Judge Barrett said that he might keep his seat, and he sank back heavily into his chair. His head fell forward as Judge Barrett began to speak. Mrs. Sharp and Peter Mitchell vigorously fanned him.

Judge Barrett then proceeded to impose the sentence, giving an elaborate review of the crime, and concluded: "My conclusion is, and this is the judgment of the court, that this defendant be confined at hard labor in the state prison for a period of four years and be fined $5,000."

As the sentenced was pronounced Mr. Sharp raised his head quickly and looked at Judge Barrett. His expression was brighter than it has been for days, there was a sparkle in his eyes, and he looked as though he fully realized the situation and was agreeably disappointed.

A rush was made for the doors by the crowd, but quiet was restored after a sharp struggle, and then Mr. Barrett addressed about 20 lawyers. The audience were afraid their client would be locked up in the Tombs, but the judge refused to discuss this matter, saying it was a question which must be decided by the sheriff. Mr. Sharp was assisted down the flight of stairs to the sheriff's office. He sat in Under-Sheriff Sexton's room, and for a few minutes seemed to recover somewhat from his lethargy. His wife leaned over him, wiping his forehead and fanning him. His son-in-law, John H. Solmes, supported him until he recovered himself.

Sheriff Grant was immediately besieged by Mr. Sharp's lawyers, who begged him not to send the prisoner to the Tombs. The sheriff hunted up Judge Barrett and learned from him that it was in his power to lodge Mr. Sharp where he pleased. It was nearly 5 o'clock before Mr. Sharp was put in his coach, which whirled him away in the face of a curious crowd. Sheriff Grant said that Mr. Sharp would be permitted to remain in Ludlow street jail.

Lawyers Stickney, Mitchell and Nelson began an earnest effort to secure a stay of proceedings. They found Judge Potter in a private house. Mr. Sharp was with him, and Judge Barrett after he had denied an informal motion for a stay, but he had gone before Judge Potter. He granted a temporary stay until Monday. This will keep Mr. Sharp in town for several days longer, and it is understood that counsel will move for a permanent stay until an appeal can be argued before the general term in October should not be granted. Judge Potter will hear the argument in chambers to-day or to-morrow.

Judge Barrett is reported as saying that he will try no more of the boodle cases, and that the opinion he expressed yesterday about Kerr's guilt would make it improper for him to try that case at any rate.

Judge Potter refused bail yesterday in the case of ex-Alderman O'Neil to the court of appeals from the judgment of the general term of the supreme court affirming his conviction of bribery.

The Charter Refused.

PITTSBURG, July 15.—The members of the new iron workers' district, Knights of Labor, in this city, have received a letter from Secretary Litchman of the general board, stating that the charter demanded by the new district of the iron and steel workers has been refused.

THE QUINN-SIMONS RACES.

Three Heats Run Yesterday and Two Will Be Decided To-Day.

WORCESTER, Mass., July 14.—The final heat of the single scull race between Tommy Hamm and Lee yesterday was a tame one, hardly amounting to a contest. The race was rowed in two heats, and Lee, after the second all the way. Tommy and Hamm were well together at the start, but Tommy soon took the lead, and maintained it to the end of the race, finishing in 20:47, the fastest time and he Hamm pass him. He then began to exert himself and caught Hamm, passing him a half mile from where Hamm had been left behind. Tommy finished four miles in 38:21: Hamm, 39:23; Lee half a mile behind. Tommy could have done better had he found it necessary.

The double scull race was quite interesting. Hosmer, who had been ill, was feeling better and decided to take part, making five contestants. Ross footed McKay some the start and got away first, but McKay rowed around him and took the lead. Hosmer passed McKay at the three-quarter mile. Ross fell back. Hosmer turned the third mile in in 30:46, Ross second, Conley third, Conley third, McKay last. The finish was in this order: Hosmer, 38:33; Tenyck, 39:01; Ross, 39:18; McKay, 39:19; Conley, 39:21.

Tenyck and Hosmer attached the boats of Ross and Lee for debt. A match is on between Tenyck and Lee for $300 or $500, to be rowed here in September.

THE WOMAN CAN GO,

But Van Hoyst Wants His Child and His Victim.

NEW YORK, July 15.—Jules Van Dooren, of Antwerp, whom the authorities here asked to arrest, for stealing 20,000 florins ($30,000) from John Van Heyst, arrived at Jersey City on the steamship Westernland yesterday morning. He was registered as Van J. Verdangen, and was accompanied by a woman and child, the wife and daughter of Van Heyst, whom it is claimed he took with him at the time of the alleged theft. The sheriff found nothing worth attaching in Van Dooren's luggage. Van Hoyst wants the child and the florins.

Later arrivals: Van Dooren, the woman and her child were driven from Taylor's hotel by a circuitous route to the New Jersey Railroad station. They boarded a train bound for Philadelphia, Pa., but they bought no tickets, so it was left for the detective who followed them into the car to find out where they were going. All Van Dooren's baggage is still at the hotel. The last period of the abandoned husband will make an effort to have the couple arrested on a charge of adultery.

A Boy's Voyage on a Trunk.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., July 15.—One of the most severe rainstorms ever seen here came up Wednesday afternoon. A cloud burst on the mountain south west of the town in Scarsora, and within half an hour the town was almost flooded. Most of the damage was done in Negales. In Sonora five houses were washed away and one child was drowned. Mrs. Martine and her son, about twelve years, when his mother's house was swept away, attempted to hold a trunk and was taken down with the current. Though the current was swift he held on. After the storm subsided a large party went out and found him alive five miles from town.

Charged with Infanticide.

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Traced Clear from Shanghai.

CHICAGO, July 15.—William H. W. Markham, assistant paymaster of the British war ship Shannon, was arrested yesterday in Kansas City on the charge of having forged the name of a superior officer for amounts aggregating $75,000. Under the name of Gaylor he has been acting as agent in Kansas City for an insurance company. It is alleged that in Shanghai, China, early in 1886, he fell in with an American adventuress known as Gussie Bland, who had arrived from San Francisco and was traveling under the name of Mrs. De Forest, and that she was the cause of Markham's downfall. He was traced by Scotland Yard detectives.

National Educational Association.

CHICAGO, July 15.—Central Music hall was crowded yesterday at the session of the National Educational association. The report of the committee on the nomination of officers was presented, as president, Aaron Cove, of Colorado; as secretary, James H. Canfield, of Kansas; as treasurer, Edwin C. Hewett, of Illinois; as first vice president, William E. Sheldon, of Massachusetts. Essays were read by Dr. Angel and Rev. Dr. Strong, after which a general discussion followed. Last evening the convention discussed the means and ends of culture to be provided for the American people beyond the ordinary school period.

Mr. Kennedy's Murderer.

WASHINGTON, July 15.—A coroner's inquest was held yesterday upon the body of the late Joseph C. G. Kennedy, who was murdered in the street on Wednesday afternoon by John Daily. The jury found a verdict in accordance with the facts. Daily, the murderer, was present, but manifested perfect indifference. *Very little is known to the* police with regard to the latter's history.

Stabbed His Wife in the Throat.

NEW YORK, July 15.—Casper Boaver, aged 43, a plumber, went home drunk last night and asked his wife Esther for ten cents to get a drink. She refused. He then asked for a kiss, and she declined to gratify him. He then stabbed her in the throat, inflicting a *wound which will prove fatal. He was ar*rested. The couple have ten children.

Judge Thurman Positively Declines.

COLUMBUS, O., July 15.—Hon Allen G. Thurman has written a letter from Ireland to his son, in this city, stating that he positively will not accept a nomination for governor of Ohio.

CONDENSED NEWS.

"Rodney" Green, a convict in the Joliet, Ills., penitentiary, who, though unable to read at the time of his incarceration, had mastered the languages, became insane from overstudy.

Niel T. Childs, a prominent citizen of Binghamton, N. Y., died of paralysis, aged 58.

A call has been issued for a state convention of the Union Labor party of Pennsylvania, *to be held at Williamsport, Sept. 7.*

The raspberry crop along the west bank of the Hudson river is unusually large.

During the centennial celebration at Clifton, N. Y., pickpockets succeeded in getting away with $5,000.

PEACEFUL PARISIANS.

THE "DIRECTED DEMONSTRATIONS" DID NOT TAKE PLACE.

The Death of the Boulangist Candidate Is Followed by Orderly Manners Throughout France—Boulanger Granted Permission to Speak.

PARIS, July 15.—The fall of the Bastille was commemorated with quiet and decorum. A demonstration was made at the statue of Strasburg in the morning, but it was entirely of a peaceful nature. Members of the Patriotic league and of other associations, with banners and trumpeters, marched past the statue and deposited upon it crowns and wreaths. As this was done there were a few cries from the procession of "Vive la France," "Vive la Republique" and "Vive la Boulanger," but there were no attempts at disorder.

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His Reception Committee Meets Him at the Depot—Dinner Given in His Honor.

ERIE, Pa., July 15.—Henry George addressed two meetings here Wednesday, the latter in the evening at the Academy of Music, of Labor assemblies. He had been liberally advertised, and the workingmen of the city turned out in force to hear him. Of the 5,000 people assembled at the Fort House summer resort, four miles east of the city on the lake shore, not 1,000 listened to his speech in the afternoon, being drawn off by counter attractions on the grounds. Little sympathy was developed, and adverse criticisms of the speaker and his views was freely spoken. In the evening he lectured on "Labor and Labor's Relation to Each Other" in the city. His address was broken in upon repeatedly *by interruptions from the audience*, and at times was almost drowned out by cheers. A few cries from the procession of "Vive la France," "Vive la Republique" and "Vive la Boulanger," but there were no attempts at disorder.

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The Famous Gunmaker Dead.

BERLIN, July 15.—Herr Krupp, proprietor of the extensive gun works at Essen, died at his villa, near that place, yesterday.

BATTLE WITH SCYTHES.

SERIOUS AFFRAY GROWING OUT OF POSTOFFICE ROBBERIES.

A Constable Seriously Cashed with Farming Implements while Attempting to Serve a Warrant—He Saves His Neck by Flight.

CARLISLE, Pa., July 15.—A serious affray occurred yesterday between a constable and a belligerent family at Mt. Holly, this county. About a week ago a number of registered letters were stolen from the postoffice at that place, and the recent postoffice robberies that occurred last spring at Mt. Holly, Hunter's Run, York Springs and Dillsburg, this county, and Wilson Wigle, one of the young men arrested, was discharged for want of evidence. Since then the wife of Benjamin Johnson, one of the prisoners, has made damaging revelations concerning Wright, and warrants against Johnson and Constable McGonigle went to serve it. He was met at the door by the father, who refused to let the officer enter and arrest him. The constable left. After consultation with District Attorney Miller he went again yesterday morning to the Wigle farm, accompanied by several aides. This time he had a warrant for the father also. He and his son were found cradling in a field.

When the constable lapped the old man on the shoulder and announced that he had warrants for him with the cradle. His son used his scythe, and they did effective work, pushing the constable in a very ugly manner. It was only by flight that he escaped decapitation. When McGonigal retreated the old man and his son gave chase, brandishing scythes. The constable opened fire and shot the old man in the left arm and breast. The son then dropped his scythe and fled to a wooded mountain near. He has not been arrested. The father ran into the house and up to his bedroom, where he used his scythe effectively and held the stairway against all comers. Finally his wife went up and persuaded him to capitulate. He was taken before a magistrate and held for trial.

Marine Intelligence.

NEW YORK, July 15.—Arrived, steamers City of Rome, Liverpool and Queenstown; State of Indiana, Glasgow and Larne; Old Dominion, Richmond, City Point and Norfolk; H. P. Dimock, Boston; Knarwhe, Newport News; Ocean Queen, Fall River; Hungaria, Rio Bona; Lorenzo D. Baker, Mobile; Atlas, Port Antonio. Barks Truro, Anstee dam; Arkton, Belfast; Minden, Havre; Emilie L. Boyd, Manila; Ydun, Guaiaguay. Arrived out, steamers Ems, from New York, at Southampton; Wisconsin, from New York, at Queenstown.

The Crown Prince Better.

LONDON, July 15.—The voice of the Crown Prince Frederick William is now clear, and has almost resumed its normal condition. The prince yesterday visited the Throat hospital in Golden square. He was kenly interested in the cases observed, especially in that of an old man who had just been cured, after having been afflicted with a growth similar to that upon the prince's throat. A group of Germans assembled outside while the prince was in the building, and upon his exit he was enthusiastically cheered.

O'Dannaite Rooms Stayed Away.

NEW YORK, July 15.—The games of the Clan-na-Gael Athletic club were held at Jones' Wood yesterday. The redoubtable Dick Hart was present, and for a time it was feared that there would be trouble on the grounds if O'Donovan Rossa turned up. Rossa stayed away, however, and a possible engagement between the rival factions. The amateur athletes did nothing remarkable. In the professional two mile run F. Gifford won in 10:20.

Unfounded Rumors.

LONDON, July 14.—The Times says the rumors that Lord Londonderry is about to resign the lord lieutenancy of Ireland are without foundation.

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WHAT SHALL WE WEAR?

TRAVELER'S CASE IN WHICH TO CARRY UMBRELLAS AND CANES.

New Fans of Feathers, Gilt Paper and Hand Painted Crepe — "Manhattan," "Hover" and Other Bathing Costumes for Ladies and Children.

The popular materials for bathing suits are plain flannel, serge flannel, and the more wiry worsted serge, in plain navy blue, cream white, or with stripes of contrasting colors. The striped goods is usually employed for the skirt or tunic, and the blouse is of plain blue trimmed with red braid or with bands of the striped material.

BATHING SUITS.

A favorite style has a blouse mounted in *plaits or gathered* upon a *yoke*, the neck finished with a sailor collar and the sleeves short. The tunic or skirt is plaited or gathered to correspond with the blouse, and reaches just below the knees, and the drawers are wide, and are either entirely concealed by the skirt or show a trifle below it. Sometimes the neck is cut out in heart shape, and a chemisette is inserted, like in a boy's sailor suit. Blue suits are trimmed with black, light blue, or red. White suits are trimmed with white braid, but there may be a chemisette or a sailor collar of dark blue.

Fig. 1 in the cut shows a lady's suit called the "Manhattan." It is made of blue serge flannel, trimmed with narrow white braid. The suit consists of a blouse waist, skirt and trousers. *The trousers and blouse waist* can be joined in one garment and the skirt made separately and buttoned on, which is the most convenient and comfortable way; or the waist and the skirt can be joined together. The waist has a yoke at the back and the collar is a sailor shape.

The child's suit (in same cut) is known as the "Rover," and is also made of blue flannel, and trimmed with bias bands of striped red and blue flannel. The waist has about the same fullness in the back as in front, and is finished with a sailor collar. The design is suitable for either a boy or a girl. Girls under 6 or 8 years seldom wear skirts; but, if preferred, a short skirt made either of straight breadths or after a gored skirt pattern, can be added.

Bathing robes are in peignoir shape, *full* at the neck, with wide square sleeves, or in circle shape, which gathers at the back of the neck. These are finished with a collar, and are made of Turkish toweling and trimmed with gay colored bands. The imported suits, says Demorest's Monthly, which furnishes the *above models, are too ultra in design* to become popular here.

Some of the New Fans.

Feather fans are in high favor, especially those composed of ostrich feathers, marabout and curled swan's feathers. Very attractive fans are oval shaped ones, covered with a mixture of *ostrich tips* and marabout, with butterflies here and there. Transparent fans represent a popular style, and are made sometimes of gauze and sometimes of lace. Coming to other sorts, there is a large variety of Japanese and Chinese fans.

Following are fans described by The Domestic Monthly: Pekin fans of mottled gilt paper are mounted upon slender red reeds, or plain paper designs are laced with fine silk cords up each long mount, with sticks of shining lacquer. A black gauze fan has a large spider's web in silver; another one has a flight of sprites in pale shades of silver and gray, the foremost one carrying a torch, from which streams red and golden rays.

Shell handles on the large feather designs *are especially attractive and expensive*, with the monogram set in gold.

Designs painted to order show the name in flowers across the spread, as tiny roses, violets or daisies, with the duplicate in diminished form on one of the outside sticks.

Crepe is a beautiful background for water colors, but is so frail as to require the best of care.

Traveler's Umbrella Case.

Numbered with other conveniences that may be made at home for travelers is a case for carrying umbrellas and canes on a journey. A case like the model may be made of a piece of beige colored linen, 19 inches wide above, 4½ below and 30 inches deep. A drawing 6cm with heading is made at the lower end of the case, while 2½ inches from the upper edge a piece of scarlet ribbon, put through eyelet holes, gives it a close. The loop for hanging over the arm is also of the same ribbon. The case can be decorated by embroidering sweaters with crewel wool and silk. Everybody knows how unpleasant it is sometimes to carry an umbrella without a case of some kind. It is difficult as well to carry a fine cane so it will not be marred. Elastics are always breaking, and it is a difficult matter, if the elastics are perfect, to keep the umbrellas so wrapped that it does not look baggy. With the umbrellas and canes soon rip, or they are so worthless that one never thinks of keeping them.

UMBRELLA CASE.

ALL AROUND THE HOUSE.

Furniture, Articles and Practical Information in Culinary Matters.

A novelty is furniture, combining the artistic and the useful, is a hanging mirror for the hall, with a frame inclosed within the spindle work that is so attractive as well as fashionable. The inner portion is of bent colors studded with silver finish and ornamental corners. Hooks are set on both sides of the outer portion of the frame. The style is effective and substantial, the hooks being sufficiently strong to insure durability.

Currant Jelly Quickly Made.

Carefully look over the currants intended for jelly, without steamming or washing them. Allow half a pound of granulated or pure loaf sugar to each pound of fruit. Put a few of the currants into a porcelain lined kettle and mash them to secure juice enough to prevent burning. Then add the remainder of the currants and boil twenty minutes, *stirring often*. Now strain them through a strong jelly bag, putting the juice into another or wooden ware. After straining turn the juice back into the kettle, let it boil up for a minute or two, then add the sugar. As soon as the sugar is perfectly dissolved the jelly is done and should be turned at once into glasses, where it will *quickly jelly*. This is a popular method of making jelly because it is both easy and sure.

How to Bake Bread.

Miss Corson makes bread in the following manner: After the bread or biscuit dough is put into the buttered pans cover them with a folded towel, and place the pans where the same gentle heat will strike them, turning them about to secure an even rising. Do not put the pans where it is impossible to bear the hand with ease. When the dough has risen to twice its original volume brush the bread and biscuit with melted butter, or with a little milk in which sugar is dissolved, and then put them into a moderate oven to bake; the bake will cause a crisp brown crust. The temperature of the oven is about right when the hand can be held in it without burning while one counts fifteen quickly.

Effective Novelties in Table Decoration.

A pretty fashion in table decoration is a single flower—such as a carnation pink or jonquil—floating in the finger glass, or a *leaf or two* of scented verbena or oak leaved geranium. A good effect is produced by a China rosebud at the left of each guest's napkin. Long trails of the common small leaved ivy are much laid on tables, and they are effective mixed with sprays of the scarlet pyrus japonica.

Chairs Seen in Modern Houses.

Our modern homes owe much of their elegance and comfort to the diversity of chairs that find their way to boudoirs, parlors and sitting rooms. Ladies are no longer hampered in their selections by an arbitrary fashion that requires furniture in suites, i.e., furniture made in uniform patterns and of the same *material and color*. The result is not very pleasing to the eye, but much personal comfort is a collection of seats sufficiently varied to give everybody their favorite style of chair, whether that be high or low, broad or narrow, upholstered or plain.

DECORATIVE CHAIRS.

The assortment in decorative chairs afforded by furniture makers is an extended one. Our cut presents three differing styles in upholstered chairs designed for drawing rooms and parlors.

The improved styles in which basket and reed chairs are made render these favorites not only in sitting rooms, but in the parlor as well. When designed for the latter rooms they are well set off by tapestry seat and pillow work in some pleasing color.

Almost every one furnishing a modern home wants a few pieces of real bamboo furniture. This, by its lightness in weight and its pleasing natural finish, forms a contrast to the heavier furniture of a room that delights the artistic eye.

Canning Fruit.

For canning small fruits a good rule is to allow one-third of a pound of sugar to a pound of fruit. Put water to the sugar, in the proportion of about a teacupful of water to each pound of sugar, make into a syrup and skim carefully. Add the fruit, let it boil ten minutes, and it will be ready for canning. For pears, peaches, gages, etc., allow about the same quantity of sugar as for raspberries; pie plant will need a full half pound of sugar to a pound of stalk. Peaches should be pared, and can be canned whole or in halves; pears should be canned whole, and if dropped immediately into cold water when pared will not turn black; gages and plums should have the skin pricked with a needle to prevent it bursting.

A Pretty Bedstead for a Child.

The Decorator and Furnisher suggests how to make a child's bedstead. Purchase one of the ordinary little iron bedsteads and go over it with gold paint to imitate brass. Then make a framework for the top of the bedstead of slat work, and cover with dainty white lace and muslin over pink or blue chambray, which is better than silk, as it will bear *frequent* washing. Loop the draperies each side with pink or blue ribbons.

Popular Wedding Presents.

Among articles popular with New York ladies for wedding presents, when silver is deemed too expensive, are fish sets in decorative china and put up in handsome cases; also after dinner coffee in cases, ice cream sets and the like. New fish sets represent in their decoration the different American fish, one plate having one member of the finned tribe, while a second plate exhibits a good likeness of another, and so on through the entire fish family.

Pickling Cauliflower.

For pickling, cut up two cauliflowers. Dissolve half a cup of salt in water enough to cover the cauliflowers, together with three medium sized peppers and a pint of small onions. Let the vegetables stand over night in the salt and water, and in the morning drain it off. Then heat two pints of vinegar with four tablespoonfuls of mustard till it boils; add the vegetables and boil until a fork can be thrust through the cauliflower.

Garnishes for Chicken.

A row of baked tomatoes is a pretty garnish around a roast chicken. A boiled chicken is generally served in a bed of boiled rice.

Seasonable Suggestions.

Cold chicken fried in batter is tempting for breakfast.

Sardines on toast, with thin slices of lemon for flavoring, furnishes a nice luncheon dish.

LIFE IN THE SADDLE.

SOMETHING ABOUT THE WAY PEOPLE RIDE.

Horseback Exercise Almost a Thing of the Past in the East and North. While It is Still Very Common in the South and West.

If you are an eastern man you will be surprised, should you make a trip west or south, by the number of men and women you will see on horseback. If you ramble south or west, and you travel north or east, you will be struck by the fact that few people are to be seen in the saddle.

And when you have taken note of the facts you will ask—Why?

The answer to your short question is a complex one.

QUITE ENGLISH, YOU KNOW.

In the east the country roads are everywhere fitted for the light buggy. One can drive to town or to church and run less chance of spoiling his Sunday clothes than if he rode. The young lover can sit close beside his sweetheart in a buggy, and he can't if they go horseback. There is much more enjoyment over trotting matches than running races in the east, and horses are, therefore, bred for their driving and not their running qualities. Those who want the exercise of *riding say that the bicycle is a better steed* than the horse—that he is safer, doesn't cost so much and doesn't eat anything.

In the west and south there are many bridle paths where one could not drive in a buggy. Running is the favorite method of speeding horses. The bicycle is still something of a novelty.

WESTERN STYLE.

But there is some horseback riding east, and there are plenty of buggies south and west. And while riding—is perhaps slowly but *none the less certainly decreasing* west and south, it is unquestionably coming into favor again in the east.

But it is only the well to do—in the cities, the wealthy—who can afford horseback exercise east. A person that in a eastern city who would keep a horse solely for saddle use would be bothered to find the wherewith to pay his butcher and his baker and his gas man. And if he keep a horse for business purposes he will drive him, of course, and a horse that is steadily driven is unfit to be ridden.

"It's English to ride," however, and so all swelldom in the cities rides. Hunt clubs are organized, and tame foxes are chased with hounds and horses. An eastern fox hunt isn't at all like a similar diversion in less commercial and less materially wealthy regions, though. There's never more than one fox, and it's a foregone conclusion that he will be caught; that is, providing he can be got to run; for the foxes that are chased in the east are pampered animals that are kept and fed for months previous to the "meet."

IN THE PARK.

The great fad among eastern swells who ride horseback is the English method. It involves the rising in the saddle of the rider at every step of the horse. And if the rider can "show daylight" between himself and the horse he is considered "quite English." Whether the "English" rider is as graceful as his western brother is a question. And the anglomaniacs of New York and Boston have started with a farce that just as they have learned to spring upon their toes at just the proper moment the Prince of Wales and his royal mother, and of course all the toadies of England, have taken to admiring the western style of riding close to the horse practiced by Buffalo Bill and his Wild West troupe.

But we shouldn't scrimp horseback riding, no matter why the rider rides, for it's a glorious exercise, and there's no prettier picture in the world than a young gallant and his fair "Ladye love" out riding "in the park," that is, if they know how to ride.

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Leave New York at 6.00, 7.00, 8.00, 9.00, 10.00, 11.00 a. m., 12.00, 1.00, 2.00, 3.00, 4.00, 5.00, 6.00, 7.00, 8.00, 9.00, 10.00, 11.00 p. m. Sunday at 9.00, 10.00, 11.00 a. m., 12.00 noon, 1.00, 2.00, 3.00, 4.00, 5.00, 6.00, 7.00, 8.00, 9.00, 10.00, 11.00 p. m. Sunday at 9.00 a. m. Express for Newark stops only at Elizabeth.
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Leave Plainfield at 6.45, 7.45, 8.45, 9.45, 10.45, 11.45 a. m., 12.45, 1.45, 2.45, 3.45, 4.45, 5.45, 6.45, 7.45, 8.45, 9.45, 10.45, 11.45 p. m. Sunday at 5.45, 6.45, 7.45, 8.45, 9.45, 10.45 p. m.
Leave Somerville at 6.00, 7.00, 8.00, 9.00, 10.00, 11.00 a. m., 12.00, 1.00, 2.00, 3.00, 4.00, 5.00, 6.00, 7.00, 8.00, 9.00, 10.00, 11.00 p. m. Sunday at 9.00 a. m., 12.00 noon, 1.00, 2.00, 3.00, 4.00, 5.00, 6.00, 7.00, 8.00, 9.00, 10.00, 11.00 p. m.
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Leave Bound Brook at 6.00, 7.00, 8.00, 9.00, 10.00, 11.00 a. m., 12.00, 1.00, 2.00, 3.00, 4.00, 5.00, 6.00, 7.00, 8.00, 9.00, 10.00, 11.00 p. m. Sunday at 9.00 a. m., 12.00 noon, 1.00, 2.00, 3.00, 4.00, 5.00, 6.00, 7.00, 8.00, 9.00, 10.00, 11.00 p. m.
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Leave Plainfield at 5.10, 7.14, 8.32, 9.51, 11.09, 1.05 p. m., 2.05, 3.15, 4.56, 5.51, 6.56, 8.10, 9.30, 11.00 p. m. Sunday at 4.56, 6.05, 7.10, 8.40, 9.30, 11.00 p. m.; 12.00 night.
Leave Somerville at 6.00, 7.50, 9.00, 10.20, 11.45 a. m., 1.00, 2.00, 3.00, 4.20, 5.30, 6.30, 7.30, 8.50, 10.15 p. m. Sunday at 5.30, 6.30, 7.30, 8.50, 10.15 p. m.
Plainfield and Bound Brook.
Leave Plainfield at 5.10, 8.32, 9.51 a. m., 4.56, 5.10, 6.56, 8.10, 9.30, 11.00 p. m. Sunday at 4.56, 6.05, 7.10, 8.40, 9.30, 11.00 p. m.
Leave Boston at 8.55, 9.55 a. m., 12.00 noon, 1.55, 7.00 p. m. Sunday at 7.15 a. m.; 1.00 p. m.
Westward Connections.
8.10 a. m.—For Easton, Allentown, Bethlehem and Mauch Chunk.
9.55 a. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Wind Gap, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Upper Lehigh, Scranton, Wilkesbarre, etc.
3.21 a. m.—For Flemington, High Bridge Branch, Schooley's Mountain, Lake Hopatcong, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Shamokin, Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, etc.
5.03 p. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, etc.
6.14 p. m.—For Easton, Wind Gap, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Williamsport, Trenton, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, etc.
8.16 p. m.—For Flemington, High Bridge Branch, Schooley's Mountain, Lake Hopatcong, Easton, etc.
8.55 p. m.—For Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, etc.
Leave Bound Brook, Green Street, etc.
Leave Plainfield at 5.47, 6.45, 8.05, 9.33, 11.08 a. m., 1.21, 2.23, 3.51, 5.24, 5.54 p. m. Sunday (except Ocean Grove) 5.47, 8.05 a. m. and 5.30 p. m.
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Leave Plainfield for Bridgelights and Trenton at 1.33, 3.10, 6.14, 9.45, 11.44 a. m., 2.13, 5.23, 8.16, 9.30 p. m. Sunday at 1.33, 3.10, 8.16, 9.30 p. m. 6.30 p. m.
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Third and Berks Streets at 3.35, 9.35, 11.30 a. m., 1.00, 3.50, 5.20, 6.00, p. m. Sunday at 5.15 a. m., 4.30 p. m.
Leave Trenton, Warren and Taylor Streets, at 7.15, 10.10, 11.30 a. m., 1.56, 4.15, 5.50, 7.40 p. m. Sunday at 1.26, 9.15 p.40, a. m. 6.15 p. m.
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Kalakaua's Troubles.

It is sad to see a great nation passing away, passing away. I have watched with tearful eyes the inexorable forcing of the red man, step by step, from his wigwam and hunting grounds, from his few simple pleasures and scalps, his traditions and his firewater, taking nothing with him but his grand, earnest natures, a breech clout and a few faithful bens. I have seen him crowded mile by mile from effete civilization, tangle-foot and pest traders, and slowly and, ruthlessly compelled toward the setting sun; and as I gazed with wet cheeks upon his passing, I have thought how true, how pathetically true, was the sympathetic remark once made, that it was mighty rough on the setting sun.

And now comes another blow. An army of insurgents, numbering over 140 effective troops, including two pack mules and a quartermaster, are preparing to dethrone our royal and illustrious brother, Kalakaua, king of the Sandwich Islands, and as his forces consist of only sixty-four generals, nine colonels, two privates and a rotary drum major, it is feared he must fall. Kalakaua is a man of great spirit. He has been famous for his spirit ever since he was old enough to draw cocks for his father, King Kamekameka I, from whom he inherited his taste and his brunette complexion.

The Sandwich Islands no longer produce sandalwood. The two most important staples are cane sugar and leprosy. Of these, the cane sugar is entirely controlled by Mr. Claus Spreckles, of San Francisco. King Kalakaua controls the rest, and is allowed a salary of $25,000 a year.

He ascended the throne in 1876. He began drawing his wages several years before that, and paid a visit to the United States, where, after a long tour, he got a design for a throne which suited him, brought it back, mounted it, and, giving it out that henceforth his domain should be called the Highwire Kingdom, ruled with more spirit than ever.—Henry Guy Carleton in New York World.

The Old, Old Joke Newly Told.

Sweet Girl Graduate—Read it, Julia.

Julia (reading)—The valedictory was a literary gem, sparkling with wit and sentiment, and was read by the fair author in a sweet, clear, modulated——

S. G. G.—Oh, don't mind that! What does the paper say about my costume?

Julia (after a pause)—It doesn't mention it at all.

S. G. G.—Oh! oh!

[The avalanche of agonizing disappointment buries the S. G. G. in a death-like swoon.]—Philadelphia Call.

"Seed 'Em a Doing It."

It is almost impossible for country people to recognize the dense ignorance as to all matters agricultural and rural from which the children of the London poor suffer. A day or two ago the parson of a London parish asked one of the children who had been boarded out under the new poor law regulations how he enjoyed the change of air and scenery. "Jones, sir?" said the urchin, "I don't like it at all; instead of giving me milk out of a nice clean tin they squeeze it out of a nasty cow—I seed 'em a doing it!"—Pall Mall Gazette.

Chambers, Not Barrels.

Johnnie (the office boy)—What kind o' pistol yer goin' have the 4th?

Joe (21 ditto)—Big one; lots o' shots ter once.

Johnny—How many barrels?

Joe (scornfully)—"Tain't barrels, or hogsheads, or anything of that 'kind, little feller, it's chambers.

Johnny—Hugh! Feel mighty smart, don't yer? I wouldn't have a chamber maid pistol no how!—Boston Record.

A Poor Town.

"How do you like the town?" asked a white man of Sam Johnson, who had just arrived in town and started a barber shop. "De town am good enuff, but I'se sorry for de folk"—dey are so pooh." "There seems to be considerable wealth," remarked the customer. "Yes, there seems to be, but hit's all a scarce and a cubyshon. Yesterday I wanted change fo'ah a $5 bill. I hunted all fru my pockets an' I hain't found it yet. I never seed a town where it was so hard to get change fo'ah a pore $5 bill."—Drake's Traveler's Magazine.

Merely an Accident.

Little Marie—Aunty, you don't know how mad papa got this morning. He slammed a plate against the wall and broke it all to pieces.

Little Carl, reprovingly—Mamma told us not to speak about it, Marie.

Marie—Oh, yes, I forgot. Papa didn't throw the plate against the wall. It just slipped out of his hand and fell against the wall and broke into a thousand pieces.—Texas Siftings.

"His Little Circle of Wives."

"How old is Brigham Young?" asked a boy.

"Eighty. That poor old man is without a home to-day. He is a polygamist, but he is 80 years of age. They got to rubbing him and pressing him, and he called his little circle of wives around him and said: 'All that I can do is to go and live by myself. It is cruel to be separated from you all, but there is no other way.'"—From "Truth," an interview with a son of Brigham Young.

Hindoo Nomenclature.

The London Times notes with pleasure a magnificent gift to the city of Bombay given by Dinshaw Manockjee Petit. We understand that it is fully equal to the gift of Jamsetjee Jejeebhoy, but we doubt if it can surpass that of Ramdeen Googoobeede Huckbuckbasakit. We have forgotten what it was, but it was a cracker.—Philadelphia Call.

They Knew Him.

Applicant—Are you in need of a collector? I have good references here from Black & Son, my late employers.

Manager—Why did you leave them?

Applicant—Well, you see their customers got so they all knew me and would dodge me, which necessitated a change.—Omaha World.

They All Do It—Nearly.

Two little girls of 7 and 8 are playing together.

"And your papa, what does he do?" asked one of them.

"Whatever mamma says."—Tid-Bits.

He Had Stopped Growing.

"You are growing bald, I see," said Jones to his friend Brown, whom he had not seen for several years.

"I am bald," replied Brown, "but I am not growing any more."—Texas Siftings.

After Her Own Heart.

Sarah Bernhardt is said to have invested $18,510 in Chicago real estate. She likes Chicago better than any American town. "To people are so—vat is it?—so tough."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

No Holiday for Guld Cloetia.

In one day last week one hundred and twenty-six clergymen sailed from New York for Europe. The opposition has not yet announced his intention of taking a needed rest.—Utica Observer.

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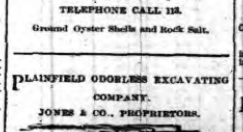

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JOTTINGS.

—The elm tree beetle is getting in its destructive work at Bloomfield, N. J.

—Westfield is agitating the question "Shall We Have Band Concerts During the Summer?"

—The thermometer at three o'clock to-day stood 100 degrees. The hottest day this summer.

—The case of Jackson vs. Vanness, an action upon contract, was returnable before Justice Nash this afternoon.

—The peach growers of this vicinity will hold a *meeting in Washington* Valley school house at seven o'clock this evening.

—Thieves entered the residence of Mr. Alex. Ayers, of Metuchen, yesterday morning and stole a gold watch, silver chain and some wearing apparel.

—On West Front street this morning a man made himself a nuisance by stopping persons who were out for a drive and exhibiting a patent for cleaning harness.

—Mr. George R. Cornwell will lead the Young Men's meeting at the Y. M. C. A., rooms on Monday evening. Topic "Christ's power to keep us." Jude 24.

—A few days ago the workmen at work on the new Methodist Sunday School building on Madison avenue, unearthed bones and skulls, which were taken away and buried.

—The Somerville Firemen's Relief Association has a fund of over $2,000. It has been in existence nearly six years, and has never been called upon to pay a cent of benefits.

—Frank, a young son of James Whiteley of North avenue, while playing with some matches Thursday afternoon was badly burned about the head and body. The mother, in attempting to extinguish the flames was also burned, but not seriously.

—The returns of vital statistics at New Brunswick for the month ending yesterday, show that there had been 30 deaths, 12 births and 12 marriages; 15 of the deaths were from cholera infantum, a very large percentage in comparison with other years. Plainfield's record for the month of July will be of a similar character.

—J. V. DeMott counsel for the People's Bank, New Brunswick, gives it as his opinion that the stockholders will have to pay the assessment, just levied upon their stock by Assessor Dunn, unjust though it may seem. The Board of Directors have decided to pay under protest.

—It seems to me observed a Front street man the other day that the recording angel must have a very busy time of it now-a-days." "How so" asked his wife. "Simply because if a man does anything, good or bad, it gets into the newspapers." "What of that?" "Why all the angel has to do is to go over the exchanges with a pair of shears."

—Hugh Donnelley of Elizabethport, was run over and killed by the cars on the Broadway track yesterday morning; he had been drinking hard lately, and it is thought that he lay down on the track and fell asleep. The Central railroad shifting engine was drilling out some cars for the Lehigh railroad when the brakeman, Patrick Mahony, while running the tops of the cars, felt a sudden jar. He looked down and saw Donnelly lying on the ground writhing in pain, with his legs under the wheels. The train was stopped and the unfortunate man extricated. His leg from the knees down were mangled to a pulp and presented a horrid spectacle. Father Meehan was hastily summoned and he administered the last rites of the Catholic Church to the dying man, who was then removed to the City Hospital, where he expired in a few hours.

Revival of the Demuend Horror.

Frederick Wright, Overseer of the Poor of New Brunswick, asserts that he has overheard old Sam Demuend, of that city, giving utterance to statements which savor of suicidal intent.

The story told by Overseer Wright includes the statement that he overheard Sam Demuend saying by bring him the laudanum from a neighboring drug store, and when asked why he wanted the poison, Sam replied:

"Oh, it's good for pain, and I have a terrible distress in my head."

"Did you propose taking any of the laudanum internally?" asked Wright.

"Yes," Sam is credited with replying, "for I am tired of living and suffering."

It is believed that Sam and John are mentally deranged, and owing to their recent adventures it is not surprising that they are unhappy. Sam's mentality seems to be deep-rooted, and a petition is in preparation to have them sent to an asylum, where the sanity of Sam Demuend by each from the the executor of their sister, who died in Brooklyn, will be sufficient for their maintenance.

The Color Line in New Jersey.

Asbury Park is not the only place in the State which is agitated over the question of the rights of the colored race.

The men employed in the tin goods factory at Rutherford, N. J., have refused to work longer under the direction of a colored foreman.

Capt. Anson, of the Chicago Ball Club, declined to play at Newark on Thursday if Storey and Walker, the colored battery, were to pitch, consequently another battery was substituted.

Sent Up for Sixty Days.

William Trainor, the man who was arrested on Thursday evening for cruelty to his family, who resides in North Plainfield, was arraigned before Mayor Cooley yesterday afternoon. The mayor reprimanded him and sent him to the county jail at Somerville for sixty days. Marshall Becker took Trainor to Somerville during the afternoon, and placed him in the custody of Sheriff Tunison.

"Welcome House."

The chapel of the First Presbyterian church was comfortably filled last evening by the congregation of the church and invited clergymen. The Society of Christian Endeavor had tastefully arranged the chapel so that it was in the parlor-like room. The pastor of the church, the Rev. K. P. Ketcham, who for two months and half has been absent on a jaunt abroad, during the early part of the evening stood at the door and received the greetings of his beloved and loving parishioners.

The Society of Christian Endeavor had arranged for an informal musical entertainment, and in the course of the evening piano solos by Miss Minnie J. Wooden and Miss E. Gavett, vocal solos by Miss Jessie B. Sniffin, Miss Julia J. Ketcham and Elmer H. Runyon, and violin renditions by Leona C. Feiuinger—a son of Karl Feiuinger—were given.

Quite early in the evening Mr. E. St. John in behalf of the congregation voiced the feelings of gratitude felt for the safe return of their pastor and there love for him.

Mr. H. Ondyke followed with similar expressions from the Sunday school and the session of the church, and Henry Manning, likewise in behalf of the Society of Christian Endeavor. Dr. Ketcham then replied with feeling and affection, speaking not only for himself but for his daughter who had accompanied him. He said "of all the joys connected with our trip, the greatest joy is in getting home, and that is saying a great deal for our whole journey has been one of unbroken pleasure, the seeing of most glorious sights and the enjoyment of a much needed rest."

Dr. Ketcham further alluded to the good record of the church during his absence, the satisfactory nature of the supplies provided for the pulpit, and concluded with a tribute to the supreme worth of human affection and the privilege of working for the salvation of human souls.

Refreshments were served during the evening.

The spirit of christian unity which is so characteristic of Plainfield was shown by the attendance of Revs. D. J. Yerkes, E. M. Rodman, C. L. Goodrich, Cornelius Schenck and W. R. Richards, W. E. Honeyman.

Feminine Heroism and Manly Courage.

The boarders at the Searing Farm on the Washington Valley road, were witnesses of a runaway incident yesterday afternoon, which they do not care to see repeated.

A daughter of Mr. Hurlick of Warrenville, started out for an afternoon's ride, in a side bar buggy drawn by a high strung young horse, bound for Plainfield. With her was a small child. For reasons unknown, the horse suddenly bolted and ran for a mile before stopped. Miss Hurlick bravely holding the lines and keeping the creature in the road. The horse failed to demolish the buggy with his plunging and kicking that had his career not been stopping both Miss Hurlick and the child would have been suddenly deposited in the road.

When the horse neared the Searing farm the attention of the woman for help attracted the attention of Alexander Searing who rushed forth, ran by the side of the horse, grabbed bridle and saddle and finally—how he cannot explain—managed to steer the horse to the side of the road and stopped his mad flight. Both Miss Hurlick and Mr. Searing showed unusual bravery.

A Narrow Escape.

Wednesday evening, John S. Bishop was in Plainfield, and his friend, Voorhees Watson, wishing to take a drive, offered to bring Mr. Bishop home to Brook Rith his Watson's conveyance. The two arrived here shortly after ten o'clock, but in driving down Mountain avenue the horse shied and ran the wagon against a telegraph pole, at the corner of High street. Both men were thrown out and the buggy was badly wrecked. Fortunately neither Mr. Watson nor Mr. Bishop were hurt, and were congratulated on their narrow escape from death or serious injury. It is hoped that the telegraph company will now be compelled to remove this pole from the sidewalk, as it renders it now occupies.—Bound Brook Chronicle.

His Toes Amputated.

Dr. Hedges, yesterday afternoon at the Muhlenberg Hospital removed two of the toes on the left foot of Charles Schwebb, the young man who was injured by being run over with a coal train yesterday morning about half past seven o'clock. He is fourteen years old and came to this city from New York, where his father resides, about three weeks ago, and has since been employed in the butcher shop of his brother-in-law, Charles Arnold, of Liberty street. The young man is now getting along nicely, and seems to suffer but little pain. He still persists that he was not attempting to jump on the train and claims that he was running alongside and stubbed his toe as reported yesterday.

Gone to Trenton.

Michael Servegny, the foreign telegraphic crank who recently attempted some amateur work on the wires which govern the automatic signals at the Delaware & Bound Brook Railroad crossing, was taken to Trenton on Thursday, Freeholder Bohner and Clerk Sutphen escorting the gentleman to the Insane Asylum, Dr. Wagoner of Somerville having decided that to be the proper place for him. While waiting at the depot at Bound Brook, the man paid particular attention to the telegraphic workings, declared them all out of order and was very anxious to have his handcuffs removed and be given a knife or a gun in order that he might fix the wires at once.

Thrown from Her Carriage.

Mrs. John Stutsman, of Westfield, was seriously injured Thursday evening by being thrown from her carriage. Her husband was driving at a rather fast gait when a vehicle attempted to cross the street, and a collision resulted. Mrs. Stutsman is not dangerously hurt.

LATEST DISPATCHES.

THE NEWS controls the services of the American Press Association and the United Press and is the only paper published in this section that possesses a Telegraphic News Franchise.

Thermometer Record.

The following is the record of the thermometer for this day and for the corresponding date of last year, as kept at Stelle's drug store, corner of Front street and Park avenue.

	1887	1886		
6 a. m.	97	67	Sun rises	4 42
9 a. m.	76	74	Sun sets	7 26
12 m	95	80	Moon rises	1 16
3 p. m.	100	79	Moon sets	

Weather Indications.

For Sunday, in New Jersey, eastern new York and eastern Pennsylvania, and in New England, fair, warmer weather, the thermometer rising above 90 degrees in most places.

A Great Warehouse Burned.

NEW YORK, July 16.—A fire broke out in the large Metropolitan Storage Warehouse in Thirty-eigth street, near Seventh avenue, this morning, and was still burning at ten o'clock. Five firemen were seriously injured.

Elopement in High Life.

CHICAGO, July 16.—The belle of the St. James Hotel, San Diego, California, for several months past has been Miss M. F. Whitney of Washington, D. C. At the hotel was a young man, E. M. Dalyrymple, of Annapolis Naval Academy. Thursday, Miss Whitney was driven to the *National City* by Mr. Dalyrymple and plans for the marriage were arranged. Yesterday afternoon the couple went out for a walk, entered a carriage, drove to National City, went to the International Hotel and were quietly married.

He Needed Prayers.

MILWAUKEE, July 16.—The authorities here are endeavoring to locate a young confidence man, who after passing several forged checks some days ago, called at the Young Men's Christian Association rooms and representing himself as without means was furnished a ticket to Antiqa, which he claimed was his home. Then going to the residence of Rev. Dr. John, of the Grand avenue Methodist church he exhibited his ticket saying that he was without any other means. After the minister hand advanced him some money he invited Dr. John to pray for him. The minister knelt and prayed while the confidence man bowed his head joining in the amen.

A Recherche Fete.

A garden party was given on the ground of Captain Griswolde at Netherwood, yesterday afternoon and evening between the hours of 4.30 and 10.30. Refreshments were served and a pleasant evening was spent. The affair was gotten up by a number of young ladies for the purpose of purchasing a larger organ for the Netherwood chapel.

Among those in attendance were the Misses Marion and Ella Haynes, Miss Anthony, Miss White, Mrs. Randolph, Mrs. Haynes, Mrs. Poillon, Miss Christianson, Miss Tatum, Mrs. Brown, the Misses Griswolde and the guests of Hotel Netherwood.

The ladies in charge were attired in fancy costumes, and the whole scene was one of beauty and attractiveness. Over $150 was cleared for the purchase of an organ for the future "Church of Our Savior.

Roselle to Have a Map.

Mr. W. J. Lansley, a senior of Rutgers College, has for the past week been surveying Roselle for the purpose of making a photo-lithograph map of the town. We understand the map is to be of both sides of the track. It will run from below the school house up to the Galloping Hill road. The scale will be 200 feet to the inch, and the map when completed will measure about 36 x 48 inches. It is designed to be a thoroughly reliable property map, giving the boundaries of the property and the names of the owners. Mr. Lansley has also the kind encouragement from the residents, and expresses his intention of making a map of Roselle that will surpass anything of the kind hitherto attempted. —Record.

Undecided as Yet.

Assemblyman George E. Pace, of Millstone, was asked a few days ago as to whether or not he had entered on his duties in the Internal Revenue service as stamp clerk at Mill stone, which appointment was recently tendered him by Collector Kolbe. Mr. Pace replied that he was as yet undecided whether he would accept the position or not. He also did not know whether or not the accepting of this position would prevent his taking the nomination next fall for a second term in the Assembly, to which nomination he is entitled according to the practice in that county.

The Largest Yet.

The excursion of the M. E. Sunday School, which left this city on Saturday morning was the largest which has left this season. Fifteen coaches composed the train, and they were crowded to the utmost. The excursion was bound for Long Branch, Asbury Park and Ocean Grove, and the excursionists spent a pleasant day at Long Branch, bathing, fishing and boating, returning to this city about half-past seven o'clock last evening.

Apoplexy's Victim.

The body of Hugh McGowan Hood, a Scotchman employed by Mr. Miller F. Moore, of Fourth avenue, Roselle, N. J., was found in the bushes near Chauncey Belknap's on Thursday evening. County Physician Wescott investigated the matter and decided that it was due to apoplexy. Hood was a Scotchman by birth, was married and employed as a gardner, was about 45 years of age and had recently joined the Methodist Episcopal Church at Roselle.

The Cranford Regatta.

The Cranford regatta will be held Saturday afternoon, July 23, at 4 p. m. It will comprise ladies' singles for the "Cahill Challenge Cup," ladies' and gentlemen's singles, boys' singles, dance rams, etc. A number of prizes will be awarded.

PERSONAL.

City Judge Ulrich returned from Ocean Grove last evening.

A consent side walk is being laid around the Union Club House, corner of Broadway and Ninth street.

The services at Reform Hall to-morrow evening will be led by Rev. E. M. Rodman of Grace Church.

P. Sanford Ross of Roselle, recently lost a *one thousand dollar, blooded horse.* "Rough on Rats" did it.

Rev. J. B. Van Meter, pastor of the M. E. church in this city, is registered at the Coleman House, Asbury Park.

George Thompson, colored, walked forth from State Prison on Friday, a free man, after serving a twenty years term.

Mrs. R. C. Fisher and daughter, of West Fourth street, are staying at the Norman House, Ocean Grove, for a short time.

Rev. Frank Goodwin will occupy the pulpit of the Park Avenue Baptist church, to-morrow morning and evening.

Miss Gussie Sutphen, of this city, returned to-day after sojourning at Readington, North Branch and vicinity for several days.

The wife and family of Horace J. Martin, of Jackson avenue, are away at Fieldville, Middlesex County, to be gone several weeks.

The residence of Mr. Charles Hazen, corner of Broadway and Franklin Place, is being much improved in appearance by a new coat of paint.

J. B. Carberry and family, of Plainfield, are registered at the Aurora, Ocean Grove, and J. B. Ham and wife, of Cranford, at the Arlington.

Mr. C. B. Corwin and family, of East Ninth street, started to-day for Spring Lake, N. J. They will register at the Carleton House. Mr. Corwin is a member of the firm of Stevens, Corwin & Co., New York city.

Much attention is attracted by the novel and useful baby carriage of Mr. T. S. Burr of La Grande avenue. On the front of his tricycle he has a chair fastened, into which the little one is put and tied.

E. L. Massett writes to the Union County Standard, denying that his letter to the Pope was in behalf of Dr. McGlynn. He writes "It was written * * * wholly in behalf of the Prohibition party."

Eloise Brandon, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Brandon of Plainfield avenue, died yesterday afternoon about two o'clock from a hemmorrage of the bowels. Deceased was two years and eight months old.

R. J. Shaw, the druggist, has prepared a neat little card for his patrons, giving the time of the departure of the mails, the new code of weather signals, and a time table of trains between Plainfield, New York and Philadelphia.

The representatives of the Pond Machine and Tool company are in the city. The lumber has begun to arrive. The problem of sewerage and water supply is one that is now receiving the most of the attention of the representatives.

Mr. Geo. H. Frost, corner Seventh and New streets, accompanied by his son, Charles, starts for Europe, per steamer "State of Georgia," next Thursday. Their friends to make quite an extended trip, visiting Scotland and other places of interest along the route. They will be gone about three months.

Mr. E. S. Sherman, who for the past ten weeks has been indentified with THE NEWS, left the city this morning for Mount Holly. Three weeks hence he expects to start for Colorado, and expressed great increase in physical vigor. His many friends in this city wish him the greatest prosperity. He goes from the "Colorado of the East" to the "Colorado of the World," and if his future opinion of the one ever surpasses his present high opinion of the other, it will have to be great indeed.

DINELLEN.

We are booming here just now; talk very strong of declaring our independence in becoming a city electing a mayor and other high officers, and have a big time generally and enterprising town. Among the many notables named for the office of mayor is one of our popular merchants

Thursday evening the Christian Endeavor Society met at the parsonage. The host and hostess did all they could to make the evening most enjoyable and pleasant to all present.

Judge Coles has been for sometime and is now, confined to his home with a severe and stubborn attack of rheumatism. We miss him in our midst and we long for time when he can be among us again to grasp him by the hand in hearty congratulations of his return to health and strength once more.

The Rev. John Handcock of our place contemplates a trip to merry old England the coming fall to his birth, to return once more the fond embrace of kin, and alas to find many a vacant chair. His health which has been for sometime past, quite delicate, we hope will be wholly restored to him and so we wish him "Bon voyage." "ROMULUS."

STATE NOTES.

Sophia Earl of Hackensack, aged one hundred and one years was buried yesterday.

Justice of the Peace Ernest Crowe, of Jersey City, who pleaded guilty to a charge of extortion in accepting payment for the issuing of a warrant, was fined $50 yesterday by Judge Lippincott in the Court of Sessions.

The Rev. Dr. J. R. Boyle, pastor of St. Paul's Methodist Episcopal church, of Newark, has received a call from the Eighty-Sixth Street Methodist Church, New York, and will probably go there next Spring. Three former pastors of St. Paul's were called to the Eighty-sixth Street church, and served in the pastorate.

Postmaster Price of New Brunswick is again charged with employing incompetent clerks and conducting the office in an improper manner. This time it is by Henry M. Thomas of Jamesburg, in a letter to Mr. Bodine of New Brunswick, both employed by the Howard Insurance Company of New York. They claim to have lost considerable money through the delay.

SCOTCH PLAINS.

Miss Florence L. Young is summering at Round Lake.

Scotch Plains abounds in summer boarders who choose this quiet and cool retreat in preference to the heat of the sea shore.

The funeral of John R. Miller takes place at 2 p. m. Sunday, July 17, at the Methodist Episcopal church. No Sunday school session will be held.

Rev. E. F. Fowler, pastor of the M. E. church preaches Sunday at 10.30 a. m. Subject "Pictures of the Soul." The Sun at 8 p. m. "The Souls only Anchor." During the summer days the evening service will be brief.

A CONSPICUOUS FEATURE.

More Rambling Remarks About Noses and Tongues—Locally Applied.

Recently we published an article on noses, which has attracted considerable notice among our readers and among newspapers throughout the country.

Edwin Dorr McCarthy, the eminent New York lawyer, who has on two occasions so charmed by his quiet, scholarly yet earnest and eloquent talks in the Second Baptist Church Hall temperance meetings, last week started on a trip to Europe, proposing to spend the summer along the Rhine, and in Spain, to avail himself of the privileges of study of the classical treasures to be found there. Before his return, he will visit the tomb of Cervantes.

While sitting with some friends from New York and Plainfield on the deck of a steamer before its departure, with a copy of THE NEWS in his hands, the article in question was commented on and the conclusion reached, that Mr. McCarthy giving information after this fashion to show that the old Romans entertained the same idea.

Artist Julian Scott, of this city, recalled lines from Horace which showed consideration for the nasal organ. As a common expression in these days is "speaking of a level-headed man, to say that he was a "wise man with a well-wired nose." Another expression was "a long-nosed man," meaning a man of good perceptive faculties.

And to come down to the present day. Mr. McCarthy recalled several instances to show that a long nose is a sign of courage. Also a bull-dog head had courage; on the contrary showing him a coward when true courage was required, as compared with the long-nosed man, who is usually intelligent.

Old soldiers will remember another circumstance in this connection. In the army it was noticed that soldiers of strong religious convictions were the coolest and most fearless and unflinching in battle. Short noses are not a distinctive characteristic of the religiously inclined, although of course, there are exceptions to all rules. The late John Bute Holmes of Washington Valley had an abnormally short nose, and was a notoriously bad man.

A keen-scented nose does not always indicate healthy odor. There is a man on the Park avenue, who at times has the most acute sense of smell, yet this abnormal keenness is painful to him. He has had fever, and every summer for the past eight years has suffered terribly. The disease runs for twenty years, and medical men know practically nothing about how to cure it. In this case, the patient has been kept alive by take a cold water bath at night to secure even two or three hours sleep, and then the chances are that he will awake more than once, his pillow soaked with blood from his nose, and will be exhausted all next day.

But it takes two persons to make a man's character, and the shape or condition of his nose may have little, if anything, to do with it. The peculiar nose of Napoleon I. he had, and to the short nosed man was attributed courage because so many men of that type of nose were known to be courageous.

There will be some interest felt in the subject, and each person will draw his own conclusion.

The dangers of using one's tongue or nose too much are illustrated by the following:

Recently Mr. L. B. Woolston, of the firm of Woolston & Buckle, painters and decorators, had not a word to say to his friends, but was thought him as silent as the Egyptian Sphinx. His tongue had got him in trouble, and he concluded it was best to keep it quiet. Seeing him for awhile to keep still. About a week ago he had picked up a bottle in Shawe's drug store, while talking to a friend, and thoughtlessly removing the cork put the bottle to his lips. It was labeled "poison," but he thought the bottle contained some cough mixture. In reffity it had in it a horse liniment, one of the strongest that can be compounded. His tongue was severely blistered and he dropped the bottle in a hurry. He was in great pain and pyreated quite like a demoniac dervish until a doctor could be got to give relief. Mr. Woolston's injuries are not serious, but he will exercise more caution to investigate the contents of strange bottles.

While on this subject the danger of the practice of smelling of bottles containing mixtures might be dilated upon.

Not long ago a young man in this city put his nostrils to a bottle containing phosphorus, a most deadly mixture. From one inhalation he was near death's door.

At another time a well known physician here, while behind the counter at a drug store, put his nose over a bottle to get the smell of its contents when the druggist discovered him. His life was probably saved by the druggist, who warned him in time.

The bottle contained nitrate of amyl, ten drops of which would cause almost instant death, and only a small quantity of which inhaling it, in its pure form. It is used to excite the heart's action as a last resource, and when thus used it is rapidly diluted. It is soon exhausted and collapses. In other words death ensues.

But here is what is said about it in the National Dispensary, an authority with chemists and druggists, relating particularly to its action upon the heart:

"On Man.—On being inhaled the heart becomes excited, the pulse rising from 70 to 120 or more, as felt at the radial artery, though diminishing; the skin, and especially the face, turning red; there is also a sensation of heat and the breathing is hastened as it is after rapid walking. If the dose is large, the sight may be diminished and in the field of vision sometimes a yellow circle appears, surrounded by a violet border. It neither increases nor lessens the heat of the body. In full doses it depresses the normal temperature by from one to three degrees Fahr. Sanders has recorded a fall of 5°. The pulse becomes rapid, and its action irregular, and Samelson one in which the usual flush was succeeded by death in a few minutes. Ordinarily, however, upon the skin cold and clammy, and respiration difficult and gasping; although consciousness may remain for some minutes, as testified to by Jastrowitz. It is alleged that the action of amyl nitrite is more rapid than that of nitroglycerine, while some persons can without injury inhale thirty or forty drops, others are sensibly affected even by the fraction of a drop."

Bitter Litigation Expected.

A syndicate of capitalists has purchased considerable real estate near Pompton, Passaic County for the purpose of embarking extensively in the manufacture of gunpowder. It is reported that the Standard Oil Company is furnishing the capital for the enterprise. Work has already been begun upon erecting the necessary buildings. The law of New Jersey provides that powder works shall not be erected within a certain distance of any public road. An old road ran through the property from Bottles Corner. It had not been used for years, and it was recently vacated according to the forms of law. Adjoining the property is owned by a number residents of Jacob S. Rogers, the millionaire locomotive builder of Paterson. Mr. Rogers has a summer residence there, and is very much opposed to the location of the powder factory in the place. Bitter litigation is expected.

The Coroner's Jury chosen to investigate the mystery surrounding the death of Miss Louise Jordan of Woodbridge, has brought in a verdict of suicide.

BY THE WAY.

The various rambles about town I find people who think Cowell would serve us all better for the money, first, if the water works and drainage problem, instead of the City Hall project. Such people think the public health is of greater importance than the saving of rent or even the convenience of officials. They seem to think that if the city fathers had to live in sections of the town that contain from three to five cesspools, within a radius of fifty feet, they would prefer unconstaminated air to magnificent office-rooms. No thoughtful man, so those people say, considers all the wells of Plainfield secure against the poison that creates scarlet fever, diptheria and the like, and no person likes to lug up to a mosquito-breading, cholaraic cesspool.

THE TATTLER.

Arrested for Past Driving.

About 6.45 o'clock last evening Policeman Lynch arrested a man named James Emmens for fast driving through the streets of the city.

Emmons was taken to the station house and locked up for the night. The man was apparently under the influence of liquor. His horse and carriage were taken to a stable for the night. This morning he was arraigned before city Judge Ulrich and his trial was set down for next week. He furnished bail for his appearance.

The Postal Clerk's Tale

As the News stated yesterday, Stephen Peckins, the ex-Post Office clerk, formerly of New Brunswick, who now thinks he has a solution of the Rahway mystery, has for some time past been an inmate of the asylum at Morristown, N. J., hence the officials of Rahway are not as much concerned over his theories as they would be had he always borne a reputation for sanity. Be he sane or insane his theory is plausible and deserves investigation.

Died.

MILLER—At Fanwood, on Wednesday, July 13th, Mrs. John C. Miller in the 79th year of her age.

Relatives and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral services from the Methodist church Fanwood, on Sunday 17th inst, at 3 o'clock p. m. 15-3t

JONES—In this city July 15th, William Llewelyn Jones, in his 2d year.

Funeral from his late residence, Seventh street and Park avenue, Sunday afternoon at three o'clock.

Interment private.

CHASE—In this city, on Thursday, July 14th, 1887, Frederick P. Chase in the 53rd year of his age.

Relatives and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral services from his late residence, 108 East Front street on Monday 18th inst, at 11 o'clock a. m. 15-3t

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SATURDAY, JULY 16, 1887.

SPORTING MATTERS.

The Record of Baseball Games and Turf Events.

Ball games yesterday: At New York—Chicago, 5; New York, 4. At Washington—Washington, 10; Pittsburg, 9. At Philadelphia—Philadelphia, 3; Detroit, 2. At Boston—Indianapolis, 6; Boston, 3. At Cincinnati—Cincinnati, 11; Brooklyn, 3. At St. Louis—St. Louis, 8; Athletic, 2. At Cleveland—Cleveland, 7; Metropolitan, 6. (11 innings). At Louisville—Louisville, 7; Baltimore, 1. At Utica—Utica, 10; Scranton, 6. At Rochester—Rochester, 6; Jersey City, 3. At Syracuse—Syracuse, 8; Hillsdale first, 2; Hillsdale second, 7. At Waterbury—Waterbury, 15; Danbury, 7. At New Haven—New Haven, 8; Hartford, 7.

UTICA, N. Y., July 16.—The franchise of the Utica baseball club, including base ball park, with all its appurtenances, has been sold to Wilkesbarre, Pa., yesterday. The cause was the test to be played by the home team. The Toronto were to have played here to-day, but instead are playing at Wilkesbarre. All of the members of the team were paid their salaries last night and are now free to sign wherever they like.

CINCINNATI, July 16.—Members of the Brooklyn baseball club, in police court yesterday, were each fined the costs for playing a game of baseball on Sunday while here on their last visit. Manager Byrne was the only one brought back from St. Louis shortly after the offense, but Judge Caldwell postponed the case for their accommodation until yesterday. The game resulted here on their second trip of the season.

NEW YORK, July 16.—Weather good and track fast yesterday. First race, three-quarter mile: Ben Ali first, Bob Miles second, Chinchilla third; time, 1:17½. Second race, seven furlongs; Nat Goodwin first, Mamselle second, Kink third; time, 1:29¾. Third race, mile and an eighth: Fred Kelly first, Pilot second, Ernest third; time, 1:57½. Fourth race, one mile; Tornado first, Tattler second, Battledore third; time, 1:44. Fifth race, mile: Hillrock first, Fruit second, Jim Clare third; time, 1:44. Sixth race, mile and a sixteenth; Hermitage first, Compensation second, Dizzy Bennette third; time, 1:51½. Seventh race, three-quarters of a mile; Pop Wellington first, Crichton second, Night Unseen third; time, 1:18.

BUFFALO, N. Y., July 16.—First race, yesterday, 5 furlongs: selling; upward. Three-quarters of a mile; Danville first, Braidwood second, Job Creson third; time, 1:16. Second race, mile and a sixteenth: Santa Claus first, Jim Record second, Fitter third; time, 1:51½. Third race, three-quarter of a mile; Little Joe first, George Angus second, Peter L. third; time, 1:15½. Fourth race, one mile: Pink Cottage first, Panama second, Hornpipe third; time, 1:41¾. In the first race two jockeys, Riggs and Trainor, were thrown, and Riggs was so hurt that he will not be able to ride again at this meeting. Red Squirrel, owned by Mr. Frank Stewart, fell in this race and was so badly hurt that he had to be killed shortly afterward. The second race was declared off on the ground that Ligan was held back.

CHICAGO, July 16.—Yesterday's events: First race, mile and a sixteenth: Fat Man first, Outstep second, Fitter third; time, 1:49¾. Second race, one mile, selling: Kader Kahn first, Comelie second, Fred Zeibig third; time, 1:43½. Third race, three-quarters of a mile, selling: Revoke first, Arethusa second, Verner third; time, 1:20¾. Fourth race, mile and a sixteenth: Safe Ban first, Lovell second, Bob Nail third; time, 1:48. Fifth race, three-quarters of a mile: Bello K. first, Allie second, Darby third; time, 1:16½. Sixth race, three-quarters of a mile; Poteen first, Colonel Owens second, Glen Hall third; time, 1:15¾.

NEW YORK, July 16.—Jim Glynn, the Brooklyn heavy weight, expects to fight Pete Nolan, of Cincinnati, eight rounds, Sept. 1. Jack Dempsey is arranging it. Dempsey may drop pugilism himself if he succeeds as a manager.

Marine Intelligence.

NEW YORK, July 16.—Arrived, Steamers Saale, Bremen and Southampton; Marsala, Hamburg; Delaware, Fernandina; Galileo, Hull; Burlington, Gibraltar; Rhein, Genoa; Rotterdam, Bark Hasselnolder, Macassar.

To be Hanged Sept. 9.

ALBANY, N. Y., July 16.—George Wilson, convicted of murder in the first degree for killing his wife, was sentenced to be hanged in the Albany county jail, in this town, on Sept. 9.

TRADE BULLETIN.

New York Money and Produce Market Quotations.

NEW YORK, July 15.—The Stock Exchange adjourned at noon to-day in accordance with the death of Vice-President Hill. The last loan for money was 2 per cent. Exchange was steady at 4.83½@4.83; actual rates, 4.84@4.84¾ for sixty days and 4.88@4.88¾ for demand. Government firm; currency 6s, 104 bid; 4s, coup., 107¾ bid; 4½s, 3s., 108¾.

The stock market this morning was quite active, but the tone of speculation was strong and prices advanced from the opening up to the time of the adjournment of the exchange at 11 o'clock. Nearly every stock, except New York and New England and Missouri Pacific, were from ½ to 1 per cent higher at the hour named than when they closed last evening. The impression was general on the "street" that the long and threatening struggles for an advantage between the parties in the proposed purchase and sale of the Baltimore Railroad and Telegraph property had brought matters to a close, and that the transfer of the property and its final amalgamation with a number of other properties, including the Philadelphia, Wilmington and Baltimore and Terminal systems, would now be a matter of details that would be completed within the next few days. This was the main cause for the strengthening of values.

General Markets.

NEW YORK, July 15.—FLOUR—Closed steady; winter wheat extra, $4.00@4.50; Minnesota do., $4.00@4.50; city mill extra, $4.40@4.60; for West Indies, $4.50@5.00; flour closed steady; common to choice extra, $3.30@4.50.

WHEAT—Options were moderately active, but weak, and closed ½@¾c lower. Spot sales closed weak and ½@¾c lower; Spot sales of No. 2 red state, nominal; No. 2 do., 89½c; No. 2 red winter, 84c; regraded do., 80½c; No. 2 mixed, July, 84c; July, 84½@84¾c; Aug., 82½@82¾c; do., Sept., 81¾@82c.

CORN—Options were fairly active and closed firm and ½@¾c higher. Spot lots closed weak and ½c lower. Spot sales of No. 2 mixed, 48¾c; regraded do., 48½c; No. 2 mixed, July, 48¾c; July, 48¾@49c; Aug., 47¾@48c; do., Sept., 45¾@46c.

OATS—Options were dull, but firm, and closed ½@¾c higher. Spot lots closed dull and ½c higher. Spot sales of No. 1 white state, 40c; No. 2 white, 39c; No. 2 mixed, July, 33½c; do., Aug., 30½@31c; do., Sept., 28½c.

RYE—Dull; western, 58@59c; state, 57@58c.

BARLEY—Dull and nominal.

PORK—Firm; old and new mess, $11.25@11.75.

LARD—Closed strong and moderately active; July, $6.80@6.82; Aug., $7.85; Sept., $7.81.

BUTTER—Dull; western creamery, 16@20c; state, 20@24c.

CHEESE—Quiet; state factory, 8@9c.

EGGS—Easier; state, 13@13½c; western, 12@13c.

MANGLED AND ROASTED

IN A RAILROAD SMASHUP AT ST. THOMAS, ONT.

A Train Filled with Passengers Crashes Into a Freight Car Filled with Oil, Adding an Explosion to the Disaster. The Engineer sticks to His Post.

ST. THOMAS, Ont., July 16.—One of the most appalling disasters which has ever happened in western Ontario occurred at 7:15 this morning just outside of the Michigan Central and the London and Port Stanley railway, resulting in the loss of nine men lives and the injury of over forty other persons, three or four fatally.

A special east bound Michigan Central freight train was pulling out of the yard as the regular excursion train from Port Stanley approached with ten coaches, literally packed with residents of this city and of London.

Engineer Harry Donnelly was in charge of the Port Stanley train, and as he was crossing the bridge he noticed, as the fireman states, that the semaphore was closed against him. As he approached Wellington street he applied the air brakes, but they were useless and refused to work. He then whistled for brakes and reversed his engine, but as the levers was without effect. A "nervy" idea at some time was occupied in reversing it. From Wellington street to the crossing the train ran with lever reversed.

The violent whistling had alarmed pedestrians and passengers alike, and that a collision was unavoidable was evident. The passengers commenced emerging from the windows, and every available means of egress was taken advantage of. The majority of the passengers in the car next to the engine had got out when the engine plunged into the Michigan Central freight train. Engineer Donnelly could be seen in the cab with his hand on the lever, still endeavoring to make the air brakes work.

As if fate were linked to add additional horror to an already sufficiently appalling affair, the section of the freight train into which the engine of the passenger train plowed consisted of two cars containing tanks filled with crude oil and one car loaded with barrels of refined oil, and, almost before the passengers heard the crash of the collision, it was followed by a tremendous explosion, which could be heard for miles. A pyramid of red fire and black clouds of smoke towered up in the air, and in a moment sheets of fire rained out and enveloped the cars, dwellings and warehouses in the vicinity.

When the engine struck the oil tanks it tore the man hole from the top, and but a moment elapsed before the oil was in a blaze, and the roaring of the flames could be heard all over the city. When the collision occurred the engine bent, swayed and surged for a moment, and finally, turning partially over, fell to the ground on the other side of the track. Through the volumes of flame through the black smoke and cinders that was visible twenty-five miles away, accompanied by a roar overpowering all other sounds.

The burning oil was scattered around in all directions, setting fire to Griffin's coal and salt warehouses, J. L. Campbell's dwelling and warehouse and other structures in the vicinity, destroying all of these, incurring a loss of about $50,000.

Herman Ponsford of the fire department, was almost entirely enveloped in a cloud of flame, and when the smoke cleared away it was seen that from head to foot he was a living mass of flames. He was promptly wrapped in carpets and the flaming remnants of his vest and trousers were torn from his blazing body, exhibiting the cooked flesh beneath. His injuries are of a horrible nature and he cannot recover.

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Engineer Joyce, of Grand Trunk railroad, was a mass of flames. His clothing was stripped from his body by willing hands, and he was taken home in a cab.

Mrs. Speed, living in the path of the explosion, had had her collar bone broken.

A. Chudley, was run over by a hose reel, and had his leg broken.

John McKellar, Charles Chisholm, R. Hutson, John Stirling, Allie and Archie Narsworthy, Thomas Johnson, Thomas Doherty, D. McCallum, Martha Lamsey, Frank Queen, Charles Dahn, A. A. Merman and scores of others, were painfully burned by the blazing oil, many of them fatally.

Hon. A. Francis, United States consul, was struck by a hose reel and terribly injured. His recovery is doubtful.

The following bodies have been recognized: Ed. Hutchinson, engineer of the excursion train; J. Smither, wife and daughter; A. J. Merman and daughter.

Mrs. W. H. King, who, with her three children, was in the car next to the engine, tells a vivid story of the wreck. This was the only car that took fire, and it was consequently the one car that the victims who were incinerated were riding. Mrs. King states that the train was running unusually fast from Port Stanley, a lady who was in the car ahead of her, that the time occupied was but fifteen minutes. At Wellington street Mrs. King noticed that the train slackened speed somewhat, but it was not until the train was opposite the street that she suspected anything wrong. She was looking to the left and observed the Michigan Central freight train. For a moment after the shock she was unable to understand how the passenger train to pass through, but on looking out of the opposite window she saw that the engine was standing in incorrect and that a collision was about to take place. About as soon as she realized this fact the crash came. The locomotive of the passenger train struck the freight, and the rear section of the latter crashed into the passenger train.

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INSANE ASYLUM ABUSES.

Report of the Commissioners after an Investigation.

NEW YORK, July 16.—The coroner's jury investigating the death of Samuel Roth, an inmate of the insane asylum on Ward's Island, whose body bore the appearance of having been beaten to death, rendered a verdict, as follows: "That Samuel Roth's death was hastened through the carelessness and inefficiency of the night attendants. That the assistant night staff failed in their duty in their indifference in their treatment toward the patient, as contained in their evidence. That a proper investigation be made by the coroner's office in securing help in proportion to the number of patients, and if not that it be remedied."

The coroner held Anthony Brown and James O'Rourke, night attendants at the asylum, in $500 bail each to await the action of the grand jury.

At the examination Dr. Treutmann swore that he examined the body carefully shortly after Roth died, and found no ribs broken or fractured. He believed the man's ribs were broken after his death by some malicious person who was desirous of injuring the asylum officials.

STATE BOARD OF ARBITRATION

Investigating the Strike of the Brooklyn Elevated Engineers.

BROOKLYN, July 16.—The hearing in the case of the Brooklyn Elevated railroad strike was begun before the state board of arbitration yesterday afternoon. The roads were represented by counsel. Engineer Wright and P. P. Sargent, grand master of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen, were present as witnesses. After both sides had been satisfied in being repulsed by Col. Martin, the superintendent of the road, when they presented a bill of grievances, the colonel during the interview being considerable profane language and roundly abusing Wright. The men now running the engines on the road, Wright testified, are wholly incompetent, some being drunkards, while others have never handled engines before. At 4 o'clock, upon request of the company's counsel, the examination was adjourned until to-day.

A dispatch was received from Chief Arthur, of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, saying that he was not coming to this city. The men, he said, had tried by all honorable means to prevent a strike, and having quit work with the consent of the order would received its support.

After His Runaway Daughter.

New York, July 16.—Robert Brandt, the stage driver, whose little daughter disappeared with Joseph Wilson, a gambler, last Thursday, has traced the fugitives to Yonkers, where they attended a picnic. Thursday evening Wilson had tried to get a room at the hotel, but was refused, as his true relation to the girl was suspected. The girl attracted considerable attention by her manner of her modest actions, as compared with those of another girl who had been in company with a pal of Wilson's. The party had left the hotel in a carriage for Yonkers. As yet no reward has been offered for information concerning the runaway, and several detectives are searching for her.

Another Collision and Fire.

LINCOLN, Neb., July 16.—Yesterday a west bound freight train on the Burlington and Missouri road ran into a freight standing about four miles east of the city and a disastrous collision resulted. The engines met on a high trestle and fell to the ground, the flame destroying both engines and thirteen loaded cars, including two cars of cattle. The trainmen all saw the approaching danger in time to jump. Engineer Dick Hall and his son Charley, who were in one of the stock cars with their household goods, were seriously hurt about the face, hands and feet. It is reported that the following unknown persons perished in the wreck and flames.

Killed Himself, but Not the Girl.

WEST NEWTON, Pa., July 16.—Thomas J. Williams, 30 years old, attempted to shoot Maggie Catlin, aged 20, near her residence here last evening. Meeting her in company with her brother on the street, he asked her to shake hands, which she refused, whereupon he drew a revolver, but was prevented from using it by the girl's brother, who started to run when Williams pursued her. He fired once and, seeing her fall, thought he had killed her, pointed the revolver at his head and blew out his brains. Both parties are colored. The girl escaped injury, as her fall was from fright. Jealousy is supposed to be the cause.

Accident to Mrs. Logan.

CARBONDALE, Ills., July 16.—While Mrs. Gen. Logan, accompanied by Mrs. Henry Campbell, of this city, were out riding the horse they were driving became frightened and backed the buggy over an embankment, Mrs. Logan in attempting to jump was caught her foot in a wheel, and was thrown under the horse's feet. She sustained a severe scalp wound, and her left arm and side were badly bruised. A surgeon was immediately called, who pronounced the wound quite serious, but not necessarily dangerous.

A Bloomin' Snob. You Know.

LONDON, July 16.—In the lobby of the house of commons last evening Dr. Tanner, the irrepressible Irish member, came face to face with the middle division of Cork, became engaged in a heated argument with four Tory members, and in his excitement applied the epithet "snob" to each of them. After Tanner, Mrs. King noticed that the train slackened speed somewhat, but it was not until the train was opposite the street that she suspected anything wrong. She was looking to the left and observed the Michigan Central freight train. For a moment after the shock she was unable to understand how the passenger train to pass through, but on looking out of the opposite window she saw that the engine was standing in incorrect and that a collision was about to take place. About as soon as she realized this fact the crash came. The locomotive of the passenger train struck the freight, and the rear section of the latter crashed into the passenger train.

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The would be murderers were all arrested, being caught near the palace. While they were being conducted to the guard room, "We have already had enough of Marie Paulowna!" referring to the wife of the Grand Duke Vladimir, brother of the czar, whom the populace had suspected of making proselytes to her faith. It is stated that a previous attempt was made to assassinate the Grand Duchess Elizabeth.

THEY DEMAND HIS ARREST.

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DETROIT, Mich., July 16.—On the day following the shooting of Private Arthur Stone, by Sergt. Clark, at Fort Wayne, several citizens, old soldiers, visited the United States district attorney to give free expression to their indignation, and to urge that Sergt. Clark be fined the limit. He is expected the most of them will be given work on the remaining contracts. The company loses about $85,000, with but little insurance. Work will be commenced, however, and the vessels will be rebuilt.

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It is a great mistake to suppose that Gen. Boulanger's isolation from the capital has had the effect to dishearten him or to cool the ardor of his followers. Neither of these are the other of the government's purposes in banishing the ex-war minister to a remote military post has been successful, and it now seems probable that through the excitement left for the prolongation of its existence the hereafter be waged upon the Boulanger issue alone rather than upon any of the questions springing from the foreign or internal policy. There is not the slightest doubt that Boulanger hopes, and indeed confidentially expects, to return to Paris in triumph, and there is no doubt that the present situation of his case as between the ministry and the people to indicate that his return would be impossible.

It has transpired that the cavalry and infantry on review at Longchamps were served with ball cartridges, and the government fully expected that their use would be demanded by the populace in the event of a riot. That there was no disturbance, and consequently no necessity for bringing into requisition the most drastic of the government's precautionary measures, is a fact which caused more surprise than gratification to the ministry, and of this there can be no doubt. Hostile Boulanger demonstration that could have been summarily put down by the heavily armed troops the government had equipped for that purpose would have been a most welcome event to the ministry, as serving the double purpose of overawing the adherents of Boulanger and inspiring public confidence in the stability and determination of the direction of prohibiting the publication of such articles and will probably succeed in mollifying the indignant ambassador; but it will be difficult for the ministry to persuade the people that in assuming its attitude toward Gen. Boulanger, as well as in many other ways, it has not acted in deference to the wishes of the Berlin government at the latter people are rapidly coming to the belief that peace purchased at the price of German domination of the French government is altogether too dearly bought.

Cut in Two by a Train.

OSWEGO, N. Y., July 16.—Denis Casso, a French fisherman about 35 years of age, was run over and instantly killed by a freight train on the Rome, Watertown and Ogdensburg Railroad about 10 o'clock last night, his body being cut in two. He leaves a widow and two children.

Commandant Pro Tempore.

WASHINGTON, July 16.—Capt. Jacob A. Augur, Fifth cavalry, has been ordered to assume command at the post of West Point, and act as superintendent of the academy and as commandant of cadets, during the temporary absence of the superintendent and the commandant.

A Secret Circular.

PITTSBURG, July 16.—District assembly 126, Knights of Labor, has issued a secret circular to all assemblies headed "Why the General Officers should be Deposed." It repeats the arguments made by Lamar in the recent controversy between 126 and the executive board.

Honoring P. A. Collins.

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SCIENCE AND PROGRESS.

A CLOCK WITH A NOISELESS MOTION DESIGNED FOR SICK ROOMS.

Interesting Cases of Persons to Whom Certain Sounds Call Up Certain Colors. Explanation of a Trick Originally Performed by Robert Houdin.

The magic ball depicted in the accompanying illustration has been, of late, introduced into the toy shops and presents the appearance externally of the one used in the familiar game known as the "cup and ball." Extending through its center is a straight cylindrical aperture, and when a cord is passed through the latter the ball easily slides along it.

HOUDIN'S MAGIC BALL.

If a person who is in the secret holds the cord by its two extremities, things change, since the ball, far from falling, descends very slowly along the string, or even remains stationary, and does not come down again until the operator allows it to. This trick, which was formerly performed by Robert Houdin with a ball of large size, very much surprised spectators.

How does the affair work? readers ask. That is explained in the section of the magic ball shown in the cut. In addition to the central aperture, says La Nature, there is another curved one, which ends near the extremities of the axial perforation, and a person in the secret, while making believe pass the cord through the straight aperture, actually passes it through the curved one. It will now be apparent that it is only necessary to hasten the cord more or less in order to retard or stop the descent of the ball.

The cut shows the magic ball thus suspended between the operator's hands.

Color Sounds.

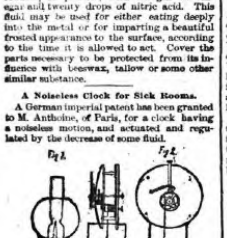
Mr. Galton, in his inquiries into human faculty, says Science, has collected a number of very interesting and strange cases of persons to whom certain sounds always call up certain colors. In one case a whole language was developed for translating colors into sound and back again, and this favored individual could read words out of a wall paper pattern, or paint a pattern in order to represent a word. Two French writers recently describe a case the peculiarity of which is its hereditary character. The gentleman in question has colors for articulated sounds, but not for musical ones. Both his son and daughter have a similar faculty. The father and daughter agree quite closely on the colors going with the vowel and consonant sounds; but the names of the numerals are quite exceptional. While words seemed colored to them only when spoken very slowly and separately, and then simply take on the colors of the component sounds, particularly the vowels, the names of the numerals have distinct colors which are entirely different in father and daughter. Intense thought of a sound can bring up the color just as really hearing it does.

Etching Fluid for Steel.

The following is highly praised for being an excellent etching fluid for steel: Mix one ounce of sulphate of copper, one-half ounce of nitric acid, one-half a teaspoonful of salt reduced to powder, with one gill of vinegar and twenty drops of nitric acid. This fluid may be used for either eating deeply into the metal or for imparting a beautiful frosted appearance to the surface, according to the time it is allowed to act. Cover the parts necessary to be protected from its influence with beeswax, tallow or some other similar substance.

A Noiseless Clock for Sick Rooms.

A German imperial patent has been granted to M. Anthoine, of Paris, for a clock having a noiseless motion, and actuated and regulated by the decrease of some fluid.



A NOISELESS CLOCK.

In the cut furnished by The Jewelers' circular, Fig. 1 gives the side view, while Fig. 2 is the setting arrangement for the hands. The principle of the system is as follows: The train or the hands are set in motion by the unrolling of a chain, one end of which is fastened to a drum, the other end, however, to a float, swimming upon the surface of a fluid contained in a receptacle, "A." This fluid escapes at a uniform rate, no matter in what manner this may be effected. This decrease of the volume of the fluid may be brought about either by feeding a lamp burner or by dropping away, or by any other manner. The clock shown in the cut is run by feeding a burner and serves not only as a clock but night lamp.

As the clock performs by force of the diminishing of the fluid contained in a receptacle, it is evident that it will go correctly, no matter in what manner this decrease may have been effected, whether by dropping away or by burning. To operate the clock during the time that light is not wanted, a spigot arrangement can be connected with it, through which the fluid gradually drops in order to establish a uniform decrease of fluid. At night, when the lamp is lit, the dropper is fixed and the diminution takes place by means of combustion.

The Cobra Plant of Himalaya.

The cobra plant of Himalaya, belonging to the family Aroidea, so strikingly resembles a cobra with its head erect that persons coming upon it unaware instinctively recoil with horror. The half moon shaped markings on the cobra's head and the lines on its neck are imitated in the flower sheath of the plant, while the tongue like elongation of the pistil and of the midrib of the flower sheath serve to increase the resemblance of the plant to a living animal.

GEN. MEADE'S STATUE.

The Hero of Gettysburg is to Be Hoisted Upon His Pedestal.

The hero of Gettysburg is soon to have a bronze equestrian statue, which will be the largest of the kind in this country, and will stand in Fairmount park, near Philadelphia. We present a view of the statue as it appeared supported by scaffolding just after casting. It is the work of Alexander M. Calder, the artist who did the design of the decorative work of the Philadelphia city hall,

GEN. MEADE'S STATUE.

and from his models the casting was done on the 29th of February and the casting a few days ago by the Henry Bergner Bronze company, of New York. It is classed as of heroic size, but might well be called colossal, as it is twelve feet in hei ht and the horse is eleven feet long. The cast me was an event of rare interest. Three skilful men worked three months in preparing the molds from the artist's models. Then 7,750 pounds of bronze were melted and poured in from large crucibles in seven minutes. This must be done quickly or the cooling will be irregular. As the metal loses some weight in the process, the completed statue weighs just a little over 7,000 pounds; it is apparent, therefore, that many portions of the shell are thin—that is, a core of sand within the moulded mold reduced the thickness of the bronze. The success of the completed casting is quite a notable event among molders.

The statue when mounted on its granite base, which is rectangular and five feet high, will be very impressive. The general is in the attitude of acknowledging a salute. He has reined back his horse and holds in his right hand, hanging at his side, his fatigue cap and gloves. His uncovered head is beautifully and faithfully outlined. The fore feet of the horse are planted together, and a slight lowering of the hind feet gives the effect of spirited action. The cost of the entire statue is $35,000.

Queen's Jubilee Procession.

The English papers are giving the first complete and accurate illustrations obtainable of the elaborate jubilee ceremonies at London and elsewhere in England have just arrived in this country. The London Illustrated

PASSING WATERLOO PLACE.

News, among other illustrations of the London ceremonies, gives a view of the royal procession passing the Guards memorial in Waterloo place, also a view of the procession on the Victoria embankment, en route for Westminster abbey. If the manner of keeping the streets clear, as shown in the last illustration, is universally practiced there is at least one marked difference between English and American processions.

From the text accompanying the illustrations it is to be inferred citizens of this country can scarcely conceive how elaborate was the homage paid in this event to royalty in magnificent street displays, decorations of buildings and the demonstrations of the popu-

PASSING VICTORIA EMBANKMENT.

lace. Her majesty's state carriage was preceded by a cavalcade of seventeen princes, nine of them her grandsons or husbands of her granddaughters, five of them her sons-in-law and three her sons. The queen's state carriage was drawn by six cream colored horses. The imperial crown princess of Germany and Princess of Wales rode with her. A number of other notables and an escort of troops completed the procession.

Inventor Edison's Diet.

The only meat which Mr. Edison, the inventor, will eat is beefsteak. He likes all kinds of vegetables, and for dessert always takes fruit, strawberries being favorites. It only takes him a few minutes to eat his dinner. Soups are omitted from his table. When Mr. Edison uses the telephone he fairly shocks whoever receives his message by talking very loudly. Being slightly deaf, he does not appreciate the high pitch of his own voice.—Chicago Times.

The Deadly Opposition Paper.

A Dakota newspaper says: "A man living about twelve miles from here died from poisoning Monday afternoon. It seems he ate a lunch that had been wrapped in a copy of one localized and disgusting contemporary and it killed him. Others should take strong hog."—Dakota Bell.

MAN'S DEVELOPMENT.

CHANNELS THROUGH WHICH FLOW HEREDITARY INFLUENCES.

What Wonder that Man is a Bundle of Inconsistencies?—Intermarriage Among the Ruling Classes—Slight Breeding of Jews—Peruvians.

How diverse the influences of heredity must be can perhaps be learned from consideration of the vastness of the number of the channels through which they have reached the man who lives today. The different classes of people in existence produce from one hundred to three and three-fourths generations per century. Assuming that there have been three generations to each 100 years and that there had been no intermarriage of blood relations, a person would have had two parents, four grandparents and eight great-grandparents, fourteen in all, in the first 100 years. In the two centuries that his number of ancestors would have been 126; in the five there would have been 65,536 and in the ten centuries there would have lived 2,196,863,646 human beings whose diverse traits of body and character, whose impulses, feelings and thoughts have mingled to produce the man of today.

Yet these generations do not even extend back to the beginning of the Christian era, and before that lie century on century before the dawn of written history is reached. And still beyond that stretch dimly generations innumerable along the path which led up from the age of the brutes from whom man is descended. What wonder that man is a bundle of inconsistency; that the staggering under this load of instincts inherited from ancestors who were only yesterday savage robbers and cutthroats, is forever struggling upward toward a high ideal, only often to slip and lose much of the progress he has made.

Of the multitudes of facts which might have thrown strong light on the laws which govern the development of man, only a very few have been intelligently observed and recorded, even by the nations that consider themselves the most highly civilized. It is more than possible that ancient peoples may have noted such facts and derived from them rules for hastening the improvement of their kind, or in part for maintaining the supremacy of the initiated over the masses.

The incestuous marriages of the ruling classes of the oldest known civilizations seem to have been in obedience to well defined knowledge of the fact that by such means the instinct and power of ruling would be intensified and perpetuated. Before the time of Moses the Egyptians were divided into castes, the members of which married within their own classes. It seems to be certain that the wedding of brothers to sisters was by no means so uncommon as to excite comment, for kings and nobles customarily married their full sisters, nieces and cousins, that the veins of their descendants might not be defiled by ignoble blood. Of thirteen Ptolemies seven married their sisters, two wedded their nieces, two married full cousins and one his niece-in-law.

The custom of marrying near kin was by no means confined to Egypt. The founders of the tribes of Israel obeyed the laws of high breeding, so far as practicable. The patriarch Abraham took his *half sister* Sarah to wife; Nahor wedded his niece Milcah; the case of Lot and his daughters needs only a reference; Jacob married his first cousins Leah and Rachel; Esau married his first cousin, Mahalath, because his parents insisted so strongly on its strengthening the blood of the family, and to this day the descendants of those worthies are exceedingly exclusive in regard to marriage connections. The result is that the Hebrews are a people in whom peculiar characteristics have become so intensified and strengthened that they are an almost constant and irresistible factor in human affairs. "Wherever the Jewish race has hitherto been studied," says M. Boudin, "it has shown itself governed by statistical laws as to births, deaths, and the proportion of the sexes, entirely different from those which govern the surrounding communities."

But the lessons of hereditary influences were studied by nations that were old before the Hebrews began to have a history, and those lessons were taught in widely separated parts of the globe. In India caste regulations have done much more than forbid marriages between members of different castes. In China the most careful attention is paid to hereditary influences. Galton says: "There the system of examination is notoriously strict and far reaching, and boys of promise are sure to be passed on from step to step until they have reached the highest level of which they are capable." It is said that in China the parents and even the grandparents of the offender against the laws are punished jointly with the criminal for his wrong doing. So convinced are the Afghans of the high value of pure blood that they show marked contempt for a man who cannot trace his pedigree clearly for at least seven generations, and in this their neighbors of Beloochistan resemble the Afghans. The Mingrelese of the Black sea, the gypsies of Egypt, and the nobles and royal families of Polynesia follow the fashion of inbreeding, as did the ancient Germans, Danes, Icelanders and Persians.

Before the reign of the first of the Incas the Peruvians, who, in many particulars if not in all peculiarities, customs and acts, very closely resembled the Egyptians, married their own mothers, sisters, and even daughters. Garcilaso de la Vega says that the Peruvians taught that the sun married the moon, his sister, and that from this union the incas descended. Therefore the sister of each inca was ever afterward chosen for his chief wife, and her son was successor to the throne. The avowed purpose was to always keep pure the blood of the Peruvian royal lines. No female of that line was ever permitted to wed a vassal. If further evidence were required to prove that in these and other affairs the ancient Peruvians acted in accordance with laws derived from long continued observation and careful study of hereditary influences, that evidence may be found in the fact that in Peru at that time trades and offices were usually hereditary; no one could leave his home for another, and members of each community were required to marry within that community; consequently the greater part of the marriages were between near kin. The result showed the wisdom of those who had studied the influences of continued breeding in one line for the development of peculiar faculties, and demonstrates the soundness of the laws they enacted; for the ancient Peruvians attained a skill in the arts and knowledge of philosophy and morality probably equal to that of any civilization then in existence.—E. W. Perry in Chicago Times.

A Curious Experiment.

A curious experiment indulged in by young men about New York city who have a feeling of reasonless reward street bands is to get pieces of lemons, stand before the musicians just as they prepare to play, and begin to suck the sour fruit. It is said that no musician can shape his lips to blow his horn when sucking at a sour eating lemons, and much money is usually wagered on the result of the experiment.—Chicago News.

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Leave Plainfield at 2.37, 5.45, 6.30, 7.40, 8.40, 9.40, 10.37, 11.40 a. m., 12.40, 1.40, 2.40, 3.40, 4.40, 5.40, 6.40, 7.40, 8.40, 9.40, 10.40, 11.40 p. m.; 12.01 a. m. Sunday at 2.37, 5.45, 6.30, 7.40, 8.40, 9.40, 10.37, 11.40 a. m., 12.40, 1.40, 2.40, 3.40, 4.40, 5.40, 6.40, 7.40, 8.40, 9.40, 10.40, 11.40 p. m.; 12.01 a. m.

Leave New York at 9.00, 10.00, 11.00 a. m., 12.00 noon, 1.00, 2.00, 3.00, 4.00, 5.00, 6.00, 7.00, 8.00, 9.00, 10.00, 11.00 p. m., 12.00 night. Sunday at 9.00 a. m., 12.00 noon, 1.00, 4.00, 8.00, 9.00, 10.00, 11.00 p. m., 12.00 night.

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Leave Plainfield at 5.45, 6.30, 7.40, 8.40, 9.40, 10.37, 11.40 a. m., 12.40, 1.40, 2.40, 3.40, 4.40, 5.40, 6.40, 7.40, 8.40, 9.40, 10.40, 11.40 p. m.; 12.01 a. m. Sunday at 5.45, 6.30, 7.40, 8.40, 9.40, 10.37, 11.40 a. m., 12.40, 1.40, 2.40, 3.40, 4.40, 5.40, 6.40, 7.40, 8.40, 9.40, 10.40, 11.40 p. m.; 12.01 a. m.

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Leave Plainfield at 8.30, 9.15, 9.55, 11.15 a. m., 2.05, 3.15, 4.54, 5.10, 6.25, 9.30, 11.05 p. m. Sunday at 5.10 a. m., 5.45 p. m.

Leave Somerville at 6.05, 6.35, 7.05, 7.35, 8.15, 9.05, 10.05, 11.15 a. m., 12.05, 4.05, 5.35, 6.05, 8.32, 9.15, 9.40 p. m. Sunday at 9.15, 11.05 a. m., 1.00, 4.05, 7.05, 9.40 p. m.

Passengers for Somerville change cars at Bridgewater.

Plainfield and Somerville.

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Leave Somerville at 6.05, 6.35, 7.05, 7.35, 8.15, 9.05, 10.05, 11.15 a. m., 12.05, 4.05, 5.35, 6.05, 8.32, 9.15, 9.40 p. m. Sunday at 9.15, 11.05 a. m., 1.00, 4.05, 7.05, 9.40 p. m.

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Leave Bonnie Brae at 6.05, 6.35, 7.05, 7.35, 8.15, 9.05, 10.05, 11.15 a. m., 12.05, 4.05, 5.35, 6.05, 8.32, 9.15, 9.40 p. m. Sunday at 9.15, 11.05 a. m., 1.00, 4.05, 7.05, 9.40 p. m.

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Passengers for Somerville change cars at Bridgewater.

Westward Connections.

Leave Plainfield for Easton, Allentown, Bethlehem and Mauch Chunk.

8.30 a. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Wind Gap, Mauch Chunk, Delaware, Upper Lehigh, Scranton and Wilkesbarre.

9.21 a. m.—For Flemington, High Bridge Branch, Schooley's Mountain, Lake Hopatcong, Stanhope, Andover, Branchville, Newton, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tunkhannock, Nanticoke, Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

2.05 p. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, etc.

4.54 p. m.—For Easton, Wind Gap, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Williamsport, Delton, Wilkesbarre, Scranton and Pittston.

5.10 p. m.—For Flemington, High Bridge Branch, Schooley's Mountain, Lake Hopatcong, Easton, etc.

6.25 p. m.—For Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, etc.

Long Branch, Ocean Grove, etc.

Leave Plainfield at 3.37, 5.45, 8.00, 9.33 11.08 a. m., 1.31, 2.35 3.51, 5.34 8.54 p. m. Sunday at Ocean Grove 3.37 8.07 a.m. and 3.35 p. m.

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Leave Plainfield for Philadelphia and Trenton at 1.22, 8.10,* 9.14, 9.45, 11.44 a. m. 2.13, 3.55, 5.16 5.19*, 8.17 p. m. Sunday at 1.58, 8.10*, 9.08 a. m., 4.07 p. m.

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Leave Philadelphia, Ninth and Green Streets, at 8.20*, 9.50, 11.00 a. m., 1.15, 2.45, 3.15, 7.00 12.00 p. m. Sunday at 8.20 a. m.; 5.30, 12.00 p. m.

Leave Broad Street Station at 3.35,* 9.05 10.30 a. m.; 1.00, 2.30, 5.00, 6.00, 7. p. m. Sunday at 8.15 a.m.; 4.30 p. m.

Leave Trenton, Warren and Tyler Streets, at 1.25, 9.10,* 10.10, 11.30 a. m.; 1.54, 4 15, 5.50, 7.40 p. m. Sunday at 1.25, 8.10,* 9.40 a. m., 6.15 p. m.

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When the style from their clothes
The wanton wind blothes,
They laugh with a frisky flaughes.

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When the lines and the sails are all tacht,
When nature turns loose,
Pray what is the use
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LITTLE LAUGHS.

A fast man is very slow when it comes to paying his debts.—Fort Worth (Tex.) Mail.

Mr. Cyrus Field is discovering how sharper than a serpent's tooth it is to be the under dog in a thankless syndicate.—St. Louis Republican.

It is no great wonder that the Prince of Wales dances so charmingly. The British taxpayer settles with the fiddler.—Louisville Courier-Journal.

"Music," wrote Carlyle, "is a kind of inarticulate, unfathomable speech." It must be that he had been in high priced soprano in a phenomenal church choir.—Lowell Citizen.

Bigsby—Don't you think that Bioboso has remarkably full, pleasant voiced 'Popinjay'—Well, I don't know. His voice often sounds full to me.—Burlington Free Press.

The fellows with red neckties that you meet at the races would come under the head of outdoor amusements.—Yonkers Statesman.

It is said that croquet is going to be revived again this summer. If you are engaged you had better get married before the quarrel.—Burlington Free Press.

Gen. Butler rarely smokes, but is in the habit of carrying an unlighted cigar in his mouth. His friends say it is because it is hard for him to find his match.—New York Commercial Advertiser.

The Cincinnati bank robbers wear better clothes and pray louder than the Texas train robbers, but their principles are the same.—Fort Worth (Tex.) Gazette.

This morning a Rondout boatman, in speaking of the meanness of another man, said: "He is the meanest man I ever knew or heard of. I honestly believe that there is not a meaner nor as mean a man living today. His mother must have got a patent right on his meanness when he was born."—Kingston Freeman.

The other day a woman in Kingston, who was writing on a typewriter at a very rapid rate, was all "broken up" at hearing the strains of a band organ. She could not write until the music ceased. She gave as a reason that the rhythm of the typewriter was all out of time with that of the band organ.—Kingston Freeman.

"What kind of pudding is this, waiter?" "Tapioca, sir." "Ha! I thought it was molasses."—Boston Beacon.

A Chicago man says he never saw a cat with blue eyes and offers $250 for one. Cats with blue eyes may be scarce, but if he wants a score or two of cats with yeller voices, let him visit this town.—Norristown Herald.

"You girls want the earth," said a State street father, when one of his daughters asked him for $6 for a new jacket. "No, papa," said the ingenuous child of 20, "not the earth—only new Jersey."—Trenton Emporium.

A Practical Father.

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"Great Jeffersch! Indorse a note for a stranger? You must think I'm a fool."—Omaha World.

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Teacher—Well, what is it, Willie?

Willie—Be we goin' to have a picnic this year?—Pittsburg Chronicle.

Little, but, Oh, My!

At night, by unseen hands,
'Tis written on the wall;
Upon my mind it stands
In letters fat and tall:
'Tis howled upon the blast
And muttered in the shower;
It starts me 'gainst the mast
Each minute of the hour.

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It rings within my ears,
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PLAINFIELD EVENING NEWS.

PLAINFIELD, N. J., "THE COLORADO OF THE EAST," SATURDAY, JULY 16, 1887.

LAWS OF NEW JERSEY.

[BY AUTHORITY.]

CHAPTER CCVII.

AN ACT giving the right of suffrage to all persons, whether male or female, in any school meeting in any school district of the state.

1. Be it enacted by the Senate and General Assembly of the State of New Jersey, That every citizen of the United States of the age of twenty-one years who shall have been a resident of the state one year, and a resident of the county in which he or she claims a vote for five months next before said meeting, shall have the right to vote at all elections held in any school district of the state wherein they may reside, that no person in the military, naval or marine service of the United States, by being stationed in any garrison, barrack or military or naval depot or station within the state, and no pauper, idiot, insane person, or person convicted of a crime, which now excludes him or her from being a witness, unless pardoned or restored by law to the rights of suffrage, shall enjoy the right to vote in any school meeting.

Approved April 8, 1887.

CHAPTER CCVII.

An Act to provide for the transfer of insane criminals from the state prison to the state asylum for the insane.

1. Be it enacted by the Senate and General Assembly of the State of New Jersey, That if any person confined in any county jail or penitentiary of this state under sentence of imprisonment shall appear to be insane, the judge of the court in which he was tried, or in which the prison is situated shall, upon information of the fact from the physician of the prison, institute such inquiry as he may deem necessary, and may call two respectable physicians and other credible witnesses, and may notify the state prosecutor of the pleas, whereupon it shall be his duty to aid in the examination and, if he shall think it necessary, to be present; and that purpose he is hereby fully empowered to compel the attendance of witnesses, and examine them; and if it be satisfactorily proved that said prisoner is insane, said judge may order his or her safe custody, in such jail or prison, or one of the state lunatic asylums as may have been legally provided for the reception of the runner or indigent lunatics of the county within which said county jail or penitentiary is situated, and may direct that he remain at the expense of the state until restored to reason, or until he shall be duly by prosecutor of the pleas or the fact of his or her recovery, whereupon he or she shall be remanded to the prison to serve out the unexpired portion of his or her term of imprisonment.

2. And be it enacted, That this act shall take effect immediately.

Approved April 8, 1887.

CHAPTER CCVIII.

A Supplement to "An act for the punishment of crimes," approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four.

1. Be it enacted by the Senate and General Assembly of the State of New Jersey, That if any person shall purchase, sell, dispose of or traffic in any property, goods or chattels which contain the words "cast to be sold," a description of which is filed and registered, pursuant to the provisions of this supplement, in the office of the clerk of this State, without the consent of the owner or owners thereof, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and on the first conviction shall be punished by fine not exceeding three hundred dollars, imprisonment at hard labor not exceeding two years, or both.

2. And be it enacted, That all acts and parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act be and the same are hereby repealed.

3. And be it enacted, That this act shall take effect immediately.

Approved April 8, 1887.

CHAPTER CCIX.

Supplement to an act entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of insurance companies" (Revision), approved April eighth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five.

1. Be it enacted by the Senate and General Assembly of the State of New Jersey, That the first section of the act to which this is a supplement, be and the same is hereby amended so that it shall read as follows:

1. Be it enacted by the Senate and General Assembly of the State of New Jersey, That all insurance companies organized under the laws of other states, and desiring to do, solicit and transacting insurance in this state, shall, during the month of January in each year, furnish to the secretary of state, a statement signed and sworn to by their president and secretary specifying the name of such company, where located, the amount of paid up capital actually invested in the same, the amount of its assets, the kinds of investments, whether in bonds, mortgages, real estate, public stocks or other securities, and particularizing the amounts of each; also a statement of the amount of income for the year last, the amount of losses for the same time, the amount of claims unpaid, the amount necessary for reinsurance, the whole number of policies outstanding for the current year, the gross amount of cash premiums received therefor, for the same period, the same and the amount of premiums received by each during the year, which statement shall be the duty of the secretary of state to prepare a form of statement to be filled up by such insurance companies or associations establishing agencies or transacting the business of insurance in this state, which shall conform to the above requirements provided, however, that mutual or assessment or cash or stock companies or associations, incorporated and organized under the laws of other states may be admitted to transact in this state the business of accident insurance solely; provided that such companies or associations shall have deposited and maintain assets invested in or unlike to be approved securities of this state to the amount of at least fifty thousand dollars.

Approved April 8, 1887.

CHAPTER CCX.

An Act to authorize police service in townships.

WHEREAS, Trespasses, malicious mischief and like offenses are frequently committed in and upon cemeteries, orchards, farms, gardens and like places in this state, and especially in and upon such places which are located in adjacent to cities, towns and villages in this state, therefore, for the more effectual suppression of said offenses, and for the more certain and speedy apprehension of such offenders,

1. Be it enacted by the Senate and General Assembly of the State of New Jersey, That it shall be lawful for the township committee of any township or township in this state to appoint, in addition to such number of proper persons, residents of such township or townships, to be police officers of such township or townships, as they may deem necessary, such suitable and proper persons will accept such to do and perform the same without fee of any fee, compensation or reward.

2. And be it enacted, That this act shall take effect immediately.

Approved April 9, 1887.

CHAPTER CCXI.

An act to amend a supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning executors and the administration of intestates' estates" (Revision), approved March twenty-seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four, which supplement was approved February twenty-third, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine.

1. Be it enacted by the Senate and General Assembly of the state of New Jersey, That the first section of the supplement mentioned in the title of this act be and the same is hereby amended so that the same shall read as follows:

1. Be it enacted by the Senate and General Assembly of the State of New Jersey, That any executor or administrator, by virtue of letters obtained in another state, may prosecute any action or suit in the courts of this state or may maintain or defend in any court of this state, as if his letters had been granted in this state; provided, that such executor or administrator shall first file in the office of the clerk of the court in which it is desired to prosecute or defend a duly certified copy of his letters; provided, also, that security for costs may be required from such executor or administrator as if he were a non-resident of this state.

2. And be it enacted, That this act shall take effect immediately.

Approved April 9, 1887.

CHAPTER CCXII.

A Further supplement to an act entitled "An act for the more easy partition of lands held by coparceners, joint tenants and tenants in common" (Revision), approved June twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four.

1. Be it enacted by the Senate and General Assembly of the State of New Jersey, That all partition cases in the court of chancery where in whole estates of dower in any lands are ordered to be sold therewith, instead of investing the share of the said proceeds of the sale of the share or shares in such lands subject to such dower, as now directed by law, it shall be lawful for the master or other officer making such sale, on executing to him a full release and discharge, duly acknowledged according to law, from the tenant in fee and his wife entitled to such inchoate right of dower, to pay to the said tenant in fee and his wife entitled to such inchoate right of dower the one-third part of the net proceeds aforesaid; provided however, that where the share or interest of the tenant in fee has been sold by judgment or otherwise, or becomes subject to any valid lien, then such payment shall not be made without all such parties in interest shall join in such release and discharge.

2. And be it enacted, That this act shall take effect immediately.

Approved April 9, 1887.

CHAPTER CXXIII.

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning corporations" (Revision), approved April seventh, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five.

1. Be it enacted by the Senate and General Assembly of the State of New Jersey, That whenever the original certificate of incorporation filed by any association under any law of this state for the formation of incorporated companies is defective by reason of the omission of any matter required by law to be therein stated or by reason of the object or objects therein expressed are illegal or not authorized by any purpose or purposes not contemplated or required by such original law at the instance at the time of filing such original certificate, it shall be lawful for all stockholders representing two-thirds in amount of the interests of any deceased stockholders, to make such amendment or amendments as to such knowledge or proved as required for deeds of real estate, stating forth a copy of the original certificate to be amended, according and filing the same, and reciting the reason or reasons for such amendment or incorporation as are said in said original certificate, and supplying such omission or the true objects of such incorporation; for the purpose or purposes of such incorporation; the same to be of the nature or character authorized by the act to which this is a supplement and the supplements thereto and as to the powers, privileges and immunities, such amendment shall be executed, acknowledged or proved as required for deeds of real estate, stating forth a copy of the original certificate to be amended, according and filing the same, and reciting the reason or reasons for such amendment or incorporation as are said in said original certificate, and supplying such omission or the true objects

assessment book to the commissioners of division accordingly, who shall revise the said report in accordance with the said objections and shall correct and revised without fee or any deduction, and the said assessment book, as shall be construed or again corrected by the said court as right and justice may require, and the said court shall be the last court and judgment shall be rendered in relation thereto that said court shall deem just and equitable; and said report shall be confirmed by said court, and shall be conclusive upon the owners of all real estate affected thereby, except as to such errors as the said court shall correct on appeal, if any, and a certified copy of the record and assessment shall be certified to the clerk of each of said municipalities, with certified copies of the said order confirming the same.

12. And be it enacted, That from and after the time of such confirmation the assessment shall be and remain a lien upon the lands upon which it is made until paid, notwithstanding any defect, error or irregularity in the proceedings of said commissioners, or any of them, or in any of the proceedings of the said court, or in the confirmation, record or certificate thereof, and such assessment shall be collected and enforced by the same officers and in the manner prescribed by law for the collection and enforcement of taxes and assessments in the municipalities severally subject to the like interest and penalties.

13. And be it enacted, That the said commissioners herein provided for shall be sufficient to determine any and all questions arising before them, and that in case a vacancy shall at any time occur in said commission it shall be filled by the making of the appointment so to be made in the manner prescribed by law for making the appointments to fill such vacancies as are herein prescribed with respect to the commission and he shall take the oath of office or affirmation required to be made and filed by the other commissioners.

14. And be it enacted, That no board authorized to be constructed by this act shall be built or constructed so as to obstruct the drainage of any district so situated that any creek in which there is or shall be at any time a connection between such sluice and the mouth of such creek, and that no sewer shall be located and constructed so as to empty, drain or discharge its contents into any creek that constitutes the boundary between the two municipalities, without the consent of all such municipalities, if the doing thereof will be injuriously affecting thereby; and that no such sewer shall be so constructed that its outlet or point of discharge any of its contents or water any creek, stream, lake, pond or reservoir that is or may be used for or connected with the waters of any river, creek, stream, lake, pond or water-course or reservoir of any city, town, village or municipality in this state.

15. And be it enacted, That where in any municipality a fire and by fire limits have been established and construct sewers is vested in any particular board or boards, department or department of the municipality, powers and duties hereby vested in and imposed upon such boards or departments of such municipality shall be exercised and performed by such board or department, and all the acts hereby required to be done by the officers of such municipality shall be done and performed by the clerk of such board or department.

17. And be it enacted, That this act shall take effect immediately.

Approved April 21, 1887.

CHAPTER CXLIX.

A Supplement to an act entitled "An act to prevent deception in the sale of oleomargarine, butterine or any imitation of dairy products and to preserve the public health," approved March twenty-second, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six.

1. Be it enacted by the Senate and General Assembly of the State of New Jersey, That no person or persons in this state shall sell or offer for sale, or the having in possession for the purposes of sale, of any oleomargarine, butterine, or any substance in imitation of natural butter, that is colored, stained or otherwise treated to any extent or any other matter or substance.

2. And be it enacted, That section four of said act be and the same is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

4. And be it enacted, That no person shall sell any oleomargarine, butterine, suine or any substance in imitation of natural butter, cheese, or any substance that is rendered, made, manufactured or compounded out of any animal or vegetable or mineral fat or oil, not produced from pure milk or cream or from pure milk or cream, unless less than the original bulk, thickness or package, unless he shall first inform the purchaser that the article sold is not natural butter or cheese, but is imitation butter or cheese, and at the time of delivery with each sale, he shall give to the purchaser a card or note printed on which shall be the name of the seller or vendor, and the name and address of the seller or vendor, and nothing else shall be printed on said card, but to the weight of the parcel; and said notice or card shall be at least six inches long and at least three inches wide, and the writing thereon shall be in letters at least of the size known as two-line English, and the notice or card shall be printed in black and in the English language, upon white paper, plainly and legibly, and shall be either upon the outside of the outer wrapper in which the substance is delivered to the purchaser or upon a separate card or paper attached thereto; in either case the notice shall be so placed that the notice shall be concealed from view.]

3. And be it enacted, That the state dairy commissioner is hereby directed and empowered to aid in the enforcement of the provisions of an act entitled "An act to prevent the adulteration of foods or drugs," approved March twenty-fifth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-one, and said commissioner and his assistants are hereby clothed with the same powers as are conferred on inspectors or officers by the provisions of said act, and the expenses of such enforcement shall be paid out of the appropriation made for the purposes of the act to which this is a supplement.

4. And be it enacted, That the state dairy commissioner is hereby authorized and empowered to appoint in the executive department a chemists, analyst or analysts required by the provisions of this act or the act to which this is a supplement, and fix the compensation to be paid such chemists or analysts.

5. And be it enacted, That the prosecution to prosecute under the act to which this is a supplement shall be in the following or similar form:

STATE OF NEW JERSEY, }
ss.
County of A, }

Be it remembered that on this day of —, at — in said county, C. D., defendant, was, by the district court of the city of —, or by the recorder, or as the case may be], convicted of violating the —— section of "An act to prevent deception in the sale of oleomargarine, butterine or any imitation of dairy products, and to preserve the public health," approved March twenty-second, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six, in a summary proceeding at the suit of A. B., State dairy commissioner, who sues for the use and benefit of the state of New Jersey, [and for the use of a complainant, E. F.], and, further, that the witnesses in said proceeding examined for the plaintiff were [name them], and the witnesses who testified for the defendant were [name them]; whereupon the said court [or recorder, as the case is] doth hereby give judgment that the plaintiff recover of the defendant the sum of —— dollars penalty, and —— dollars [costs of this proceeding].

Said conviction shall be signed by the judge of the district court, recorder or other magistrate before whom the conviction is had; in case of the infliction of a penalty of two hundred dollars the conviction shall contain a statement that it appeared that the defendant had been previously convicted of violating the said act; when an appeal is taken, there shall be sent to the appellate court, on the return of the writ, summons, transcript on or judgment and notice of appeal; the costs in prosecutions under the act to which this is a supplement shall be the same as costs in the district court in actions on contract.

6. And be it enacted, That this act shall take effect on the first day of, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven.

Approved April 21, 1887.

CHAPTER CL.

A supplement to an act entitled "An act to incorporate societies of religious worship" (Revision), approved April ninth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five.

1. Be it enacted by the Senate and General Assembly of the State of New Jersey, That the board of directors of any religious or christian association now existing or hereafter to be incorporated under any law of this state, may elect eight or more persons of whom no more than one-third shall be members of any one religious denomination, who, with the president of the association, for the time being, shall be said corporation and board of trustees of the said association, and shall be a body politic and corporate in law, by the name of the trustees of [name of church or christian association of ——] the block to the said property, and the proceeds of the sale of the court of common pleas of the county certified copy of the proceedings of said election by the board of directors, as to the persons so elected, signed by their names and acknowledged before any officer empowered by law to take the acknowledgments of deeds within this state, and it shall be the duty of the clerk of said court to record the same immediately, for which he shall be entitled to receive one dollar.

2. And be it enacted, That the said board of trustees shall, by their corporate name, be capable in law to purchase, receive by grant, devise, bequest or otherwise, and to hold any personal or real estate or property for the use of the said association, and with the consent of the board of directors, to lease or any part thereof to sell, grant, convey, mortgage, alien and dispose of, in such manner as the said board of trustees shall deem a convenient for the use of the said association or trust; and in order to carry out the purposes of this act, the said board of trustees shall have power to make by-laws and regulations for the management of the property, business and affairs of the said corporation, and to change, alter and amend the same at pleasure, and to appoint and remove at pleasure all officers, agents and servants of the said corporation, and to prescribe their duties and fix their salaries or compensation.

3. And be it enacted, That the said board of trustees shall have power to receive and hold any real estate or property which may be given, granted, devised or bequeathed to the said corporation, or purchased by the said board of trustees, for the use of the said association, and to sell, grant, convey, mortgage, alien and dispose of, in such manner as the said board of trustees shall deem a convenient for the use of the said association or trust; and in order to carry out the purposes of this act, the said board of trustees shall have power to make by-laws and regulations for the management of the property, business and affairs of the said corporation, and to change, alter and amend the same at pleasure, and to appoint and remove at pleasure all officers, agents and servants of the said corporation, and to prescribe their duties and fix their salaries or compensation.

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JOTTINGS.

—Men were engaged to-day painting the overhead railroad bridges in this city.

—On account of the extreme heat, the celebration of High Mass has been abandoned in St. Mary's church for the summer.

—The Evens depot was robbed Saturday morning of about fifteen dollars in cash and about two or three dollars in money.

—The theme for the prayer-meeting of the First Presbyterian church, next Wednesday evening is "God's Care Father to the little things of life."

—John Keeling made complaint before Justice Nash last Saturday evening, charging Henry Hansom with using "foul and offensive language." Hansom was fined $1.50.

—A small riot occurred in a house on West Third street Saturday evening. The particulars are crowded out of to-day's issue but will be published to-morrow. Two arrests were made.

—Saturday morning Justice Wadsworth decided the case of James Ralph, who was charged with unlawfully having in his possession wood for sale on or before July 1st. Defendant was fined $15 for each bird.

—Marshal Becker last night arrested a colored man, named Ceaser Taylor, for creating a disturbance on Somerset street by quarreling with his wife. He was arraigned before Mayor Cooley this forenoon and fined $5.

—A number of soft coal burning engines drawing coal trains pass through this city daily, and would fill dense volumes of black smoke. The company have had these engines altered from hard to soft coal burners, and are now trying them with a view of having all their freight and coal engines altered.

—The committee in charge of the excursion to be given by the members of St. Mary's T. A. B. Society are leaving nothing undone that will interfere with the success of the project. Temperance drinks of all kinds will be on sale on the boat. A good caterer will also be in attendance. The train will leave this city at eight o'clock. The tickets have been placed at $1.25.

Last Evening's Fire.

A few minutes after nine o'clock last evening, Mrs. Washington, residing in Cutter's Lane, discovered a fire in the rear of her *building, used as a barn, just in the rear of* No. 1 engine house between Front and Second streets. The alarm being given it was only the work of a few minutes for all three of the steamers to get streams upon the fire. No. 1 pumping from the supply on Second street. No. 2 and 3 from the well, corner of Somerset and Front streets. The barn was occupied by Henry Leifke, the baker. Hearing the alarm he rushed from the house, released the two horses quartered in the barn and succeeded by others pulled out a fine new buggy.

The fire, which was in the upper story, where were hay, straw, carriages and other sundries, belonging to John H. French, the owner of the barn, for a time bloased forth, but within an half hour after the alarm was given, and by the time the clouds of Heaven were set free, there was no need of further work by the firemen, and the steamers and hose were returned to the houses.

Mr. Leifke says that he was in the barn fifteen minutes before the alarm and all was right then.

A Chapter of Accidents.

John Hammond of East Second street was returning home from his work as gardener for Mr. J. H. Sloper, of Fanwood, when he was overtaken by the storm of Saturday evening and sought the shelter of a willow tree. He had not been long under the tree when he was struck by lightning and John was knocked senseless. Several teams passed but the teamsters thinking he was drunk did not offer him assistance. He was finally discovered and taken to his home in an unconscious condition. He has been unable to help the old gentleman since, for on his left shoulder was a blue *fire about six inches long; his right leg was* singed in a like manner, and the skin burned off the skin burned off. Where stripped from his body and the entire wound disfiguring after. A pail of milk he was carrying home was hurled several yards from the tree. Dr. Jenkins, who is attending him, says he is suffering severely from the shock, but that he will recover. He was able to move his limbs yesterday and could talk.

Alfred Willis, a 11-year-old son of John Willis at the notch, fell from a ladder on Saturday and was severely injured. On being taken to Dr. Jenkins' office, it was found that the boys' leg was broken, several teeth were knocked out and that he was severely cut about the face.

Hotel Netherwood.

The weekly hop at Hotel Netherwood last Saturday evening was as enjoyable and brilliant as usual. Among the guests at the hotel are: Major Thomas B. Cullen and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Condit, Miss Ollie Condit, W. J. Roome and family, H. B. Hebert, H. T. J. Rice and family, Herbert Walcott Bowen, Wm. Penn Post, Dr. and Mrs. H. D. Geelet, Miss Leonie Geelet, T. D. Weston and family, Mrs. St. Clair Wright, Mrs. Stewart, Master Robert Howard, Mrs. M. A. Roome, Miss Roome, Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Dana, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Wyllys, Mr. and Mrs. Wyllys Ogden, Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Bridgeman, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Tobey, H. D. Brewster and family, H. W. Williams and family, Isaac Lewis, of New York.

Col. and Mrs. Fred. Martin, Fred Martin, Jr., H. W. Martin, H. C. Stewart and family, Fred. Coffin, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Spencer, Mr. and Mrs. George C. Wood, of Brooklyn.

Count Spaeth, Count Marzani, Vice-Counsel of Italy; H. C. Eaton, the Misses Eaton, of Baltimore.

Dr. Ketcham's Sermon.

The congregation of the First Presbyterian church were out in goodly numbers yesterday morning to hear the first sermon by their lately returned and heavily invigorated pastor. Dr. Ketcham in his opening prayer offered up thanks for his safe return and the reunion of pastor and flock.

The text for his discourse was a portion of Hebrews iv-14 "Hold fast our profession."

It was a simple, practical, earnest presentation of the theme. The necessity and value of constancy in the Christian life.

PALERMO'S REVENGE.

Imagined Their Water Supply Poisoned—Attack on Innocent Man and Deceased Aged Couple.

Mrs. Palermo entered the NEWS office this *morning bearing in her hand a tin pail partly* filled with purple tinged water. She was greatly excited and said some one was trying to poison her family and that the water was from this pail near her residence in Middlebrook's lane. It was pumped late Saturday evening and the peculiar color was not discovered until Sunday morning. She affirms that two months ago she lost three dogs by poisoning and now she said, her enemies were trying to put the end of the way. The woman was thoroughly worked up over the matter, but it seemed to the reporter that the pail had not long since been the receptacle for huckleberries. She insisted that she was too poor to indulge in such luxuries, having a family of seven to support by her earnings derived by selling peanuts from a hand cart on the corner of Park avenue and Front street.

Here is the sequel to the above.

About 12.15 o'clock to-day John Stewart, who is about twenty-five years old, drove into the lane with an empty wagon, to put his horse under the shed next west of Palermo's, while he got his dinner. He resides with his father and mother, who occupy the house next east of that occupied by Palermo. He afterwards changed his mind and concluded to go after a load of kindling wood before dinner, and was about turning the wagon when he was set upon by Vincenioce Palermo, the husband of the woman above referred to. Palermo and his wife and a twelve year old daughter had been seen going along East Front street about the clock, toward John Stiger's lane, and in a very excited man ner, and were seated on each side of the road way in front of the cottage but a few moments when Stewart arrived as stated. The woman was talking to her husband in a foreign tongue, supposed to be Italian, although for once this morning it sated that her husband was a Spaniard and that she was a Portuguese. At all events it is supposed that she thought the Stewart family had been trying to poison her family, and had got her husband enraged when the young man arrived.

Setting on end against the outside of the Palermo house were some bed slats, one of which Palermo suddenly seized and dealt young Stewart several blows on the head, without a word of warning, knocking him off the wagon. He then, in a moment of mind enough to roll out from under the horse's feet, and screamed murder. The slat was about seven-eighths of an inch thick, four inches wide and about four and a half feet long; yet it was broken over the young man's head. At this point Mrs. Stewart, the mother, who is sixty-three years old, came to the door to urge him to eat his dinner before going off again on the wagon, and when she discovered the attack she rushed to her son's assistance, at the same time calling to her husband that the Palermos' were killing Johnny her son. The old man's name is Emby Stewart, he is sixty-five years of age. He toy rushed from the house to help his wife and son, and was set upon by Mrs. Palermo and her twelve-year-old daughter with the slats.

There is an old pump in front of Stewart's house, the same from which Palermo supposed the water had been taken to kill them. The pump has an iron handle, and Palermo, who is a tall slender man with a grey beard, wrenched the iron handle from the pump and struck out regardless to protect his wife and child, from those whom he supposed had tried to poison them.

Mrs. Stewart who is a large woman was struck several times over the head, each blow making a fearful scalp wound. Old Mr. Stewart rushed to the scene of strife and was also with the iron bar making a terrible gash on the crown of his head. James Stewart, an elder son who was formerly a janitor at Warren Chapel was away from home, but his wife, leaving her baby crying to help the old people. Blood was streaming *profusely from the* Stewarts wounds and their screams brought neighbors to their rescue. All this was done so quickly that the son had not had time to get on his feet, before Palermo took his daughter and fled over the brook to Somerset county, while Mrs. Palermo ran returned to her home and locked herself in. Rumor spread like wild fire over the city, that a murder had been committed and from the appearance of Mr Stewart and wife it certainly looked that way Drs. Probasco, Hodges and Jenkins were promptly on hand, reading near by, and proceeded to wash and bandage the wounds, the old couple sitting on chairs side by side in the yard beside the house. Two ails and a half full of water were so crimsoned with blood as to leave the impression that it was all blood, making the sight even more ghastly.

The woman was the worst hurt, but she insisted upon having her husband's wound's dressed first, which was done, and when both had been cared for, they were removed to the house.

Meanwhile special policeman Mattox started in search of the Palermos' and found the little woman in her house terrified, but still feeling that she was resenting an attempt to poison her family.

Mr. Mattox arrested her, took her to the police station, where he kept guard over her while there was a general search being made for her husband. She pleaded for the privilage of having her five-year-old child with her and it was granted. When interviewed at the lock up she showed no contrition, neither expressed any sense of the enormity of her offense.

She repeatedly her assertions as to the attempts made by her neighbors to poison her and her family, and gave this as the reason for the attack upon the Stewart family.

One prominent citizen was heard to say: "There's been more sympathy wasted on these people than should have been. This poison story is a yarn. I know swalllow colors when I see them, and you can't fool me. They've been going around town this morning with their pail of colored water, pouring forth their alleged grievances. They are a bad crowd."

While Mrs. Palermo visited THE NEWS office about eleven o'clock this morning, with her highly colored water, there was about a pint of water in the pail. When she was met on Park avenue, opposite the Runyon's at seven thirty o'clock, the pail was full of similarly tinged water. Palermo-ess. Mattox says he found swallow colors in the woman's house.

Probably the explanation of the whole cause of the trouble is that some swallow had got into the tin pail last night by accident, and, when the twelve year old girl went for the water she did not notice it, and scarred her mother into believing that an attempt had been made to poison the family.

Further investigation reveals that after leaving the News office the woman and child went home. While there Constable Smith served a warrant upon Palermo and Katherine Beard, charging them with using foul and offensive language, the complainant being made by Harriet Squires. They were taken before Justice Nash who set down a hearing for Wednesday afternoon. Palermo and his wife, the daughter and the woman Katherine Beard were seen going down Park avenue as above stated.

Justice Nash says that about half an hour after the dismissal of this case John H. Stewart and Palermo's wife and daughter and family were killing his father and mother. Justice Nash deputized Policeman Mattox to arrest Palermo.

At 1.45 p.m. special Policeman Noe] brought in the young daughter who was with the woman in the morning, acting as the interpreter and who fled with her father to North Plainfield. She was lodged in a cell. She struggled violently when she found that she could not be placed in the cell with her mother. She said on her way from the house to the city, that when released she would fire the buildings of those who were the enemies of her family.

Shortly after this, Policeman Mattox, brought in the woman, Mrs. Cohen, who participated in the assault upon John and Mrs. Stewart. She expressed surprise when told she must enter the cell exclaiming in broken English "Not for me! Not for me!" She was arrested upon the complaint of John H. Stewart.

Chief Dodd and Constable Seerling traced Palermo through the brick yards way out in the country toward Somerville where for a time the trail was lost. At the hour of going to press he had not been captured.

The Palermo's for years have received charity from the Relief Association. The Stewarts are a quiet respectable family.

PERSONAL.

John Taylor Johnston and family leave for Bar Harbor, Me., in a few days.

Harry Varnell formerly of this city, but now of Newark, spent yesterday with friends here.

The family of Asa Collier have been rusticating at Ocean Grove during the past week.

Frank E. Newman, of West Fifth street, has gone to Pine Bush, N. Y., for a fortnight.

President F. E. Marsh and family have returned to the city from a pleasure visit to Spring Lake.

The Rev. Jesse Lyman Hurlburt has gone with his family on a short trip through the Mississippi Valley.

The Misses Searing, of West Third street, returned yesterday, after spending several days with friends at Union.

George R. Corawall leads the Young Men's meeting at the Y. M. C. A, rooms this evening. Every man welcome.

Miss Esther M. Eldd, of North Plainfield, returned Saturday after sojourning with relatives at New York City *for three weeks.*

Mrs. W. R. Clarkson and Miss Clarkson, of the Elms, this city, are at the Monmouth House, Spring Lake, for the balance of the season.

Mrs. A. G. Chamberlin and child, of Texas, are visiting the family of Dr. T. H. Tomlinson. Mrs. Chamberlin is the daughter of Dr. F. E. Hebert, formerly of *Plainfield.*

During the heavy shower of last evening, the air was so charged with electricity that the arc lights were extinguished until after the storm. The combination of the electrical current from the Central station and that gathered from the atmosphere might have proved too potent for linemen engaged in repairing the fixtures.

Wallace Ross, the famous oarsman, was a guest at Miller's Hotel yesterday. Mr. Ross is matched to row George Bubear, the English oarsman, the latter part of August, the course not yet having been decided on. The match is for $1,000 a side. Mr. Joseph B. Miller, of this city, backs Mr. Ross, and Mr. Thomas Murphy of New York city, backs Bubear. Mr. Ross beat Bubear some years ago on the Thames, allowing him ten seconds start.

Messrs. A. J. Wing, of Palmer, Mass., and A. C. Stebbins, of Worcester, Mass., were in the city last Friday and Saturday in the interests of Flint Building Construction Company, of Palmer, Mass., which company has the contract for the erection of the buildings of the Fond Nandine and Tool Company. During the past week there have been attimes as many as fifty men employed about the future industrial centre. The foundations of two of the buildings are now under way.

The N. Y. World says: "Siberian Fox, of Plainfield, has the inside track in the hearts of many of the fair sex, who welcome him back from his Western ranch, where the glories of a cowboy's life were not sufficient to make the genial Siberian ignore greater attractions. He vitrales in summer between Plainfield, New York and Bergen Point, but is always sure to be on hand at the Saturday night hops of the La Tourette House, where *his fine dancing always makes him a welcome* partner."

Struck by Lightning.

About 10.15 o'clock last evening lightning struck one of the wires on the electric light circuit, causing the entire circuit extinguishing all of the lights. The report in the station on Madison avenue sounded like the explosion of a large gun. Men were put to work and the damage was quickly repaired and by 11 o'clock this city were burning as usual about a half-hour after the accident. In the borough the lights were extinguished all night, as the men were unable to find the break in the wires. The company used their new 1200 light dynamo last night and it gave entire satisfaction.

LATEST DISPATCHES.

THE NEWS controls the services of the American Press Association and the United Press, and is the only paper published in this section that possesses a *Telegraphic News Franchise.*

Thermometer Record.

The following is the record of the thermometer for this day and for the corresponding date of last year, as kept at Cubberly's drug store, corner of Front street and Park avenue.

	1887	1886		
6 a. m.....	75	68	Sun rises.....	4 43
9 a. m.....	80	75	Sun sets.....	7 28
12 m.....	86	83	Moon rises.....	2 37
3 p. m.....	91	90	Moon sets.....	

Weather Indications.

For Monday, in New Jersey, eastern New York and eastern Pennsylvania, and in New England, fair weather, with nearly stationary, followed by slowly rising temperature.

Blaine and Gladstone.

LONDON, July 18—Mr. Blaine has been pressed to attend the Parnell banquet at London next Wednesday. The political magnificence of the event is anticipated by a gorgeous circular signed by seventy-three Gladstonian members in which they say they have decided to express their sympathy for the Irish people and their representatives at this trying period and have resolved to invite Mr. Blaine has received one of these letters from three Irish members urging him to be present. He said yesterday he thought he would leave his family here and run down to London Tuesday night. While at Dunfermline he was interviewed by an Edinburgh editor, to whom he said he was delighted at the prospect held out by many politicians here that the Gladstonians would sweep the boards at the next general elections in Scotland.

Saturday afternoon Messrs. Blaine, Hale, Carnegie and King took a fifteen mile spin with the four-in hand to Pepandemy, Fort Evlet. *Dupolin Castle, seat of the Earl of* Kinnoul, and round by Glasgow Pike through Perth. The ladies went to Perth and visited several of the manufactories. Dancing on the green was the evening entertainment. Yesterday the entire party attended Andrew Kirk Presbyterian church, and later met at dinner its three old fashioned but cultured ministers. It is not yet decided whether the party will take the four-in hand to the Highland or make a quicker railroad trip.

Arrested for Cruelty to Children.

CHICAGO, July 18.—Robert G. Fergurson, a twelve-year-old boy, was found trudging down a lonely road near Humboldt Park yesterday, *with iron shackles and the accompanying* chains on his ankles. When taken to the West Chicago avenue police station he told a pitiful story of the many abuses he had been subjected to at the hands of Rev. Thomas B. Arnold, who presides over the "Christian Home," an institution in this city provided for wayward boys. Robert's father had given him into the care of Rev. Mr. Arnold for having played truant several times. The boy's last punishment consisted in being shackled for ten days to a fourteen foot chain, which he was obliged to drag around when he went to his bed or to the window, but which was not long enough to permit him to leave the room. Yesterday while Arnold was at church the boy with the aid of five others picked the lock which fastened the shackles to the chain and escaped. Arnold came to the station to claim the boy and when questioned admitted the treatment to which he had subjected the child, but claimed that he had been shackled but a week. Arnold was arrested for cruelty to children and placed in a cell.

Preparing to Lynch Thieves.

LOGANSPORT, Ind., July 18.—At a late hour last night the report was brought to this city that an organized band of 300 men were two miles south of the city and would attempt to take from the jail the Green brothers and lynch them. This information caused the greatest excitement, and the streets were thronged with anxious citizens. An extra force was at once placed on guard at the jail, and the sheriff received orders from the governor to at once take all the steps necessary to protect the Green brothers.

Lynched for Murder.

NELSON, Neb., July 18.—One hundred men broke into the county jail at one o'clock a. m. yesterday, seized Max Conrad, and taking him to a bridge about a mile from the town hanged him to a beam. Conrad murdered Henry Sallen, his neighbor, last Thursday, and robbed him of $500. The vengeance of the mob was aroused by the death of Mrs. Sallen, who was in a delicate condition and was killed by the shock caused by her husband's murder.

The Labor Ticket Boom.

TOPEKA, Kas., July 18.—The Labor Chieftain of this city, state organ of the Knights of Labor, will this week publish the official call for a State Convention for the purpose of organizing the Union Labor party on the basis of the Cincinnati platform. The Chieftain says that 20,000 voters will register by November who will support the labor ticket.

The Heat Overcomes Convicts.

JOLIET, Ill., July 18.—Fourteen convicts were overcome by the heat in the prison yesterday, and had to be taken from the galleries to the idle house where it was cooler. Sixteen went to the hospital during last week and two have died. The authorities have lessened the tasks of the prisoners on account of the intense heat.

A $100,000 Fire.

TERRE HAUTE, Ind., July 18.—The Terre Haute car works were destroyed by fire last night. The origin of the fire is unknown. Loss, $100,000; insurance, $60,000. Seven hundred and fifty men are thrown of employment. It is the intention of the company to rebuild at once.

Died of Hydrophobia.

CLEVELAND, Ohio, July 18.—Howard T. Nachtrieb, a young man employed in the barns of the Brooklyn Street Railroad, complained of headache while at work yesterday afternoon, and shortly afterward fell to the ground in convulsions. He was taken to his home on Barton street, where frothing at the mouth, violent struggles, inability to swallow water and acute symptoms of hydrophobia rapidly developed. Two days ago Nachtrieb attempted to rescue his dog from the jaws of a strange cur, and received a trifling scratch on the back of his hand from the teeth of the latter. The wound soon healed and he thought nothing of it until yesterday.

Death of a Railroad Magnate.

CINCINNATI, Ohio, July 18.—William Glenn died at his home in this city last night. Mr. Glenn had been a merchant for 64 years, and had been identified at some time with nearly every railroad entering the city, either as a stockholder or a member of the board of directors. At the time of his death he was one of the largest stockholders in the Commercial Gazette. He leaves a very large estate.

The Heat in Chicago.

CHICAGO, Ill., July 18.—The Tribune says the record shows that seventy persons succumbed to the heat yesterday, while twenty-seven others were reported as prostrated; and there is no doubt that many cases of prostration were not reported at all.

The Death Roll.

Mrs. Varian, an aged lady residing at 86 West Second street, died this morning.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Miller took place from the M. E. Church, Fanwood, yesterday at 3 o'clock p. m.

The funeral of the late Dr. Frederick P. Chase took place from his late residence, 106 East Front street, at eleven o'clock this morning.

Christian Schmidt, the nine months' old son of Mr. and Mrs. Christian Schmidt, died at the residence of his parents on Greenbrook pond yesterday.

The funeral of Elcox, the young daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Brunden, of Plainfield avenue took place from her residence at four o'clock yesterday afternoon.

Albert Martin Morrison, the infant son of James M. Morrison, died at the residence of his grandfather, Henry Hayes, Dunellen, yesterday, aged two months and six days.

James Nolan, a brother to Andrew Nolan, who is employed by the Adams Express Company of this city, died at his home in Sing Sing, New York, Friday evening after a lingering illness with consumption.

Mary E. Kiely, aged thirty-eight years, died at her home on West Fourth street at half past twelve o'clock yesterday afternoon of consumption. Deceased had been a sufferer for some time past, a husband and five children survive her.

James, the two months' old son of John and Mary Cooper, of Dunellen, died Saturday afternoon from cholera infantum. The funeral took place from the parents residence yesterday afternoon. Interment was made in St. Mary's cemetery, this city.

Thomas F. Randolph, aged sixty-two years and three months, died at his residence on Central avenue yesterday afternoon from bronchial troubles. Deceased was born in Piscataway township and has always lived in this vicinity. He was a member of the Seventh Day Baptist church.

The funeral of the late William T. Jones was held at his residence on Park avenue at three o'clock on Sunday afternoon. The Rev. W. R. Richards officiated. The singing was by a quartette: Mrs. Collins, Mrs. Freeman, Rhesa Runyon and B. T. Barnes. Private interment in Hillside Cemetery occurred today.

An eight months' old son of Judge Ulrich has been sick for the past six months with bowel troubles, and was taken to Ocean Grove Thursday in the hope of saving his life. Mrs. Ulrich and nurse left it constant attention. A physician attended the child from the time it arrived, but it died Saturday afternoon and was returned to Plainfield to be buried to-morrow.

Margaret Spillane, aged 38 years, died at her residence on West Fourth street yesterday at twelve o'clock, after an illness lasting about seven months from consumption. She was the wife of Michael Spillane and resided in this city for a number of years. She submitted to several operations at the Muhlenberg Hospital where she was a patient for about one year. About four months ago she left the hospital somewhat relieved but by no means cured and she has since been a sufferer, until death relieved her yesterday. She leaves a husband and four children to mourn her loss.

Increasing Business.

The weekly letter from Trenton to the N. Y. Tribune found in this morning's issue, contains the following bit of information, interesting and pleasant. "The New Jersey Central Railroad is profiting largely by its connection with the Lehigh Valley and Reading railroads under the new agreements, and the increase of $300,000 in earnings during May, as shown by the special master's report, is calculated to cheer the stockholders."

Bicycle Notes.

The Passaic county wheelmen will hold a tournament on the 30 inst.

The Union county wheelmen will have a five-mile road race next Saturday, open to all Union county riders.

Lawn Tennis Tourney.

Two games of lawn tennis for consolation prizes, were played last Saturday afternoon on the Central Avenue grounds. J. C. Elliott, of Elizabeth defeated D. Wotherspoon of this city, score 6-3, 6-4. Elliott next defeated Mr. Smith of the Elizabeth Club. The attendance was not very large.

TO THE PUBLIC

It having been brought to the notice of the Committee of Arrangements of some persons with evil intent to injure the excursion has been circulating a libelous report that there would be no dancing on the

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THE DIAMOND FIELD.

Saturday's and Sunday's Ball Games, and the Record to Date.

Saturday's ball games: At New York—Cleveland, 5; New York, 4. At Boston—Boston, 6; Indianapolis, 1. At Washington—Washington, 5; Pittsburg, 3. At Cincinnati—Providence, 6; Cincinnati, 2. At Philadelphia—Philadelphia, 10; Detroit, 4. At Buffalo—Buffalo, 17; Jersey City, 9. At Rochester—Rochester, 9; Newark 2. At Syracuse—Binghamton, 8; Scranton, 7. At St. Louis—St. Louis, 9; Athletics, 2. At Louisville—Louisville, 9; Baltimore, 5. At Cleveland—Cleveland, 10; Metropolitan, 1.

Saturday's cricket: At Cincinnati—Brooklyn, 4; Cincinnati, 0. At St. Louis—St. Louis, 10; Athletic, 8. At Louisville—Louisville 3; Baltimore, 2.

A cricket match was played Saturday at Livingstone, Staten Island, between the second eleven of the Germantown club of Philadelphia, and the second eleven of the Staten Island cricket club. In the first innings the Germantown club scored 51 runs, while the Staten Islanders made a score of 48. The Germantown club at the end of time standing at 12% for 6 wickets. The game, however, was decided in their favor in the first inning.

The Championship Record.

The standing of the League and American Association clubs to date is as follows:

NATIONAL LEAGUE.				AMERICAN ASSOCIATION	
	Won	Lost.		Won	Lost.
Detroit	41	20	St. Louis	57	19
Chicago	40	23	Baltimore	41	35
Boston	37	25	Cincinnati	43	51
New York	34	31	Louisville	40	32
Philadelphia	32	32	Athletic	31	32
Pittsburg	23	36	Athletic	31	39
Washington	13	34	Metropolitan	18	47
Indianapolis	12	44	Cleveland	17	47

The Delmonte to be Rebuilt.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 18.—By the middle of November next at the furthest, barring accident, the celebrated Delmonte hotel, at Monterey, which was destroyed under exceptionally distressing circumstances April 1 last, will be replaced by an entirely new structure, most elegantly furnished.

Work Begun on the Road.

WINNIPEG, Man., July 18.—Two hundred teams, graders, etc., and 300 men left this city Saturday to begin work on the Red River Valley railway from the United States boundary. As the procession passed down the street it was cheered by the populace. Two contractors say the work will be completed by the middle of September. The Canadian Pacific has had to come to them, they say, and consent to carry their material.

A Famous Turfman's Burial.

CARLISLE, Ills., July 13.—Allen Richard Rowett, the famous turfman, who dropped dead Wednesday at the Coney Island race track, was buried Saturday, the funeral being largely attended. Many people from distant points were present. Ex-Governor Palmer and Capt. Hedley, of Banker Hill, pronounced eulogies, after which the body was interred in the cemetery with military honors by the local G. A. R. post.

Davitt Urges Resistance.

DUBLIN, July 18.—Michael Davitt, in a speech after the enforcement of evictions at Coolgraney recently, to which there was no resistance, said that if Mr. O'Brien claims that the people, who, he said, were only able to shout instead of defending their homes. He urged the people to offer a rational resistance in defense of their homes and said he believed that they were not men if they did not.

Plot to Murder Emperor William.

PARIS, July 18.—L'Intransigeant of yesterday reports that the police of Gross-Gerau, a German town in Hesse, near Darmstadt, have discovered documents which disclose a Socialist plot to murder Emperor William on his journey to Gastein today. There is great excitement over the alleged disclosure, and many arrests have been made.

Death of George B. Clarke.

ASBURY PARK, N. J., July 18.—George B. Clarke, chief accountant at the Catholic protectory, New York, died here last night with paralysis at the dinner table at the Hotel Portland yesterday and died almost instantly. He was 63 years old. He leaves a widow and two daughters.

His Mission Purely Religious.

NEW YORK, July 18.—Father Elizabeth, of Ireland, preached in Grace chapel last night. He denied that he came to America to controvert the statements of Editor O'Brien, and said his mission was purely a religious one, in the interest of an Irish religious society.

The Ancient and Honorable Artillery.

LONDON, July 18.—On Saturday the Prince of Wales received the corps of Ancient and Honorable Artillery from Boston privately, and later they were presented at the prince's levee, which is considered equivalent to a presentation to the queen. The corps has left for Paris.

Two Children Drowned.

NORWICH, Conn., July 16.—John W. and Benjamin Williams, aged 6 and 8 years respectively, sons of John Williams, colored, were drowned today in the Thamesville river. A boat in which Ella Williams, aged 4, got adrift, and in their fright they jumped overboard.

It Proved a Ghastly Joke.

PITTSBURG, July 16.—Lorenzo Klein, of Altoona, Pa., was sleeping in a raft in the Allegheny river yesterday evening when some boys, wishing to play a practical joke upon him, pushed the raft into the water and it was drowned. None of the boys have been arrested.

Died of His Injuries.

HAMILTON, Ont., July 18.—On Friday night a fight occurred in Carlisle village, when William McLaren with a club and beat him so severely that he died yesterday from the effects of his injuries. O'Brien claims that McLaren insulted his wife.

Murdered by an Ex-Convict.

CHICAGO, July 18.—Officer Wm. Halloran of the Twenty-second street police station was fatally shot Saturday night by Mike Lynch, a well known thief and ex-convict whom the policeman was trying to arrest.

A Prominent Physician Dead.

BROOKLYN, July 18.—Dr. Joseph C. Hutchinson died yesterday at his residence, No. 130 Hicks street. His death was brought about by disease of the heart and kidneys, complicated by pneumonia.

A MIDSUMMER BREEZE

SWOOPS DOWN UPON SAILING CRAFT IN NEW YORK HARBOR.

Carrying Dismay to the Occupants and Anxiety to the Waiting Ones at Home. A Remarkable Lack of Fatalities from the Storm.

NEW YORK, July 18.—A number of small craft in the bay were capsized by a severe squall yesterday afternoon. The sloop yacht Angler, with thirteen persons on board, was struck by the storm off Tompkinsville and upset. The occupants clung to the bottom of the boat for nearly half an hour and were picked up in an exhausted condition by a steam launch.

The storm created a panic at Rockaway beach, where many thousand persons were assembled when the terrific rain began falling. The storm burst so suddenly and was of such a violent nature that women and children became panic-stricken.

Arrangements were entertained for the safety of the large excursion steamer Columbia, which left New York at 11 a. m. for Rockaway. But once outside the bay the wind was found to be very high, and was late in arriving at her landing. There was something of a panic on board for a time. The captain said it was the worst storm he had ever experienced on the route. The Columbia passed several upturned boats on the trip, and it is feared that some lives are lost. Three sailboats, which left Rockaway a few hours previous, have not returned, and fears are entertained as to the fate of their occupants.

Off Cliff-n-Bar small sailboats were capsized and a lady was drowned. Dr. Edson, of the New York Health department, was on a yacht, Wavelet, with two friends when the squall struck them. The party was rescued by the police boat Patrol. A number of small disasters were also reported, and in all probability fifty people had to swim for their lives in the bay.

The yacht Tough, of New York, was sailing near Staten Island when the storm arose. Those on board of her saw another yacht, with five occupants, in distress. The Tough's crew were unable to render any aid until it was too late, and the five men were drowned. They belonged on Staten Island, and their boat was towed there by the steamboat Elm Rancox.

Jacob Scheverstein and his 6-year-old son, of Broadway, near Sheffield avenue, Brooklyn, were boating on Canarsie bay. Several acquaintances of Mr. Scheverstein's took four boats out, and they were all between Barren Island and Whitehall when the gale struck them. The boats went over simultaneously. The little Scheverstein boy was drowned. His father, who is an old man, dived twice for him and brought him up twice, but he was too weak to save him. The body was not recovered.

At Sheepshead bay the storm did great damage to the boats and bath houses. Trains to and from Coney Island were brought to a standstill to prevent being derailed until the force of the wind had subsided. Acres of wire netting were blown down. Lyle Somerville a large willow, struck by lightning, fell, tearing blinds from their fastenings, and doing other damage to the front of the building. A beautiful elm fell near by. Voorhies lane and destroyed the telephone and telegraph wires of the Coney Island Jockey club. The rain made the roads impassable and drowned many basements.

Coney Island got its share of the squall, but it did not appear to interfere much with bathing. The surf was rough, but the beach was one of the largest of the season. The large canvas covered enclosure where Patrick Sarsfield Gilmore daily and nightly holds forth was blown down by the wind. Three bathers swam out to one of the life saving boats off the Manhattan bathing pavilion, just before the squall reached the beach. They saw it coming, but paid no attention to it, thinking it would pass over. When it came the waters boiled and seethed around them and swept them back. They tried to swim back, and were in danger of suffocation where they were. Capt. J. S. Crowell, who for five years has looked after the life of the bathers, discovered the peril, rowed out through the storm and rescued them.

A tour belonging to a photographer at Wood Haven was blown over, leaving the astonished photographer without a covering from the storm. A tree on the line of the Prospect Park and Coney Island railroad was blown on the track near Bumbleville and caused an hour's delay. Two trains on the Culver route turned back after leaving Bay Ridge and waited for the storm to subside.

After the squall the sun came out again, and it became warm. The beach was lined with bathers, and water was delightful. Most of the people went home early, as dark clouds began to gather again at dark, and the outlook was threatening. At 10 o'clock another heavy storm came booming along, accompanied by thunder and lightning. It was followed after a short interval by heavy rain.

A great many people went down to Staten Island on Sunday night in the face of the threatening cloud which hung in the west, contented enough, on such a sultry night, to have the boat ride, even if the oncoming gale should spoil the fun. Among the crowd was a "Fall of Babylon." The Grand Republic and the regular Staten Island boats carried many people to the island of St. George, where a young lunged policeman declared in tones that might have been heard at Bay Ridge that Babylon had already fallen and that there would be no show that night. Immediately the steamboats turned back to the city. The wind had blown down the Tower of Babel, and led to a confusion of tongues among the attendants that was only relieved by the unmistakable English, in which strong feelings of disappointment were vividly expressed.

The scenery was more completely prostrated by the wind and rainstorm of yesterday than usual. The flurry of the previous evening did not do much damage to the canvas and painted semblance of stone buildings and walls. But yesterday's blow leveled almost all that it was apparent that every 10-minute storm during the rest of the week's evening performance would be needed for the restoration. Last evening all the electric lights were turned on and 300 men began to rebuild the walls. At 10 o'clock another squall undid what they had accomplished and made it doubtful if things could be got in shape today.

The Storm at Carlisle.

CARLISLE, Pa., July 18.—The most terrible storm ever known in this county swept over it yesterday afternoon. The storm gathered in the west and came on with great fury. The sky was of an hour raged with great fury. The sky was illuminated by heavy thunder, lightning and hail. The hailstones were of the largest size ever known in this section. Some fell and ranging in sizes from a quarter to half a dollar; their edges were as sharp as knives, and driven before the hurricane, they cut the leaves from the trees in showers and fairly mowed down the crops.

But it was the wind that did the most damage. The town is full of shade trees, and from the storm many have been piled in the streets by hundreds. Happily it was a hot Sunday afternoon and the streets were deserted, or the loss of life would have been great.

Destruction of Property at Ocean Grove.

OCEAN GROVE, July 18.—The storm which visited this section yesterday afternoon was the most severe that has been experienced here for many years. The wind blew a gale from the northwest, and the rain fell in torrents. Many trees were uprooted and the fences and outbuildings were blown down. The roofs of a number of cottages were carried away, and the interiors of many were flooded. The tents which stood there before the college grounds, 200 in number, were all blown down, and their contents damaged. One tall old pine was uprooted in the east end of the grounds, and in falling it broke off the limbs of a large tree that had been destroyed

GOVERNOR'S ISLAND.

THE SEAT OF THE MILITARY AUTHORITIES OF NEW YORK.

A Visit Paid to Castle William, the Tumble Down Fort on the Isle—Military Prisoners Who Have Committed Small Offenses—Retinence of Soldiers.

[Special Correspondence.]

NEW YORK, July 12.

At least one interesting summer excursion can be made from here without expense, for the little government steamer bobbing up and down at the Battery will carry one thence to Governor's Island without charge. The distance is only 1,600 yards, but the attraction is, a measure, an exclusive one, for the government boat is the only one that is allowed to land on that second soil, sixty two acres in all, admirably adapted for 1,000 utilitarian purposes, but now devoted to the use of the military department of the Atlantic and of the New York arsenal in storing useless and dismounted cannon, shot, powder, etc., to keeping up a dilapidated and useless fort and an alleged castle on the northwest, which as seen from passing boats seems formidable indeed, but which on investigation shows to be a rickety and tumble down affair which any modern ironclad could raze in short order. Castle William is a standing monument to the man who invented the word "bluff."

Fort Columbus is a more formidable work at the center of the island, supplied by about 175 men, two batteries of artillery, who "play soldier" to their hearts content. That to be stationed on Governor's Island is the dream of half the military men of the country is evidence that the surroundings are pleasant and the duties light, but that the military station which commands the port of the metropolis is not a more formidable defense and less beautiful play ground will be the first cause of wonderment to the tourist visiting the spot.

But everything is beautiful; even the short ride in the bobbing little steamer is delightful, affording a glorious view of shipping, water front, the great bridge and the spires and towers of the surrounding cities. Near the landing are imposing piles of ball and shot, black and suggestive rows of dismal looking guns, sentries pacing back and forth about the buildings in bright uniforms. Gen. Schofield's residence is the most conspicuous of several buildings on the left, almost shut from view by the mass of vines, shrubbery and trees about it.

Paved and shaded roadways lead throug'h the grounds. The bustle of commerce has nothing to represent it, nor is there anything to suggest a place frequented by pleasure seekers. Only three persons went over in the little steamer with me, and five or six were with me on the return trip, several of those clerks who live in the city. The occasional soldiers or bandmen one meets look curiously on the visitor and seem to like to gossip if not in view of comrades, but are reticent in the extreme if on duty or in squads. At the grim old castle a sentry paces back and forth before the door.

"Can one go in?" I asked.

"Only to the door."

"Are military offenders confined within?"

"Yes."

"How many?"

"I don't know."

"What are their offenses?"

"I don't know."

We were allowed a peep at the crumbling old sandstone within, a queer old rookery, with galleries around it. From which the prisoners enter their cells. So far as I can learn the present prisoners are only minor offenders—serving out terms for drunkenness, desertion, etc. Eleven or twelve thousand Confederate prisoners were kept here at one time when the rebellion was in progress. It must have been an odious pen for, although the sun streams down into the sandblasters and the air is good within the walls, yet it is hard to surmise where so many men could be decently hived.

In the moat of Fort Columbus several prisoners were mowing down the luxuriant grass under armed guards who were badgering each other and laughing heartily as we approached, but who separated at once as I walked up to the party and were at once intently engaged in the laudable work of watching every movement of their charges. Not to be put off I pursued one of them.

"Are these men prisoners?" I asked.

"Yes."

"For any serious offense?"

"No."

"What did they do?"

"I don't know."

"Would they try to escape if you were to leave them?"

"No."

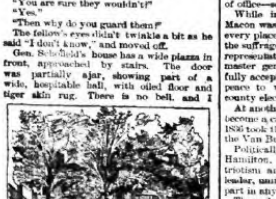
"You are sure they wouldn't?"

"Yes."

"Then why do you guard them?"

The fellow's eyes didn't twinkle a bit as he said "I don't know," and moved off.

Gen. Schofield's house has a wide piazza in front, approached by stairs. The door was partially ajar, showing part of a wide, hospitable hall, with oiled floor and tiger skin rug. There is no bell, and I



COMMANDER'S HOUSE.

knocked vigorously without response, then pounded—still no response—finally tapping with my cane. A girl on the lawn taking in washing then started on the run, calling vociferously to a second girl within the house, who finally evidenced to us to the general in a cheerful room in the left wing. Gen. Schofield is apparently informal and engaging, rubicund, stout, with gray hair and white side whiskers. "We could have carried away all your possessions," I said, when his incidentally spoke of the delay. "They would not have made you wealthy," he replied.

The general chatted easily about various things, but did not desire to say anything extensive about military offenders and their punishment, which matter is left entirely to the commanding officer.

"All the prisoners here," he said, "have committed minor offenses."

"How many are you?"

"I don't know."

Prisoners here are from any part of the army in this section, the general informed us. The longest term of service is five years, two words, and a third place is at San Francisco, but for crimes soldiers are sent to the penitentiary.

Bedloe's is about the same distance from Governor's Island that New York is, but the former is not favored with any mode of reaching the military stronghold without crossing to New York. The Indian name for Governor's Island was Paggank, afterward called Hutten Island by the early settlers, from the huts that were leased here by the Dutch colonists. How the way it became a plot of ground for the use of the successive governors, hence its present name. In 1775 fortifications were begun, but they were of little consequence. The British garrisoned the island under Gen. Howe. Governor Clinton leased it in 1784, and a hotel and race course was built upon it. In 1794 $20,000 was devoted to improving the fortifications, and at one time the students of Columbia college worked in a body on the fortifications. In 1806 Fort Joy was replaced by the present fortification, Fort Columbus. In 1811 Castle William was completed. That it should be succeeded in turn by something modern and substantial there is no doubt.

CLARENCE CRADWICK.

NATHANIEL MACON.

A Consistent, Just, but Almost Forgotten Public Man.

[Special Correspondence.]

CHAMPAIGN, Ills., July 11.—In the year 1828 Nathaniel Macon attained the age of three score and ten, the limit of manly life, the psalmist tells us. At this date Macon was just in the middle of the third senatorial term conferred upon him by the North Carolina legislature, but having long before made a resolution to retire from public life at the age of 70, he very promptly resigned his seat.

To those who urged him to remain till the end of his term, and insisted that his mind was as good as ever, he replied that his mind was good enough to let him know that he must quit office before his mental powers quit him.

When American independence was declared Macon was 18 years of age and a student at Princeton college. At this time a body of American troops was doing duty on the Delaware, and Macon joined this force, did duty with it for a season, but ultimately resumed his studies at Princeton.

In 1778 the southern states were overrun by the British armies. In this emergency Macon returned to North Carolina, joined a military company from his native county and went to South Carolina, then a most active theater of war. He bore his full share in all the hardships encountered by the southern army, was at the fall of Fort Moultrie, at the surrender of Charleston and the disastrous defeat at Camden under the command of Gen. Gates. He was with the army in its retreat toward the farther borders of North Carolina, and was with it in camp on the left bank of the Yadkin river when the sudden flooding of that stream in the brief interval between the crossing of the Americans and the pursuing British enabled the latter to pass safe of Cornwallis and thus gave much needed rest to Green's men.

While in camp here, with only destitution and wretchedness in the way of immediate surroundings, Macon received word through the governor of North Carolina that he had been chosen from his native county to a seat in the general assembly then about to convene. Macon, however, refused to attend, and this refusal was at once the talk of the camp and very naturally reached Gen. Greene's ears. That officer sent for Macon and inquired why he had declined to serve his county in the general assembly. Macon answered that so far he had seen only the faces of the enemy, but preferred to remain in the army till their backs could be seen.

Gen. Greene was very favorably impressed with Macon and at once sought to convince him that it was his duty to attend the general assembly when his familiarity with the destitution and needs of the army would be of the greatest benefit in securing supplies of all kinds. Macon saw the force of Greene's argument and promptly set off to attend the session of the general assembly.

In this body his representations of the condition of the American army in the south had much influence in securing for Greene's suffering army the re-enforcements and supplies with which a little later it was enabled to win from Cornwallis the victory of Guilford Court House.

Macon closed his military career when he left Greene's army in North Carolina. He had served in all three years, all this time in the ranks, as he declined promotion. Neither would he take compensation for his services. And in after years, when the Revolutionary veterans were loaded with pensions, bounties and land warrants, Macon uniformly refused all such emoluments.

He was in public life about forty years, and in addition to long services in the North Carolina legislature, served as representative in congress during the administrations of Washington, John Adams, Jefferson and part of Madison's term. While Madison was yet in the executive chair Macon was transferred to the senate, where he remained during Monroe's incumbency and well on toward the close of John Quincy Adams' term of office—serving in all fifteen years.

While in the house of representatives Macon was for many years its speaker. But every place he reached was gained through the suffrages of the people or their immediate representatives. He declined the place of postmaster general under Jefferson, but cheerfully accepted the position of justice of the peace to which the people of his native county elected him.

At another period in his life he refused to become a candidate for vice president, but in 1808 took the place of presidential elector on the Van Buren ticket.

Politically he was opposed to Alexander Hamilton, but recognizing the honesty, patriotism and ability of the great Federal leader, uniformly refused to sanction or take part in any personal attack on him.

Throughout his life he was opposed to going another's security, believing that each individual should bear the ill results of his own dealings, as well as reap the rewards of more fortunate ventures. In his will he provided that an intimate and valued friend should become his executor, but, while trusted with the largest discretionary powers, he should be accountable in no other way to the sponsor in which the trust was discharged, as the man's honor was deemed sufficient guarantee.

He dressed neatly and always had his clothes made of heavy blue cloth of the finest quality. Before one suit began to look worn it was replaced by another of exactly the same quality and precisely similar pattern—the latter the style worn during the revolutionary period. After resigning from the senate Macon passed nine years of serene contentment, enjoying to the full the sweets of domestic peace at his home in North Carolina.

C. B. JOHNSON.

PHYSIOLOGY AND HYGIENE.

A Physician Explains the Causes of Deafness.

Dr. A. E. P. Leaf calls attention, in the North American review, to the extent which is reached to, to organ on which depends as much of the pleasure and the pain of existence, viz., the auditory. He finds as a result of many examinations, that the structure is frequently defective, "original," instead of being in a harmonial position.

Again, when water is taken into the full or partly full stomach it does not mingle with the food, but, as a rule, it passes at once, but passes along quickly between the food and the lesser curvature, towards the pylorus, through which it passes into the intestine. The secretion of the stomach, under ordinary circumstances, is constant, and during the night a considerable amount accumulates in the stomach; some of its liquid portion is absorbed, and what remains is just as much watery as before it was taken cold, but it may be with great advantage then taken warm or hot. This removal of the accumulated mucus from the stomach is probably one of the reasons why drinking soup at the beginning of a meal has always been found so beneficial.

Finally, Dr. Leaf concludes that it is perfectly proper to drink water before, during and after meals.

Carbolized Oil for Cuts, Etc.

An excellent household remedy for slight cuts, or even for more serious injuries, is found in carbolized oil, which can be procured at any druggists for a trifle, and which, says Good Housekeeping, by adding one teaspoonful of carbolic acid, crystals dissolved in glycerine, to fourteen teaspoonfuls of sweet oil, makes a fine dressing for lint and bound on the wound. Carbolic acid, being an antiseptic, prevents decomposition and so permits the wound to heal. The air is full of germs, invisible to the naked eye. It is the office of these germs when life ceases in any organization to turn it again into its original elements. Fermentation is in yeast, and souring is the beginning of their work. When the skin is broken the vitality of the surrounding parts being destroyed by the injury, a boil is prepared in which bacteria flourish with fatal rapidity. The poison thus generated is absorbed into the system and in bad cases the patient dies of pyæmia or blood poisoning.

Hygienic View of Baldness.

A physician recently expressed himself on the subject of bald heads, stating as his opinion, that bald headed people die sooner than those who have a good head of hair. In many cases they take cold easily and go off with pneumonia or contract consumption or chronic bronchitis. This doctor urges all bald headed men to wear a skull cap at all times, as wigs are unfashionable, contending that if the hair were not intended as a protection to the head it would have been created without any. He has noted many cases of pneumonia, and, where the patient is a male over 40 years old, the proportion is over one-half in favor of being bald headed.

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For Elizabeth and Newark—5.30, 6.00, 6.30, 7.00, 7.30, 8.00, 8.30, 9.00, 9.30, 10.00, 10.30, 11.00, 11.30 a. m., 12.00 noon, 12.30, 1.00, 1.30, 2.00, 2.30, 3.00, 3.30, 4.00, 4.30, 5.00, 5.30, 6.00, 6.30, 7.00, 7.30, 8.00, 8.30, 9.00, 9.30, 10.00, 10.30, 11.00, 11.30 p. m., 12.00 night.

For Rahway, Woodbridge, Perth Amboy, Jamesburg, Freehold and Monmouth Junction—5.30, 8.30 a. m., 12.00 noon, 3.30, 5.30 p. m.

For Bound Brook, Somerville, Flemington, Lambertville and Trenton—5.30, 8.30 a. m., 12.00 noon, 3.30, 5.30 p. m.

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His Title to the Land.

Alfred Austin, Poet Oxide, of Oxford, told me a short time ago, which I have since seen in The Overland Monthly, regarding a claim to a title.

At a "land court" a middle aged Maori appeared and said: "Long speech, sir, to tell the reason why a title of a certain piece of land should be given to him." An old, grizzled Maori had listened without saying a word. At last, as the younger man was about finishing his speech, he inquired:

"Where are my ancestors buried, last in this land where I was born?"

"Why, he had, one of the old man eater slowly arose, and throwing off everything but a waistcloth, he bounded across the room and addressed the court, saying:

"I have listened with disgust and contempt to the words of this futirn (nobody). What claim can he have on this land? I conquered long ago the people and lived on that land when he was a small child, and the ancestors I then made was in permitting him to live! And he asks 'Where are his ancestors buried?' I tell him and show him. Here! here!"—pointing his stomach with his left hand. "His ancestors are here. I ate them, and that is my title to the land."

No better or stronger title to native land can be brought before the native land courts than the above described "Title by Digestion."—Brooklyne News.

Our Servants.

Mistress—Nora, I would like to have you wear this cap.

Nora O'Dowd—A cap is it! A cap you're wantin' me to wear! One av thim things loike a deily shtuck on the top av me head! Shure the shtrapping you'd be axin' me to be coachman for the baby; I'd na have to drivin' a pig to the market wid a rope to his leg as do the folkes o' that.—Harper's Bazar.

They Went Back and Lied.

Said Buffalo Bill to an American who saw him recently in London:

"Before I got into the show business, as you must have suspected, I conducted—that's the word now—a great many parties of noble young Englishmen all through the Black Hills, the Yellowstone country, the Little Missouri and Little Big Horn countries. Well, they were mostly quiet, good natured fellows, that kept me shooting to get skins, antlers and such like for them, and I pride myself on keepin' them out of trouble with Injuns and grizzlies and such. I find these quiet chaps have come home and figured as heroes of every kind of scrimmage; every skin was the natural focus of a stack of lies, and every horn a hung with a dime novel of the most sensational kind. And I'm expected to back 'em all up and add more gory particulars. It's rough on an honest frontiersman, but I'm in for it, and as the showman lies!" 'Wal, this way," said Bill with a faint blush, "it's mostly a young gal with glowing eyes, which is lovin kind to, that takes me, and I don't get it in me to take her vision away from her, and then," he added in a dreamy way, "it's all goin' to help the show."—Dakota Bell.

Couldn't Reasonably Expect It.

He popped his head cautiously inside of our sanctum door, just as we were starting out on an important leading article, and mentally cursing the innate perversity of a stubborn steel pen and a bottle of limpid, mucilaginous, mud colored ink.

"Don't want no leal pencils today, do you?" he equivocally sang out.

"Come in, my man," was our encouraging response; "let's look at 'em; what do they cost?"

"Ten cents a dozen," was the answer in a seductive, persuasive tone of voice.

After paying for our purchase, we cautiously inquired:

"Do you think they'll write?"

The vendor of pencils lugubriously shrugged his shoulders and made this truthful response:

"The pencils haven't enough, but you certainly couldn't expect them to write at that price."—Pretzel's Sun-day National.

"Mum's the Word."

"Father! father!" shouted the son of a Pennsylvania farmer as he rushed into the house, "it's come!"

"What?"

"Natural gas!"

"Sent William, don't you lie to me."

"But we've struck it—my real Jim—down behind the barn."

"Well, she—she'd better shovel manure in behind your cow, I suppose," said the farmer to her, William—on a whisper. "I—I—I—I had to tell her I was college-bred, and when we found coal she struck a note of alarm. If she hears of this she'll have a fit, sure, and like enough a pair of them big steamers. Mum is the word, William's."—Wall Street News.

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Bowery Professor (to the voice)—Yes, I know you are.—Texas Siftings.

Excuses Exhausted.

Me been a swimmin'? Oh, no, mother, I dassent without your consent.
My hair wet? Oh yes, that Tom Sother,
He pumped on me, by accident.
How'd my coat get that muddy dirt?
Oh, that's from playin' in the ditch.
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You've got me now, ma! Git the switch!
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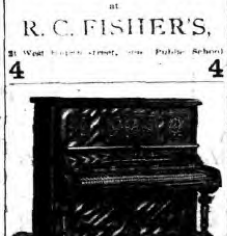

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JOTTINGS.

—A woman named Kate Beard was taken to the county jail this morning by Chief Dodd.

—A man named Samuel Gibson was arrested in North Plainfield yesterday for being drunk.

—The Musle Hall Association have secured the best talent obtainable for the season's entertainments.

—The parties interested in the sale of the Holmes' maps have refused an offer of $20,000 for the same.

—St. Joseph's Benevolent Association are arranging for a special entertainment to be held in the Crescent soon.

—Two large excursions from Philadelphia passed through this city about ten o'clock today en route for Ocean Grove.

—On Tuesday, August 2d, the excursion of Engine Company, No. 2, will leave this city for Ocean Grove via the Long Island Sound.

—At a meeting of the Emerald Benevolent Association, held in St. Mary's Hall last evening, several candidates were initiated into the order.

—Builders might note that yellow pine is 50 per cent. stronger than white pine, 42 per cent stronger than white oak, and 60 per cent stronger than Norway pine.

—The electric light on Front street, at the intersection of Park avenue, attracted considerable attention last evening by it unanceuving. At short intervals it would shoot forth large sheets of flame.

—To-morrow is the date set for the excursion of St. Mary's T. A. B. Society to Riverview Beach, Staten Island. A special train will leave the depot in this city at eight o'clock and convey the excursionists to Jersey City, where the palace steamer "Crystal Stream" and barge "William H. Morton" will be in waiting to convey the excursionists to their destination. Good music has been secured, and an order comprising thirty-two dances has been issued. About three hours will be allowed at the Grove for bathing, boating and other amusements. Temperance drinks of all kinds will be on sale on the boat. The committee in charge have left nothing undone that will interfere with the success of the project. The tickets for the round trip have been placed at $1.25.

Union County Valuations.

The Union County Board of Assessors met yesterday at the Court House, Elizabeth. County Collector Wood, Comptroller Carlton and Tax Commissioners Cannon, Burnet and Fredricks, together with Freeholders McCulley, Flynn, Waters, Gerke, Ross and McGrath represented Elizabeth. All the townships were represented by their assessors.

County Attorney Ward reported that Rahway was short of its taxes due the county to the amount of $110,430.49. It was reported that no exemptions had been allowed firemen, as the law giving them $500 exemption had been declared unconstitutional.

There was some debate over the presence of Elizabeth's Tax Commissioners, but Dr. Cannon said that they were there by virtue of act known as Bill 467, which empowered them to look after the city's interests. This settled the question, and the Commissioners were accepted as Elizabeth's representatives.

The books of the townships were examined by a committee of three and reported all correct.

The roll of cities and townships was called for valuations and the reports were as follows:

Clark Township—Real estate, $199,765; personal, $25,075; total $221,840; polls, 88.

Cranford—Real estate, $676,240; personal, $44,300; deductions, $500; total, $420,000; polls, 270.

Elizabeth—First Ward: Real estate, $1,416,465; personal, $726,300; deductions, $39,525; total, $1,502,800; polls, 1,240. Second Ward: Real estate, $1,304,040; personal, $232,500; deductions, $23,800; total, $1,084,800; polls, 1,250. Third Ward: Real estate, $962,600; personal, $23,400; deductions, $54,000; total, $1,014,000; polls 898. Fourth Ward: Real estate, $944,400; personal, $236,300; deductions, $78,600; total, $1,102,100; polls, 962. Fifth Ward: Real estate, $2,350,550; personal, $284,100; deduction, $43,350; total, $2,791,100; polls, 1,607. Sixth Ward: Real estate, $1,640,023; personal, $265,000; deductions, $305,030; total, $1,600,000; polls, 950. Seventh Ward; Real estate, $1,268,075; personal, $278,500; deductions, $156,605; total, $1,200,000. Eight Ward: Real estate, $1,046,000; personal, $103,700; deductions, $30,-200; total, $1,124,100; polls, 686.

Farnwood—Real estate, $861,400; personal, $177,125; deductions, $6,125; total, $654,400; polls, 68.

Linden—Real estate, $1,060,000; personal $231,375; deductions, $27,650; total, $1,263,-725; polls, 844.

New Providence—Real estate, $214,000; personal, $19,000; deductions, $6,000; total, $227,000; polls, 124.

Plainfield—Real estate, $4,308,675; personal, $621,271; deductions, $102,946; total, $5,190,-000; polls, 2,424.

Rahway, First Ward—Real estate, $398,-875; personal, $48,700; deductions, $4,300; total, $443,275; polls, 170. Second Ward: Real estate, $350,475; personal, $51,800; deductions, $12,475; total, $429,800; polls, 203. Third Ward: Real estate, $1,125; personal, $177,350; deduction, $21,300; total $1,119,375; polls, 455. Fourth Ward—Real estate, $479,-300; personal, $19,500; deductions, $8,750; total $533,375; polls, 193.

Springfield—Real estate, $246,050; personal, $50,375; deductions, $2,000; total, $291,425; polls, 194.

Summit—Real estate, $707,000; personal, $75,000; total, $842,000; polls, 449.

Union—Real estate, $1,137,300; personal, $244,300; deductions, $34,900; total, $1,348,500; polls, 582.

Westfield—Real estate, $716,855; personal, $89,045; deductions, $10,000; total, $795,000; polls, 511.

The Palermo Assault.

Mrs. Palermo, her daughter, Maggie, the five year old child and the other Pugnacious woman, spent last night in the lock-up. Kind-hearted neighbors made it their business to see that the three children left in the hovel in Stiger's Lane had a good square supper, after which they were taken to the home of a friendly Italian family and cared for the night. These who witnessed the entry into the home of the Palermos say that it was a long time before the children could be induced to place confidence in the strangers, and that finally when they did realize that they were friends and not enemies, their appeals for protection and food were exceedingly touching.

Mr. and Mrs. Stewart, when seen this morning were both in a better condition than could have been expected. They were both sitting in easy chairs and were able and willing to talk freely concerning the fracas. Miss Davis, who was so severely bruised about the back, was complaining even more than Mr. and Mrs. Stewart. Mrs. Stewart expresses the opinion that the iron pump-handle was not used to belabor herself, husband and son. She thinks it was broken off by a blow with a bed-slab, not wrenched off by hand to be used as a weapon. Certain it is that Policeman Mattox found it in the hands of Mrs. Palermo when he arrested her, and it was with some difficulty that he secured it.

Katherine Beard who lives in Stiger's lane and was arrested yesterday afternoon upon complaint of Harriet Squires for using abusive and foul language, was taken before Justice Nash and a hearing was set down for Wednesday. Returning to her home the woman renewed her tirade of abuse, denouncing the Stewarts and Squires, claiming that they made all the trouble in the alley, etc.

The woman was under the influence of liquor and finally became so uproarious that she was arrested and taken to the lock-up.

This morning Mrs. Squires appearance before City Judge Ulrich and preferred charges against the woman. Chief Dodd testified that the woman was drunk. Neighbors testified to the abusive language. The woman plead "Not Guilty." She received 30 days in the county jail.

The husband of the Italian woman who is charged with assisting the Palermo's in their murderous assault is Leid Vilton, boot and shoe maker, at No. 26 North avenue.

Lawyer Coddington who has been retained to defend the prisoners, having an engagement at Somerville that prevented his presence in town this morning, the hearing was set down for eight p. m. to-day.

As to the whereabouts of Palermo, nothing is known. He was seen at Scotch Plains about four o'clock yesterday afternoon. It is said that he had in his possession a dagger about eight inches long which he was brandishing. Chief Dodd returned from his long chase somewhat fatigued.

One subject and only one was the subject of conversation last evening and that was the fracas of the afternoon.

One gentleman was overheard saying that he had not long since heard Palermo remark that "when he hit, he hit to kill."

Great sympathy is expressed for the children.

Whe Mrs. Palermo was in the News office yesterday morning she was so excited and her language was so broken that which she said was lost. She was asked "Who are your enemies?" Who do you think would attempt to poison you?" Her reply was given most vehemently and so rapidly that the only word caught was "Gordon." She afterward repeated the name and was no doubt referring to the trouble which her husband and Gordon had over a month ago. The daughter Maggie, who speaks English with some fluency, is reported to have been a troublesome element in Stiger's alley since the advent of the Palermo family.

Dr. Prudasco was interviewed this noon. He says the Stewarts are improving and doing as well as can be expected.

It was reported yesterday that David Squires, was so prostrated by the shock of the excitement that he would die. He is well enough to-day to be up and about.

There is considerable talk about young Stewart going off yesterday and leaving his old father and mother and aunt to struggle with the infuriated Palermo's. The young man is large and able-bodied, but seemed to have been somewhat dazed by the blows he received over the head.

Bitten by a Dog.

Rev. Mr. Mitchell, the pastor of the Mt. Olive Baptist church, colored, resides at the corner of Third and Liberty streets. He keeps a watch dog on the premises to protect his chickens. The dog is generally kept chained, but yesterday unusual to the custom he was unsnaled and at large. Two sons of Mr. Mitchell were playing with the animal when one of them, George, a boy about ten years old went to remove a pan containing some food which the dog had been eating. This enraged the animal to such an extent that he pounced upon the boy and commenced biting him. The muscle prevented him from inflicting serious injury, although the arm was badly lacerated. The boy was taken to Dr. Tomlinson's residence and his injuries were attended to.

A Soldier's Good Luck.

Amos. B. Stites, a veteran of the civil war, living at 53 Plainfield avenue, has been made happy by news from the Pension Office at Washington. Some weeks since his attorneys, Jackson & Coddington, interested themselves in his case, and this morning he received word that hereafter he will receive a pension at the rate of $7 per month,instead of the $1 per week which he formerly received. This, however, was not the extent of his good fortune. The award of $7 per month was made to have taken effect some years since, so that Mr. Stites is now in possession of a government voucher for the sum of $1,600 back pay. Mr. Stites was a member of the 30th Regiment, N. J. volunteers.

—There are fifty-two personal acts pending roads in this State, but not one prohibiting the use of sod and gutter wash for repairs.

PERSONAL.

Mayor Male is somewhat indisposed.

Miss Kate Kantlin is registered at the Hodson Cottage, Ocean Grove.

Miss A. M. Clark, of Westfield, is registered at the Bristol, Asbury Park.

Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Barr and their daughter, Florence, are registered at Hotel Grand, Ocean Grove.

Charles Wilson, of Elizabethport, is on a two weeks' visit to friends on East Sixth street.

Mrs. Charles B. Clifton, of Madison avenue and Second street, has started on her usual summer's trip.

Rahway's oldest resident, Henry R. Shotwell, died yesterday. He was of an old and respected family and a Friend.

"Sel," one of the Western Union messengers, has so far recovered from his recent illness as to be able to be around again.

A. V. D. Honeyman of Somerville, N. J., editor of the Unionist-Gazette was in the city for a short time last evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Schermerhorn have returned to their home, in this city, from a pleasant visit in Pennsylvania.

Dudley Miller has been secured by Field & Randolph, the Front street druggists, as head clerk. This will add strength to the enterprise.

Among the guests from Plainfield registered at the Spray View House are Edwin Loverins, George Cornwell and Mr. D. F. Knight and their families.

Rev. Dr. Lewis is stopping at Spring Lake, for the summer, with his daughter Mary, who was recently so dangerously ill, and has not yet recovered, but is able to take nourishment.

James W. Jackson, wife and daughter, of Crescent avenue, are spending a few weeks in Asbury Park, after which they go to the mountains. Miss Streull is also one of the party.

Mr. and Mrs. John Rogers, daughter and son, of New York, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Tucker, of North Plainfield, during Sunday. Mrs. Rogers is a sister of Mrs. Tucker.

The rescuers of John Hammond, prove to have been two German girls and a milkman named Gorden. The condition to-day is that of convalescence and improvement. His recent family afflictions and his own misfortune secure for him the sympathies of all.

Mr. T. W. Morrison, editor of THE NEWS, returned yesterday morning after a week's outing at Ocean Grove, where one may meet so many pleasant people from Plainfield. He was accompanied by his daughter, Miss Nellie, who remains another week, in company with her brothers, George and Harry. The boys arrived on their bicycles at Long Branch early Sunday morning, having left Plainfield before daylight, and after resting a few hours at the home of friends there, reached the Grove early in the afternoon.

Cattle Quarantined on the Trenton Road.

Dr. J. C. Higgins was called last week to attend to some cattle which were sick at the place of George W. Rolfe, on the Trenton road. He went there and found one of the cows suffering with the symptoms of pleuro-pneumonia. Mr. Rolfe, however, said that he had purchased no new cattle in ten years, and he did not think it possible that pleuro-monia could be introduced in the flock. The next day the animal died, and three others were effected. Dr. Higgins then knew the disease was pleuro-pneumonia, and he immediately notified Inspector W. Dieman, of the United States Bureau of Agriculture. Mr. Dieman came from Trenton Saturday, paid Mr. Rolfe for the herd of cattle, of which there were seventeen, and had them quarantined. It was found that the afflicted cow, which had been purchased in Canada two years ago, had carried the germs of pleuro-pneumonia ever since. There is no danger of the disease spreading, as the animals have not been off the place and are now in strict quarantine.

It is due to Mr G. W. Rolfe to say that as soon as he learned that there was pneumonia among his own cattle he ceased to serve any of the milk from his own dairy, but for that purpose purchased milk from other parties.

A Dangerous Runaway.

There was an exciting runaway last evening about nine o'clock on Front street. Jacob Belmer and another young man in a peddler's wagon, drawn by a rather fractious horse, were shouting loudly for spectators to stop the horse, which was on a go-as-you-please gait, regardless of consequences. He had started on a runaway with the men at Scotch Plains, and continued at a lively gait down Front street until Somerset street was reached, when he was turned into that street, but his pace was not slackened. Benner shouted to his companion to jump out and save himself as best he could, which he did when near the soda house without sustaining any injuries. Benner continued shouting for help, and at Sce's grocery, Mr. W. F. Williams, the secretary of the Gentlemen's Driving club, rushed out and succeeded in catching the horse by the bridle, but not without severely spraining his wrists and considerable risk to his life, as in the darkness it was difficult to see the animal. The harness, which was found to be out of order and the cause of the runaway, was fixed and the animal driven off to his stable. Benner, though much scared, was uninjured.

—Somebody has discovered that the proper name for strawberry is strayberry, from its straying or running habits.

—Burglars committed numerous depredations in New Market and Raritan last night and succeeded in getting away with money and valuables from several farmers; it is reported, but particulars are vogue and contradictory.

—People driving horses should be very careful these days. Water the animals regularly, sponge out their mouths when stopping, and don't leave them stand after watered, but keep on driving. A good idea is to have a wet sponge fastened on the bridle on the horse's head.

LATEST DISPATCHES.

THE NEWS contains the service of the American Press Association and the United Press, and is the only paper published in this section that possesses a Telegraphic News Franchise.

Thermometer Record.

The following is the record of the thermometer for this city and for the corresponding date of last year, as kept at Stiler's drug store, corner of Front street and Park avenue.

1887	1886		
6 a. m.....	70	68	Sun rises..... 4-44
9 a. m.....	71	68	Sun sets..... 7-37
12 m	75	73	Moon rises..... 3-30
3 p. m.....	78	77	Moon sets.....

Weather Indications.

In the middle states, slightly cooler, fair weather and light northwesterly to southwesterly winds will prevail, and in New England slightly cooler fair weather, preceded by local rains on the southern coast. On Wednesday, in New York and New England, fair weather will probably prevail, with nearly stationary temperature and variable winds; the outlook for Thursday in these areas is slightly warmer, fair weather.

British Ironclads in Collision.

LONDON, July 19.—A collision occurred off Spithead to-day between the ironclads Annex and Devastation. The latter was badly damaged, and is leaking fast.

A Successor Appointed.

NEW YORK, July 19.—The Governing Board of the Stock Exchange, to-day appointed Mr. R. N. Thomas to succeed to the position of Vice-President, made vacant by the death of the late R. B. Hill last week.

Fish Mortality.

PEKIN, Ill., July 19.—The fish in the river here are dying at an alarming rate, and are corded up on the banks in wagon loads. The cause is said to be low and impure water. The slops from the Peoria distillery poison the water as far as the dam, a distance of eleven miles, as fish are dead on banks for that distance.

More Railroad Thieving.

MOARHEAD, Minn., July 19.—A day or two ago a Northern Pacific employe offered two cars of coal for sale to a Moarhead mill. Suspicion was aroused, and investigation led to the employe's arrest. He was yesterday bound over to the grand jury at Fargo. It is claimed the investigation disclosed systematic larceny from the company, and implicated others.

Trying to Throw his Wife off a Roof.

CHICAGO, July 19.—Shortly before midnight last night murder cries aroused the residents in the neighborhood of Milwaukee avenue and Huron street. Two policemen ran to the spot, mounting at the place from which the cries for help proceeded, found Larenz Peterson, a burly machinist, dragging his wife along the flat roof of a four story house with the evident intention of throwing her over. He was locked up. The woman, who is a fragile creature, said her husband came home drunk and began to beat her. She fled to the roof with the result described. While telling her story she fainted three times. The drunken brute tried to escape from the police, and, falling, cut a severe wound in his scalp.

Blaine and Carnegie.

EDINBURGH, Scotland, July 19.—It was very quiet at Kilgraston to-day. Black clouds hung over Strathmarn, rendering outdoor sports hazardous. Mr. Blaine, excepting two hours of morning exercise, kept close to the house. He has received another big consignment of his favorite American newspapers and spent most of the day digesting them and writing letters. Four in-hand has been ordered up for eight o'clock to-morrow, to drive the thirty miles to Kinghorn, where Mr. Carnegie will participate in the ceremonies of laying the corner-stone of Alexander III's monument. Mr. Carnegie is going to make the most of Mr. Blaine's pleasure. He has ordered twelve additional roadsters, the very best to be had for money in Edinburgh, which will complete a stable of three changes. This means that the Carnegies will thoroughly do the Highlands, and it is likely that the Blaines will accompany them. Information about Mr. Blaine's plans is extremely precious.

Itching for War.

CHICAGO, July 19—People who have just returned from Europe after sojourning in France and Germany, unite in saying that we cannot properly realize in this country the bitter feeling that exists between the people of those two countries and which is exhibited in numerous ways in the affairs of every day life. A gentleman who is a close observer said: "At Vichy I saw a young Prussian officer hooted out of the town simply because he was a German. This pent-up, bitter feeling must some day break out in a war such as civilization has never yet seen. Its beginning will find France united as one man. It needs but a very limited residence in Germany for one to see and recognize that to-day the Germans are far ahead of any nation in Europe in everything which relates to the art of war. The country seems to be thinking of nothing but its army, and the thought is always that that army shall soon again find its way to France. When it does it will find different material to cope with from what it met at the last visit.

Died.

VARIAN.—Died at Plainfield, N. J., July 18, 1887, Mary Ann, widow of the late Gilbert C. Varian, in the 82d year of her age.

Funeral services at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. Harriet B. Hunt, Second street, Plainfield, N. J., Wednesday, July 20, at 4 p. m.

The Death Roll.

The funeral of the late Margaret Spillane took place from St. Mary's church at half-past twelve o'clock to-day. Interment was made in St. Mary's cemetery.

The funeral of Mary E. Kisty, who died Sunday from consumption took place from St. Mary's church at ten o'clock this morning. Interment was made in St. Mary's cemetery.

Mrs. Mary, the wife of Peter Mahon, of Dunellen, died yesterday morning, from an attack received on the 4th inst. She was forty years old and had resided in Dunellen for a number of years. She leaves a husband and six children.

Mrs. Jane Varian, mother of Mr. S. T. Varian, formerly of this city, but now of Orange, died at the residence of her daughter Mrs. Randolph Harriott, 86 East Second street, yesterday morning at the advanced age of 81 years.

George Tier, a nephew of John H. Tier of Bank Place, died at his uncle's residence about half-past one o'clock this morning after an illness lasting about two months. Deceased was about seventeen years old, and was well known and popular among his acquaintances, and his demise will cause to gloom a large circle of friends and acquaintances.

City Judge Ulrich's eight months' old baby, John, whose death occurred at Ocean Grove Saturday, was buried from the cemetery afternoon at Hillside Cemetery. The story in the New York papers about the little one dying on the beach from the heat is a fabrication. It died, as correctly stated in THE NEWS. It was the youngest of two children, and has been sick almost since birth. As a forlorn hope it was taken to the beach by advice of the family physician, and night and day incessantly watched by the devoted mother, who would not leave it even for meals, which were brought to her by her maid. Its did not die at the beach at all,as stated in the New York and other papers, but at the Surf Avenue House, on the veranda, in the presence of a large circle of sympathising friends, many of whom were moved to tears for the suffering mother and child.

Almost a Wreck.

This morning the eleven o'clock freight train, en route for New York, took the switch at the Potter Press Works to allow the 10.08 Philadelphia express train to pass. The freight train was drawn by engine 190; when nearing the station another engine was drilling cars at the station, and in order to avoid a collision the engineer of his train was suddenly, the shock of stopping so suddenly badly wrecked the front of a freight car, a coal car and scattered nearly a ton of coal along the track. The damage was temporarily repaired and the train proceeded on its way.

A Midnight Fight.

About midnight Saturday a fight which assumed the diversions of a small riot occurred in a house on West Third street. The police were notified and went to the place and arrested Lawrence Brady and Hugh Kane. Yesterday morning they were arraigned before Mayor Male and Bray was fined five dollars and Kane two dollars.

—A large 60,000 pound boiler passed through this city on the eleven o'clock freight train this morning, enroute from Pittsburg to New York.

—This is the season of the year when dogs are more liable to go mad than any other. Should any person have the misfortune to be bitten by a dog, the wound should instantly be sucked to draw the virus; the bitten parts cut out and the wound cauterized by a hot iron or some caustic. The best known remedies are swamp plantain and skullcap.

Vicinity Notes.

John Edgeworth, the largest milk dealer at Elizabethport, was badly gored by a bull on Saturday afternoon, while getting his cows home from pasture. His arm was nearly torn from its socket and sustained serious injuries about the head and face.

William Jones was arrested at Raritan on Saturday, charged with robbing his employer, John Goff, a produce dealer, formerly of Elizabeth. Jones began his career as a thief at Somerville. Later in the day he made a confession to Detective Kevin, of Elizabeth, admitting the crime, and also confessed that he had robbed his previous employer, Peter Gagneton, of Millstone, of a large quantity of valuables. He was committed to await the action of the Somerset County Grand Jury.

Frank Lohmiller, son of Councilman Lohmiller, was dangerously wounded at an early hour yesterday morning, in the alley, back of well-known liquor store on Main street, Rahway, N. J. He had gone into the store to get some change, when a party of roughs came in and began a fight, during which one of the party, said to be a fellow named Laing, threw a beer glass at another of the "gang," which, missing its mark, struck Lohmiller, inflicting a terrible wound and breaking the glass in many fragments. He was carried home and Dr. Daly attended him. The glass entered Lohmiller's face in several places, making ugly and dangerous wounds.

STATE NOTES.

Mrs. Ellen Bretz, aged thirty, of Germantown, Penn., was found dead in bed at Monmouth County, N. J., and at Germantown, Pa., by discovering her father, whom she supposed to be dead, alive. Mrs. Bretz had been ill for over twenty years. Her father is Alexander Caffrey, a farmer of Cream Ridge, Monmouth County, N. J. His family supposed he had been killed in the war.

Yesterday in New Brunswick C. R. Hoe, a nephew of Richard Hoe, the millionaire printmaker, was arrested on a charge of obtaining money under false pretenses. The charge is preferred by Charles McLaughlin, who says the latter loaned Mr. Hoe money because he said that he would give him a position. Mr. Hoe's counsel says he is settling all his other debts, but he considers this an unjust one and will contest it.

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FOR SALE—A few desirable lots on Spooner avenue corner Division street, cheap. Also lot in Spooner's subdivision of Grant avenue station. T. Vail, agent opp. R. R. station Plainfield. 7-14-6tf

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GIRL wants dressmaking by the day, just came from New York. Terms moderate. Only home on Richmond street, near the bridge. 8-2

HOUSE and lot with stable near Grant avenue for sale, splendid opportunity for investment, buildings in good order. Address Box 1206. 2-8-6tdp

LOST—Dog strayed away from Adam Fritz. Liver and white pointer. Heavy set, tail clipped. Five dollars paid for return to Bradley Brothers' hatcher shop. 16-2

MRS. WARD can supply ladies with girls who are willing to go in city or country. Call at the corner of Sixth and Richmond streets.

MONEY to loan on first mortgage. Box 1225. 2-16-tf

PEDIGREED Ohio Chester white boar, will sell cheap, or exchange for a cow. Box C. C., Westfield.

WANTED—A girl for general housework. Apply to Mrs. H. Milne, corner Sycamore and Willow avenues, North Plainfield. 19-2

WANTED—Man and wife on farm, no objections to small family. A good chance for the right parties. P. O. Box 185, or Benj. A. Mumford, 2 East Third street. 19-2

WANTED—A two-seat phaeton in good order. Address Asst, care of EVENING NEWS. 19-2

WANTED—A situation in a small family, as general housework. Address Mrs. Ward, corner of Richmond and Sixth streets.

WANTED—A girl for general housework. No. 3 Craig Place. 19-tf.

YOUNG girl wanted for light house work and to assist in the care of children. One who can sleep at home. Sherwin's, 23 W. Front street.

50,000 celery plants, Henderson's half dwarf and white plume, also late cabbage and tomatoe plants in variety at Denton's, Hillside avenue. 29-18

Legal Notices.

ASSIGNEE'S NOTICE TO CREDITORS.—A Notice is hereby given to the creditors of Frank C. Green, of the City of Plainfield, Union county, New Jersey, that all claims against his estate must be exhibited to the subscriber for assignee at his office on the west corner of Park avenue and Second street, Plainfield, New Jersey, under oath or affirmation on or before the thirteenth day of July next being three months from the day of the assignment or be forever barred from coming in for a dividend of the estate; and said creditors are further notified that a list of the claims against the said Frank C. Green will be filed with the clerk of the Court of Common Pleas of the County of Union at the expiration of said three months when a dividend thereto may be filed by any person interested.

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W. R. CODINGTON, Assignee.

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SPORTING EVENTS.

Work of the Ball Players—Figure of the Turf.

Yesterday's ball games: At New York—New York, 6; Chicago, 3. At Staten Island—Metropolitan, 11; Cleveland, 3. At Philadelphia—Philadelphia, 12; Detroit, 2. At Washington—Pittsburg, 4; Washington, 3. At Boston—Indianapolis-Boston game postponed. At Buffalo—Buffalo, 3; Jersey City, 6. At Binghamton—Binghamton, 0; Hamilton, 1. At Rochester—Rochester, 7; Newark, 3. At Syracuse—Stars, 6; Scranton, 4. At Wilkesbarre—Wilkesbarre, 18; Toronto, 7. At New Haven—Danbury, 13; New Haven, 8.

NEW YORK, July 19.—There was a big crowd at Brighton beach yesterday despite the sultry weather. The track after Sunday's heavy showers was in fair condition. First race, purse of $250, for 3-year-olds, three-quarters of a mile; Patalka first, Manhattan second, Crichton third; time, 1:18¾. Second race, purse of $250, one mile and a sixteenth; Lizzie Walton first, Big Head second, Montauk third; time, 1:53½. Sixth race, purse of $250, seven-eighths of a mile; Armstrong first, Calcrd second, Effie Hardy third; time, 1:31½. Seventh race, purse of $300, one mile and a quarter; Treasurer first, Racquet second, Frolic third; time, 2:11. Fifth race, purse of $250, seven-eighths of a mile; Niagara first, Big Head second, Montauk third; time, 1:31¾. Sixth race, purse of $250, seven-eighths of a mile; Rattler first, Hickory Jim second, Bonnie Prince third; time, 1:31¾. Seventh race, purse of $250, seven-eighths of a mile; Lucy B. first, Crafton second, Commander third; time, 1:31.

Suicide at Ansonia.

WATERBURY, Conn., July 19.—Mrs. A. Hanchett, of Ansonia, who attempted suicide by shooting herself in the temple, made use of it yesterday by jumping into the Housatonic river, opposite her home. Her body was found in the river this noon. Since her former attempt she has lived at home with her husband, and last Saturday her husband "posted her." It is supposed that she thus became discouraged.

The Lowest Bid Rejected.

NEW HAVEN, July 19.—A Waterbury firm was the lowest bidder for the stone, brick and mason work on the new almshouse in this city. The bid was rejected because the bidders were non-residents. Judge Stoddard has granted an injunction restraining the almshouse commission from awarding the contract to any but the lowest bidders.

Fell Through an Elevator Shaft.

CINCINNATI, July 19.—Charles Miller, aged 34, an employee of the Royal Parlor Furniture company, at No. 222 and 224 West Fourth street, was killed yesterday by a fall through the elevator from the fourth story to the basement. Miller struck upon his head and scarce a whole bone was left in his body. He leaves a wife and two sons.

A Homicide Sentenced.

POTTSVILLE, Pa., July 19.—Judge Green yesterday overruled a motion for a new trial in the case of Patrick Gallagher, convicted of voluntary homicide in killing Stephen Adams in a saloon fight in Mahoney City, and sentenced the prisoner to fifteen months' imprisonment.

Beaten to Death by Roughs.

BOSTON, July 19.—Charles McCabe, aged 23, was beaten and killed last night at Elliot and Washington streets, by a gang of roughs. Arthur O'Neil and Michael Sullivan are under suspicion of inflicting the fatal blow, and the police are looking for Charles Wall, leader of the gang.

A Collision Near Reading.

READING, Pa., July 19.—Two shifting engines and a number of cars were totally wrecked at noon yesterday near this city by a collision. Engineer William Gordan and Brakeman Charles Upp were seriously injured.

Killed by a Piece of Peanut.

MIDDLETOWN, N. Y., July 19.—Florence Mabel Corey, the 3-year-old child of Police Chief Corey, of this place, got a piece of peanut lodged in her windpipe and the consequent swelling resulted fatally.

TRADE BULLETIN.

New York Money and Produce Market Quotations.

NEW YORK, July 18.—Money closed at 4 per cent. To-day's bank statement shows a decrease in the highest rate. Exchange closed steady; posted rates, 4 83½@4 85; actual rates, 4 82¾@4 83¾, for sixty days; 4 86@4 86¼ for demand. Governments closed firm; currency 6s, 104 bid; 4s, coup., 127¾ bid; 4½s, do., 108¾ bid.

The stock market to-day was dull. The opening prices were from ½ to ¾ per cent. lower for most of the list, and as the morning wore on the tone of speculation strengthened, and prices more than recovered the decline under the lead of Western and Delaware, Lackawanna and Western being the most active stock on the list. At mid day prices were generally fractionally higher than those of Monday night. The most active stocks, after Western Union, were New York and New England, Richmond and West Point, and Reading. The dealings were without feature. Transactions for the most part were of a scalping nature. Nothing was done by the larger speculators, and no line of interest was developed in connection with the dealings. The sales for the entire day aggregated 143,410 shares.

General Markets.

NEW YORK, July 19.—FLOUR—Closed steady at unchanged prices; winter wheat extras, $3 50@3 90; Minnesota do., $3 15@4 90; city mill extra, $4 40@5 00; Minnesota do., $4 50@5 00. Rye flour closed dull but steady, common to choice extra, $3@$4.

WHEAT—Options were fairly active and prices irregular, closing here and higher; spot lots at moderately and unchanged. Spot sales of No. 2 red at 87c. afloat; winter red, 87@87½c; No. 3 red at 86c.; white, 86c.; ungraded do. at 86@ 87c.; No. 2 red, July, 87@87½c., closed at 87½c.; do., Aug., 87½c.; do., Sept., 87½@88c.; do., Oct., 89@89½c.

CORN—Options were very dull, and prices irregular, closing here and lower; spot lots and months closed slightly higher. Spot lots closed weak and ½c. lower. Spot sales of No. 1 white afloat at 48c.; No. 2 do., 48c.; No. 3 do., 47½c.; No. 2 mixed, July, 3 5-8c. bid; do., Aug., 39½c. bid.

PORK—Closed dull on firm; old mess, $16 25@16 50; new do., $16 50@16 75.

LARD—Closed quiet, but steady; July and Aug., $7 22½@7 25.

BUTTER—Fine grades firm at full prices; state, 16@20c.; western, 10@20c.

CHEESE—Firm at 8@9c.

EGGS—Steady; state, 15@15½c.; western, 12@13c.

SUGAR—Raw was firm but dull; fair refining, 3 7-16@3½c. for 96 test centrifugal. Refined quiet and steady; cut loaf and crushed, 6 1-16@6 3-16c.; cubes, 5 15-16@6c.; powdered, 6 1-16@6 3-16c.; granulated, 5 15-16@6c.; mold A, 6@6 1-16c.; confectioners' A, 5 3-16c.; coffee A standard, 5 9-16@5 5-8c.; white extra C, 5 7-16@5 1-2c.; extra C, 5 5-16@5 3-16c.; C, 5 1-16@5 1-4c.; yellow, 4 13-16@5c.

THE HEATED TERM.

TEMPERED HERE AND THERE BY WELCOME SHOWERS.

Several Localities Experience the Hottest Day in Many Years—Men and Horses Killed by the Burning Sun. One Hundred in the Shade.

NEW YORK, July 19.—The sun is full of one degree in the maximum temperature in New York yesterday as compared with the day before. The highest point reached in the city was a cool wave, but New York is not in the upper lake region. At Chicago people were cool at 70 degs., and at Grand Haven they were still more comfortable, the thermometer touching 66 degs. Galveston, one of the hottest cities in the country usually, was only one degree hotter than New York, and New Orleans was three degrees cooler.

In the southwestshore was central yesterday a hot wave which was moving northward. A storm which raged yesterday afternoon to the east of us, off the coast of Long Island, had a tendency to draw the heat over this way.

Chicago's Awful Record.

CHICAGO, July 17.—Twenty deaths from sunstroke were reported Sunday, and as many more yesterday morning, and 263 babies less than a year old died of the heat. Thermometers yesterday morning registered between 85 and 90 degs.

An accurate history of the awful visitation heat which, it is hoped, has now terminated in Chicago, will never be written, for the reason that it is impossible to obtain reliable details. The deaths are reported at the health office, but even there the half has not been told. Up to 10 o'clock last evening the summary since last Friday evening is as follows:

Deaths from sunstroke, 135; dying, 29; recovered, 19; well-cover, 15. Total, 198.

The rate of fatality was greater than in any known form of pestilence, over 70 per cent. of the sufferers having died. Up to Saturday there had been found 488 cases and deaths in the city, against 294 for the corresponding week last year. This record does not include all of the deaths on last Saturday and none of those on Sunday. The frightful work of the heat is shown in the infant mortality, for of the 488 deaths 329 were children less than 5 years old, and of this number 263 were babies under a year old, 119 dying of cholera infantum.

"There has never been anything like it in the city at any previous time," said the coroner, "for the number of bodies awaiting the verdict of the coroner's jury is hourly increasing. Our force, which is much too small even for ordinary purposes, is not large enough to do a quarter of the work as it should be done. It will be days with our small force before our work on the present dead can be finished."

At the office the scene was indeed terrible. The room was crowded with men, all bent on the same errand—to report the name of a victim of the heat and to plead for an early burial. The city and the county compartments at the morgue are packed full of bodies. No such death rate was ever known here before, and in consequence the facilities both at the coroner's office and morgue are wholly inadequate.

Washington's Hottest Day.

WASHINGTON, July 19.—The hot spell which set in here last Wednesday still continues, and yesterday was the hottest of the season. The signal service office thermometer marked 86 degs. at 7 o'clock in the morning; at 12 o'clock it had risen to 96 degs., and also 96 degs later it registered 100 degs. Other bulbs about the city, located in less shady places than the weather bureau thermometer, registered 101 degs. between 1 and 2 p. m. The bricklayers and others engaged in the building trade stopped work quite generally at noon. Some half a dozen cases of sunstroke were reported during the afternoon, but none with fatal results.

The Record Beaten.

WASHINGTON, July 19.—The thermometer yesterday beat all previous records for the month of July since the establishment of the signal service by climbing up to a maximum of 102½ degs., and the only day in any month since the weather bureau's establishment in which higher temperature was recorded was Sept. 7, 1881, when the mercury reached 104 degs. There were fifteen or more cases of prostration, and five of these are known to have resulted fatally. A shower of rain in the afternoon cooled the atmosphere considerably.

Fatal Heat at Richmond.

RICHMOND, Va., July 19.—The hot spell which has prevailed for the past week was partially broken about 8 o'clock last night by a refreshing shower. The thermometer fell 18 degs. in two hours. During the past five days the heat has been intolerable, the thermometer ranging from 90 and 100 degs., the latter figure being reached yesterday at 3 p. m. A dozen cases of sunstroke, several of them fatal, have occurred during the past five days.

Deaths from Sunstroke.

CINCINNATI, July 19.—Cincinnati continues to be the hottest place in the Ohio valley. All Sunday night the thermometer ranged up in the eighties, and the maximum was reached at 1 p. m. yesterday when it was 100 degs. above. There were over forty prostrations from heat and six deaths from sunstroke. There were seventeen deaths yesterday.

The Wave at Baltimore.

BALTIMORE, July 19.—The thermometer registered 100 degs. yesterday at 2 o'clock. There were about thirty persons prostrated by the heat, and several street car horses fell dead in their tracks. The beneficient influence of a heavy storm last evening lowered the temperature to about 80 degs.

104 at Augusta.

AUGUSTA, Ga., July 19.—The heat in Augusta and surrounding country continues excessive. Two deaths from sunstroke have occurred within twenty-four hours and a number of horses have fallen dead in the streets. Temperature at noon yesterday reached 104 degs.

Thirty-six Killed by the Heat.

PITTSBURG, July 19.—The total number of deaths in Allegheny and this city from heat during the past five days as far as learned reaches thirty-six. Thermometer 97 degs. at 2 p. m. yesterday. Indications, cooler temperature.

Terrific Storm at New Haven.

NEW HAVEN, July 19.—The heat yesterday was the greatest of the season. There was a terrific thunder storm in the afternoon. Several persons were struck by lightning and injured, some perhaps fatally.

The Hottest in Nine Years.

PETERSBURG, Va., July 19.—The thermometer registered 100 degs. at 3 p. m. yesterday, the hottest since the summer of 1879. Several cases of sunstroke, one fatal, were reported here.

Thirty-One Deaths at Philadelphia.

PHILADELPHIA, July 19.—There were thirty-one deaths from heat reported yesterday and seventeen prostrations.

DR. TANNER'S VISIT.

And Mrs. Langtry's Departure from the Country.

LONDON, July 19.—Mr. Arthur Hunt, Long Conservative member for the Devizes division of Wiltshire, called the attention of the house of commons to the visit of Dr. Tanner, who is confined on Friday last in the lobby by Dr. C. D. Tanner, Parnellite member for Middle Cork, in calling him (Mr. Long) a "fool and knave."

Mr. Long said he had by letter warned Dr. Tanner of his determination to bring the matter before the house. Notwithstanding this, Dr. Tanner was not present, although he had had sufficient time to enable him duly required to defend himself. The facts of the case were these: Mr. Long having heard that Dr. Tanner complained that his vote had not been recorded in a certain division, and meeting him in the lobby, asked him what was the matter, and if anything was wrong in the record of the division. Dr. Tanner replied: "You're a Tory, aren't you? I wish to God, then, you wouldn't speak to me. I have told you once before not to speak to me, you [Irish cheers.] Talk to your d——d lot."

Mr. Long answered: "I wasn't aware you didn't wish to be spoken to."

Dr. Tanner then went on: "Keep your d—d tongue in your mouth. Don't make a blasted fool of yourself." (Laughter from the Parnellites.)

As Mr. Long was hurrying away Dr. Tanner called out: "There goes a d—d snob."

Mr. Long, after giving this history of the incident, said he would rather have passed over the affair in contempt, but as it occurred within the precincts of the house and in the presence of several members, he felt it to be his duty to bring the whole matter before the house.

Mr. W. H. Smith, the government leader, moved that Dr. Tanner be suspended for a month.

Dr. Sexton said Dr. Tanner had frequently requested Conservative members not to address him. Mr. Long would have acted wisely if he had not spoken to Dr. Tanner. At the same time the doctor was entirely free from exclusion from a division. Dr. Tanner did not deserve the severe penalty proposed. As to his absence, he was in Ireland, keeping a public engagement. He would move an adjournment any day applointed for him to do so.

Mr. Farnell submitted that there was no precedent for suspending a member for a month without giving him a chance to be heard to repel the charges against him.

Mr. Smith said he would not press his motion, and instead would propose that Dr. Tanner should respond on next Thursday to Mr. Long's charge. This was agreed to.

CHICAGO CARPENTERS.

Dissatisfied Journeymen Will Insist on the Eight Hour Plan.

CHICAGO, July 19.—The trouble among the carpenters begins to look quite serious. The journeymen are greatly dissatisfied. The refusal of the master carpenters to discuss their demand at their last meeting has made them very angry. "Those people at the exchange," said the acting secretary, "should be warned that they must go to work on the eight hour plan. The scores reaping the harvest while we are lying idle. It is not right to put off action on our demand any longer. There is no use of our waiting four weeks for the next regular meeting of the bosses' association. They must meet before then or we will surely strike."

The anger of the journeymen was increased when the master carpenters, in reply to the communication of the Carpenters' council, stating that an arbitration committee had been appointed, said that, "Their resolutions had been received and placed on file." The carpenters see in the reply that the bosses will put them off as long as possible, and they are anxious to begin the aggressive movement.

FALSE PRETENSES.

"K. of L. Distillery" Cannot Be Registered as a Trade Mark.

WASHINGTON, July 19.—The commissioner of patents has rendered an important decision in the case of an application for the registration of a trade mark for distilled spirits, in which the words "Knights of Labor" and "K. of L. Distillery" appear. The commissioner states that there is no pretense that the manufacturers of this particular brand of whisky who apply for the trade mark are Knights of Labor, or are engaged in business with them or under their auspices. Yet the trade mark points distinctly to this labor organization, or to the members as to the origin of the ownership of the articles to which it is applied. In other words, this trade mark is in the nature of a false representation and a deception as to the origin of the goods, leading them to purchase and deal with the article under the belief that it is the article or manufacture of another or of a class of persons from whom they prefer to buy. The commissioner, therefore, on the ground of the false pretenses of such a trade mark, refuses its registration.

Two Murderers Sentenced.

NEW HAVEN, July 19.—Before Judge Stoddard yesterday morning Henry Chamberlain, who was convicted last week of murder in the second degree for the killing of Mrs. Margaret Egan, in this city, on May 10 last, was sentenced to imprisonment for life. Chamberlain took his sentence coolly, and sank back in his seat in the pen.

Ansel F. Taylor, the "Fighting New Yorker, who was an accomplice of Chamberlain's in the robbery which resulted in the murder of Mrs. Ernst, was next called to the bar. By the advice of his counsel, Attorney P. Pigott, he pleaded guilty to murder in the second degree, and Judge Stoddard inflicted the same penalty in his case.

The Bishop of Alaska Murdered.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jul 19.—Information has been received here that Bishop Seghers, a Catholic missionary, was murdered by his companion one night in November last. The scene of the tragedy was on the Yukon river, about 500 miles from its mouth, and fully sixty miles from any human habitation. The murderer is Frank Fuller, a young man from Fort Yuma, Cal., who accompanied the bishop as a companion and servant. He gave himself up. No cause for the deed is given. The bishop was formerly of Baltimore, and for many years has labored as bishop of Alaska was the archbishop of Oregon and Washington Territory.

A Woolen Mill Wins a Suit.

BENNINGTON, Vt., July 19.—In the suit of R. J. Knower, of New York, against the assignee of the Bennington woolen mills, Judge Wheeler has decided that Knower, as mortgagee of the real estate, has no claim in preference to other creditors for the $16,000 to 000 to the distributable assets of the concern.

Successful Strikes.

NEW HAVEN, July 19.—The hostlers on the Fairhaven and Westville railroad struck for $1.50 per day, an advance of twenty-five cents. The demand was granted.

BRIDGEPORT, July 19.—The employes of the Cabot mill have returned to work after a week's strike, an increase in pay having been granted.

IRENE HOYT IN BOSTON,

WHERE SHE HOPES TO ESCAPE DETECTIVES AND REPORTERS.

She Tells How She Got Her Story About That Trouble at Englewood, N. J. Believes She Will Win—Her Suit for Millions.

BOSTON, July 19.—Miss Mary Irene Hoyt, the eccentric litigant and the daughter of the late millionaire, Jesse Hoyt, is at the Adams house with two professional nurses and a couple of servants. They arrived from Chicago, and Miss Hoyt registered as "Miss M. Haight, N. York." The recent trouble at Englewood, when Miss Hoyt was arrested on complaint of Mrs. Cook, who charged her of her legal opponents the plan of moving for her commitment for intemperate habits. To avoid the possibility of being arrested Miss Hoyt left New York, and will remain away for the present.

The trouble in Englewood resulted in putting Miss Hoyt in the Hackensack jail, and keeping her there for a few hours till she could furnish bail in $1,000. The story of this trouble had it that Miss Hoyt raised such a rumpus on the train in which she went from New York to Englewood, on the afternoon of June 16, that her sedate and middle aged cook, who accompanied her, declared that she would never again make the trip to town with her. Then, it was said, Miss Hoyt threatened the cook, who ran upstairs and changed her clothing preparatory to quitting her mistress. When she showed herself again Miss Hoyt was so violent that the cook got Constable Townsend to protect her, but he was of the opinion that his presence irritated Miss Hoyt, and he went away. After he had gone, the story had it, Miss Hoyt knocked a lamp out of her cook's hand, and kicked her down stairs and across the piazza. Miss Hoyt went to New York late at night with an officer, and returned the next day to answer the cook's charge of assault. Her eccentric conduct continued in the court room, and developed what that thing" was behind the bench, meaning the judge. Before the proceedings were ended she had the handcuffs on her wrists.

A correspondent called on Miss Hoyt at her hotel last evening. She seemed to be in excellent health, and for the first time gave her version of the affair at Englewood. Miss Hoyt said:

"I have refused to talk to reporters about the unfortunate matter, but I have no objection to make a statement now. The whole thing, as published, was entirely wrong. I had been living quietly at the house at Englewood, where I intend to spend the summer, when one of my servants failed to perform her duties, and I told her she must look for another place. She had come well recommended, but soon after her arrival I discovered that she was addicted to drink. She kept a bottle of brandy in the kitchen, and at times she was under the influence of liquor. When I told the woman that she must have she became abusive and I ordered her to leave at once. She used profanity and declared that she would not go. Fearing to spend the night alone with her in the house, as my cousin was absent, I said that I would go elsewhere for the night. I saw that the woman was intoxicated and did not wish to create commotion by having her forcibly put out.

"I hurriedly put on my hat and prepared to go, when the woman stood in the door of my room and attempted to stop me. As I passed her she struck me and then hurried to the head of the stairs and blocked my way. I warned her to stand aside and she struck me again, when I pushed her to one side and hurried down the stairs, and in breaking away I hit her. This I should not have done, but I was greatly agitated and in fear of being seriously injured by the intoxicated woman. Finally the woman left, and next morning I was arrested on a warrant sworn out by her. It was a disagreeable affair, but I could scarcely have done otherwise than I did. Had it occurred in the city where any one was within call I would have summoned an officer, but as it was, I was for a time at her mercy. The reports that I was unduly excited or not myself are absolutely untrue, and the stories that the servant circulated at the time, and which were published, have been retracted by her."

"Do you expect to win your case, Miss Hoyt, when it comes up for trial again?"

"I have every reason to be confident, and I think I shall be successful. A great many millions of dollars are involved, and the opposition is, of course, very strong. Those on the other side have in the past resorted to every desperate means. I have been constantly followed by detectives and others in their employ. For a considerable time a detective was posted night and day on the street in front of my Lexington avenue house. Wherever I went I was followed, and when I moved to Englewood a New York detective was stopping at the Palisades hotel and accompanied me on the train to and from New York. I was informed of a plan to arrest me and confine me for lack of capacity to govern my own affairs. This could be easily done on affidavits of the hired detectives and I should be subjected to the indignities of an examination. The affair would be published and made the most of and, of course, in a measure, would prejudice my case. While I am out of New York state I am not liable to this, and so I have decided to spend the summer away. Since I have been in Boston I have not seen any of the detectives, and hardly think they are here, although they may be without my know ledge. You can imagine that it is not pleasant to be under constant espionage, and it is a relief to be free from it."

Miss Hoyt then detailed the history of her being kidnapped and twice confined in asylums.

Did Jennie Cramer Commit Suicide?

NEW YORK, July 19.—A dispatch from Port Jervis says that Albert Fleming, of Holyoke, who died a few days ago, stated that on the night of Jennie Cramer's death he was at Slavin Rock and saw a girl clad in white commit suicide after midnight by jumping from the long pier. He did not tell of it when the Malley's were on trial for Jennie Cramer's murder because he had been with a woman of bad repute and was unwilling to own up to the fact. A dispatch from Holyoke to-night says that persons who were with Fitzroy on that night confirm the story of the suicide.

A Strike at Pottsville.

POTTSVILLE, Pa., July 19.—About 700 men employed at the Phoenix Rolling mill of the Pottsville Iron and Steel company went on a strike yesterday. The men allege that last April they were promised an average advance of ten per cent., but that upon one pretext or another the company has evaded the agreement. The men declare they will not resume work until a satisfactory guarantee is given that the April wages agreement will be faithfully complied with.

A Locomotive Builder Dead.

BEACH HAVEN, N. Y., July 19.—Charles T. Parry, of Parry, Burnham, Parry & Williams, proprietors of the Baldwin Locomotive works, died at his cottage here after a long illness. Mr. Parry was born in Philadelphia and was 62 years of age.

OHIO DEMOCRATS.

Gathering of Delegates to the State Convention at Cleveland.

CLEVELAND, July 19.—The first arrivals of delegates to the Democratic convention, which meets in this city to-morrow afternoon, came in this morning. They were a party of about 400 or 500 will arrive on the morning and evening trains. Up yesterday the indications were that, provided ex-Senator Thurman could not be induced to accept the gubernatorial nomination, the choice of the convention would fall upon Congressman Thomas G. Powell. During the day, however, a decided boom for Congressman M. J. Durbin was developed, and Congressmen D. G. Campbell, of Butler county, who claims to control 300 votes, is also in the field, the delegation in the county-delegation from his home town on route for Duluth and his candidacy is in the hands of his friends, who are leaving no stone unturned to improve his chances. Judge Durbin is also said to have the usual avalanche of candidates, and the unexpected development of the Foraker boom is likely to create some additional ticklering in the ranks. Foraker badges and canes, the managers of Gen. Powell's canvass indicate that they are not at all alarmed by the change in the situation, but the generally prevailing opinion is that it is best to let their liking, and that the argument that Foran is strong with the labor element, and would, in consequence, run well in many doubtful counties, will be the one that will have an important influence with the convention. Both Powell and Campbell will be here to-day, and an effort will probably be made to bring about a coalition of their supporters in favor of the former.

A HUDSON RIVER FLYER.

The Steamboat "New York" Makes Twenty-four Miles an Hour.

NEW YORK, July 19.—The side wheel steamboat New York, with 1,000 passengers on board, made her first regular trip up the Hudson yesterday, and was enthusiastically received at all points by shouts and cheers, bell ringing and whistle blowing. She left New York at 9:04 and was 2 minutes behind at Yonkers, 19 minutes ahead of time at Stony Point and made West Point, 50 miles from New York, at 11:46, or nearly 30 miles an hour.

She had been carrying 28 or 30 pounds of steam, but off Hampton Point the head on the steam gauge traveled between 37 and 39 pounds, and she increased her speed from 29 to 31 turns a minute, and ran from Hampton Point to Milton, 5 miles, against tide and wind, in 13 minutes, or at the rate of 23 miles and a fraction an hour, and from Milton to Poughkeepsie, 4 miles, in 10 minutes, or at the rate of 24 miles an hour. Her fanning buckets were making 280 dips a minute, and she spanked down aft until the bottom of her guard over the rudder was within two feet of the water.

The speed was not forced, and no effort was made to beat the records. At Rhine Cliff and Hudson many persons were taken aboard who had journeyed from that point to meet her. At the dock in Albany city a large contingent was assembled to meet her. She made her landing at a few minutes after 6 o'clock. Her total trip the New York made 95 miles and hour.

Chicago's Boodle Trial.

CHICAGO, July 19.—There were eight pearl plug hats hanging in a row behind the jury box in Judge Jamieson's court yesterday morning, and although it had not been announced at noon, up to which time counsel had examined 370 talesmen. There have now been 561 talesmen summoned into court on seven venires. Of these, 181 failed to appear, 181 have been excused by the court and 358 by the lawyers. The defense has exhausted 99 of its 120 peremptory challenges and the state 38.

Wisconsin's Big Blow.

MILWAUKEE, July 19.—Special to the Journal says: Reports of accidents by the fearful wind storm of Saturday are coming in slowly. John Simonson, a painter, was blown from a ladder and had his leg broken. Charles Hammond was struck on the head by a flying brick, and is in a critical condition. Many cattle were killed. Scores of acres of fall grain were badly damaged. It was by far the most severe storm that ever visited this section. The damage cannot yet be estimated.

Green Bottle Blowers.

HUNTINGDON, Pa., July 19.—District Assembly 148, green bottle glass blowers, has elected John Scott, of Pittsburg, master workman; Wm. Phalen, of Lockport, N. Y., worthy foreman; Wm. Longloft, of Lockport, district recording secretary; Michael Hunter, of Clyde, N. Y., district treasurer. It was decided that the wage rate for next year will be the sixty cent limit less 10 per cent. This is a raise of 7½ per cent. The apprentice to fifteen journeymen was also agreed upon. The convention disbands to-day.

Killed in Bill Tibbe's Saloon.

HAMILTON, O., July 19.—A dispatch from Mason, O., says that Whitmore McClung, a brother of City Solicitor D. M. McClung, of this city, was shot through the head and instantly killed by John Kelly at Bill Tibbe's saloon, Mason. The quarrel originated over the muzzling of a dog. McClung was well connected and leaves a large number of relatives. Kelly was arrested. Threats of lynching are rife.

Tilden's English Consul.

NEW YORK, July 18.—A morning paper stated that the English estate of the late Samuel J. Tilden amounts to about $700,000. Few people knew that Mr. Tilden had any large investments abroad. The statement also had the will probated in England in order to assume jurisdiction over the property there, which consists mainly in consols.

Cholera in Italy.

CATANIA, July 19.—Forty-two cases of cholera and twenty-five deaths from the disease were reported here yesterday. Of 117 soldiers already attacked sixty-two have died. An exodus of the inhabitants is beginning.

A Boodler Missing.

NEW YORK, July 19.—Ex-Alderman McCabe, who is under indictment for bribery in the Broadway railroad matter, is believed to have gone to Canada. Though adjudged a lunatic, he has remained at large under bail of $30,000.

An Italian Row.

BOSTON, July 18.—During a fight on the Common last night among half a dozen Italians Vincent Ignacio was stabbed ten times. He may recover. Two of the party were arrested.

Ex-Senator Lord's Condition.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., July 19.—It is reported that ex-Senator Jarvis Lord is better, and hopes are entertained of his recovery. His condition has improved materially.

THE PRESIDENT'S TRIP.

A CORDIAL RECEPTION BY THE CITIZENS OF CASENOVIA.

Short Trip Over the Road at the Public Request—Presentation of a Purse with a Neat Speech—Refreshments at the Station.

CASENOVIA, N. Y., July 19.—President and Mrs. Cleveland had a reception in Casenovia that both acknowledged was far beyond what they expected. During the day the hope that the public reception would be the orderly assembly of Mr. Lincklaen, mother of the wife of Secretary Fairchild, more than 4,000 people shook them by the hand. Many of the assembled people of high and low degree said children. The party received a firm shake of the hand from the president and a smile from Mrs. Cleveland. The scene at the depot was a repetition of the scene hall and the people passed directly through the house. Before the doors were open to the general public many of Casenovia's leading men paid their respects to the president and wife. They were followed by the members of Knowlton Post, G. A. R., in a body, who were very cordially received. When the doors were opened throng began to enter, a committee from the post took charge of the proceedings inside of the house. Sheriff Underwood and a corps of deputies, and a squad of officers from Syracuse, had some trouble in maintaining order, as every one seemed to have an idea that he ought to be first. There were people from the neighboring counties of Oneida, Chenango, Oswego and Onondaga. Syracuse was largely represented by prominent Democrats and their wives. Just before the reception began Mrs. Cleveland was presented with a solid oaken box, silver mounted, containing a teacup and saucer, one of a breakfast set used by George Washington. The box was made from the wood of a white oak tree under which the first settler of Casenovia pitched his tent. The gift was from Miss Lizzie Mowray Ledyard.

Mrs. Cleveland wore a light blue Surjah silk dress, with a white muslin overdress, embroidered in dots of blue. Her hair was dressed pompadour front with three puffs.

The crowd passed through the house at the rate of thirty a minute, and many of the people were presented by name.

The president and Mrs. Cleveland and Secretary and Mrs. Fairchild dined with Mrs. Lincklaen at 7:30 o'clock, and at 8:30 p. m. were driven to the Owaghena Rost which looms up on the shore of the lake, where they witnessed the pyrotechnic display and illuminations, which were on a grand scale and thoroughly enjoyed by the presidential party.

Mr. and Mrs. Cleveland spent the night at the home of Mr. H. T. Fairchild's father. They will go by carriage to-day to Fayetteville, the president's former home, where a reception has been arranged.

An Invitation from Milwaukee.

MILWAUKEE, July 19.—The city council has invited President Cleveland and wife to pay a visit to Milwaukee during the present summer or the coming autumn. The resolutions will be forwarded to Mr. Cleveland by and by the mayor as soon as engrossed.

Thirteen Years of Litigation.

HARTFORD, Conn., July 19.—Judge Shipman, of the United States circuit court, has dismissed both the bill and cross bill in the case of the Morse Arms Manufacturing company, of New York, vs. Winchester Repeating Arms company, of New Haven, involving a patent on the extraction of cartridges from breech loading guns. The case has been in litigation for thirteen years, and the lawyers who first conducted it are all dead.

The Knights on Trial.

ROME, July 19.—The sacred congregation will await the report of the eleven American bishops who have met Cardinal Gibbons, whose selection has been made for the purpose of inquiring into the compatibility of the doctrines of the Knights of Labor with the tenets of the church before proceeding its condemnation or toleration of the Knights.

Dr. Mackenzie's Picnic.

BERLIN, July 19.—Advices concerning the condition of the health of the Crown Prince Frederick William say that he is rapidly advancing toward complete cure, and that Dr. Mackenzie does not expect to perform any further operations upon his throat. Dr. Mackenzie's bill for treating the crown prince amounts to $13,000.

A Batch of M. D's.

BURLINGTON, Vt., July 19.—A class of fifty-three were graduated from the Medical College of Burlington last evening. Hon. James W. Patterson, of New Hampshire, delivered the annual address. J. C. O'Brien, of Bellow's Falls, was the valedictorian.

Bicyclists Off for England.

NEWPORT, R. I., July 19.—William T. Bull and Charles K. Stewart started for a seven weeks' bicycle tour of England.

The McNeil Train Robbery.

AUSTIN, Tex., July 19.—John Hall was held in $5,000 bonds to answer for complicity in the McNeil train robbery.

CONDENSED NEWS.

All the powers have returned evasive replies to the circular note of the porte with regard to the election of Prince Ferdinand to the throne of Bulgaria.

Mr. John Nash Peake, a colliery owner of Staffordshire, England, has failed. Liabilities are estimated from $500,000 to $1,000,000.

The new Panama canal loan will be opened in Paris and New York on the 20th inst.

The Labor Chieftain, of Topeka, Kan., will this week publish the official call for a state convention, for the purpose of organizing the Union Labor party on the basis of the Cincinnati platform.

The Terre Haute, Ind., car works were destroyed by fire. Loss, $100,000; insurance, $40,000.

In New York the hearing for a permanent stay of proceedings in the Sharp case was postponed until Friday. The prisoner's condition is unchanged.

The striking plasterers workers have called a convention at Evereon, Pa., to consider the advisability of causing a total suspension of work in the regions by calling upon those working at the advance to come out until the strike is settled.

The striking engineers and firemen on the Brooklyn Elevated railroad have given the matter up and gone off and sought employment elsewhere.

W. G. Truman, the forger, who is wanted at Binghamton, N. Y., for forging a draft on the Tioga National bank, of that city, was arrested at Stroudsburg, Pa., Saturday, has escaped.

One hundred men broke into the county jail at Marion, Neb., and seized Wm. Conrad, and taking him to a bridge about a mile from town, hanged him to a beam. Conrad murdered Henry Sailer, his neighbor, last May, for personal luck, of $500.

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THE CURIOSITY SHOP.

Remarkable Instance of Cowardice and Will Power—Fernando Cortez.

If we look for examples of pure pluck in the accomplishment of difficult feats, it will be hard to find a more perfect one than in the person of the conqueror of Mexico. Cortez with a few hundred Spaniards landed at Vera Cruz, and determined to conquer and hold Mexico when inhabited by the native races as a territory of Spain. In order that there should be no retreat in case his men should become discouraged, he burned the ships which were the only means of return. He marched into the heart of the country, opposed by many thousands of natives. A Spaniard having been sent to supersede him, Cortez returned to the coast, attacked his force, defeated it, and returned to the City of Mexico. Driven out of that city by a rising of its population, he fought his way through 30,000 natives, returned, took the city and completed his conquest. He never had a force of 1,000 men.

Cloud Burst.

The term cloud burst is a misnomer. Clouds never burst; they dissolve in rain. To produce the condensation of vapor called rain the cloud must be suddenly cooled. This happens when the temperature of the lower strata of the atmosphere is greatly increased, and the rising currents of warm air force the vapor up into the cold regions. Also when a cold wind from the polar regions, or when a strong current of air carries the clouds against the colder surface of a high mountain, and the contact with this surface condenses the vapor. Common phraseology in mountain regions describes these clouds as striking the mountain sides and bursting by the contact, as though they were balloons filled with water, which then suddenly give way. The more correct understanding of the phenomena shows that the rain is simply the condensation of the vapor molecules, the process being the same whether it be carried on slowly or rapidly. The effect of suddenness is much increased in mountain regions by the overflow of springs and the increased velocity of streams as they flow through the rocky gorges of the hills.

The End of the French Revolution.

Thomas Carlyle in his famous history with the last attack of a French mob on the convention. The convention were sitting. A general of reputation had been sent out to disperse the mob and had returned without accomplishing anything. It was proposed to put Barros in charge of the defense. Some one named a young artillery officer, who had taken Toulon. It was decided at last to appoint Barros for "figure head" and the artillery officer commandant. Napoleon Bonaparte was in the gallery of the convention with the nominal commander in audience. Carlyle says Bonaparte spent a half hour in determining whether "to be or not to be." He decided "to be." When the mob attacked the convention he killed some 300 of them. This is the last chapter in the history of the French revolution.

The Muses.

The nine muses are: Calliope, the epic muse, represented with a tablet and stylus, sometimes a scroll; Clio, muse of history, a scroll or open chest of books; Erato, a muse of love ditties, a lyre; Euterpe, muse of lyric poetry, a flute; Melpomene, muse of tragedy, a tragic mask, the club of Hercules or a sword—she wears the cothurnus, and her head is wreathed with pine leaves; Polyhymnia, muse of sacred poetry, sits pensive but has no attribute, because deity is not to be represented by any visible symbol; Terpsichore, muse of choral song and dance, a lyre and the plectrum; Thalia, muse of comedy and idyllic poetry, a comic mask, a shepherd's staff or a wreath of ivy; Urania, muse of astronomy, carries a staff pointing to a globe.

The Kindergarten.

Friedrich Froebel founded the first kindergarten at Blankenburg Thuringia in 1837. It became the model for similar institutions in many parts of Germany and other countries. The name means children's garden or child's school. Froebel's system was at first regarded as dangerous, from the great freedom allowed children, and in 1851 a kindergarten established by his nephew was closed by the Prussian government. The system is now very generally used in America.

Queen Victoria's Veto Power.

Queen Victoria has the power to veto the acts of parliament, but she has never exercised it. In England the royal veto is reserved for extreme exigencies. Queen Anne 150 years ago exercised the privilege last, when she vetoed a bill relating to the militia of Scotland. The veto power is, however, exercised in another way. When it is known that a measure is repugnant to the sovereign the house of lords usually supports the crown by rejecting it.

Underwriter.

What we call underwriters were not originally all so called. Formerly all the marine insurance in England was taken by private individuals. A contract would be drawn up insuring a vessel and cargo about to sail on a voyage. Under this contract it was customary for different capitalists to write their names for a specified amount till the full insurance required was taken. These persons were called underwriters. Custom has extended the term till it is now extended to all who engage in the insurance business.

Apostle Spoons.

A set of a dozen spoons and having a figure of one of the twelve Apostles on the handle are called Apostle spoons. It was formerly the custom to present one or a part of a set to a child at its christening. There were also formerly Evangelist spoons, four in a set, the handle of each having the figure of one of the Evangelists. They are not now manufactured.

Mrs. Grundy.

Thomas Morton in his play called "Speed the Plough" depicts a character—Mrs. Grundy—who can do everything better than any one else, and whose opinion is alone worth anything. In this play occurs the question "I wonder what Mrs. Grundy will say?" It is quite possible that this is the origin of Mrs. Grundy.

Dangerous Bell Ringing.

It is dangerous to ring a bell in a high steeple during a thunderstorm. The steeple may discharge the pent up electricity, from its height or proximity to the cloud, and the swinging of the bell puts the air in motion, thus diminishing its resistance to the electric fluid.

British Subjects.

There are about 300,000,000 people in the British empire. Of these 250,000,000 are in India, leaving only 50,000,000 for the Islands of Great Britain and Ireland and the other colonies. So that this vast host of Indian subjects are ruled by a comparatively few million of people.

Quien Sabe?

This is one of the phrases often used, of which many people do not understand the meaning. It is the Spanish for "Who knows?"

CHARTER ON NOSES.

WHAT AN OBSERVANT PHYSIOGNOMIST SAYS ON THE SUBJECT.

As General Principle Large Noses Take the Lead in Affairs of the Mighty—Small Noses Indicate Weak Characters—Examples.

As a general principle large noses are indicative of active, energetic characters, apt to be proud, pompous, impatient, desirous of being leaders and commanders, and often overbearing and tyrannical. On the contrary, small noses denote weak characters, deficient in government, even of themselves, and slaves of their appetites, loves and hates, rather than persons guided by reason and judgment. The large nosed, in critical positions and circumstances of excitement, will be cool and self possessed and competent to act more judiciously than the small nosed. Large noses are found chiefly among the inhabitants of mountainous regions and their descendants; small ones originate in low, flat countries. When the nose is long in proportion to its general size it bears the impress of discretion, timidity, caution and thoughtfulness. Noses relatively short from the forehead to the point denote impatience, excitement and self will, while noses that stand out prominently represent characters that are discontented with their present lot and are anxious and eager for change. The inner circle of the nose clings to the upper lip the tendency is to be miserly and to love earthly things.

The nose with the bridge high and sharp pointed noses are keen, intense, penetrating and mostly quick tempered. A nose that is prominent and almost straight, seeming to have but little curve, with a vertical depression through the end, signalizes a logical and meditative mind. A person whose nose reaches toward the mouth is cautious, but is usually cautious about bodily wants. Noses projecting in a straight line forward as the base imply that their possessors are of quiet dispositions, regular habits, especially in middle life, and long noses are mostly connotative of speculative minds, retentive memory and musical tastes. The small low round nose generally known as the pug, turning up with a little at the point, signifies a pert, forward, saucy, conceited individual.

THE BONY AND THE GRISTLY.

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Humorous and Incisive Comments on Current Topics.

Last week, at about the same hour and on the same day, an editor and a horse died. In the papers of his own state the editor was dismissed with nine or ten lines. A solemnn space of a half column was devoted to the horse; the editors told his age, the names of his mother, grandfather and grandmother; told what they did; what the horse himself did; told what his war worth; how he came by he worth so much, and one man spoke of him as the "deceased;" and all the writers agreed that in the death of this horse the country had suffered a great loss. That is fame, my boy; if you aim at all ambitious you will some day be mighty sorry that you weren't born a "loss" instead of an editor. Still, if you go with the right kind of people, you may yet grow to be a "ass." That won't help much, though.

LACKS THE QUALIFICATIONS.

One young gentleman in this year's crop of Cornell graduates announces that he is an Anarchist. Not in full standing, he isn't. He may have selected that profession, but he can't qualify. It will take years, patient, waiting years, of ranklest suppression before he can accumulate the necessary amount of hair and diet to be a full grown Anarchist. If he has been at Cornell four years he ought to know that hair and diet are the two essentials of Anarchism; all other things are elective.

JUST THAT KIND OF A PLACE.

"This paper says," remarked Mrs. MacSorley, "that a Columbarium has been established at Philadelphia. What's that?" "It is a place where they are going to cast the big columbiad guns for the new steel cruisers," replied Mr. MacSorley, who is considered an authority on military matters by Mrs. MacSorley. "But this seems to be a kind of a place where they make ashes of dead people," said Mrs. MacSorley, "instead of burying them." "That's just exactly it," said MacSorley, "a 100 pound columbiad gun makes bushes of all the people that gets in its way, and they can't find enough of 'em to bury 'em. That's what it is; a Columbarium."

HE DOESN'T EXACTLY CATCH ON.

Something or other, we can't say just what, but something in the little editorial note, makes me think that a new man has taken hold of The Nevada Watchman: "The delay in the appearance of The Watchman this week is due to the fact that our wife and myself took a little trip to the county seat, where we were detained by heavy rains flooding the streams and carrying away bridges. The bridge at Hunter's Forks was gone, so leaving our better half at Neighbor Paddock's we came on by myself in time to get out this week's edition only two days late." He has the tune pretty well, but he gets the words a little mixed.

THE UNFAILING SIGN.

Ah, ha! what do we hear? From every city, town and hamlet (except Henry Irving's) comes the rallying cry: "The people; not the politicians!" Ah, yes; this is the sign that the politicians have about completed their slates, and are getting ready to pack the conventions and adopt things "spontaneously."

EVEN JUSTICE.

People rejoice in the conviction of Jacob Sharp, because it seems to the ordinary mind that the tempter certainly deserves punishment along with the tempted. People don't like to see the little rascals punished while the great rascals escape. And yet it has always gone hard with the transgressor. Adam was expelled from Eden because he was bribed to disobedience with a handful of fruit, while the devil went right on having as good a time as ever; better, indeed, for the devil. Eaan, who sold his birthright, lost his father's blessing, and work, whose other name is that time might have been Sharp, gained everything by taking advantage of his brother's weakness. So, once in a long time, people like to see the fellows who operate the market squeezed till they howl. It pleases people. It doesn't draw on their sympathies, and tends to reconcile the other convicts to their fate. When a man barks his shins by falling through a defective cellar grating, noticing passers him more or spreads a more healing balm upon his abrasions than to see the owner of the property break his neck in the same cool hole.

THE BOYS DO NOT CELEBRATE.

One broiling day in hot July,
John Adams said, long years gone by,

"This day, that makes a people free,
Will be the people's jubilee;

"With games, guns, sports and shows displayed,
With bells, pomp, bonfires and parade,

"Over all this land, from shore to shore,
From this time forth forever more."

The years passed on, and by and by,
Men's hearts grew cold in hot July.

And one New England mayor said,
"Of rockets I am sore afraid:

"And whoso sends one up ablaze,
I'll send him up for twenty days."

Then said the Mayor O'Hay McQuade,
"They're no so safe for us parade."

And Mayor Enos Von Edwertzmeyer,
Proclaimed "I'll haf no fo bonfire."

Said Mayor Baptiste Raphael,
"No makes-a-crazy cake-a boi."

"By gar," said Mayor Jean Crapaud,
"Za July games vil has to go."

And Mayor Knud Christoffer Knudsen
Cried, "Dyals to him who gives a gjuns!"

At last, said Mayor Wan Lung See,
"Too muchee hoop-la bobberee!"

And so the Yankee holiday
In 1900 passed away.

—Brooklyn Eagle.

A Startling Statement.

Eastern Man—Oh, the real estate boom is not confined to the west by a good deal. A few of us have founded a big town ourselves in Pennsylvania within a year.

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"No, we divided it into big lots so every man could raise enough garden truck to keep the family going."

"Queer notion, but then, of course, you got the land for almost nothing. How many thousand dollars did the free picnics and ex cursions cost you?"

"Didn't have any."

"Oh, that's it. Depended on brass bands, eh! Well, they cost money, big money, but they pay."

"Hadn't so much as a tin trumpet."

"Great Scott! How did you sell the lots?"

"We started a silk mill along side of 'em."

N. B.—At this point the conversation stopped and the Omaha man was carried into a drug store in a fainting condition. The shock was too much for him.—Omaha World.

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JOTTINGS.

—The Actives of the Borough will contest with the Crescents in a game of base ball on the Park avenue grounds, Saturday afternoon at 3.30 o'clock.

—The case of Robert Simpson against Mayor Corley and Marshal Becker, of North Plainfield, has been adjourned until Thursday next at two o'clock.

—A son of Mr. Belcher, hackman, ran his back this afternoon into Jeremiah Manning's lumber wagon, carrying off the left front wheel, making a new wheel necessary.

—While engaged playing ball Monday evening, Jamie Tyrer of East Fourth street received serious injury to his nose by coming in contact with another young man while running.

The Death Roll.

The infant child of Wm. H. Moore, corner of Third and Washington streets, died yesterday. The funeral will occur on Wednesday. Interment will be in the Presbyterian church.

Twenty New Cottages to be Built at Once.

The offer of the Land Improvement Company of a piece of ground to the city of Plainfield Board of Education, on condition that a school building be erected there has not yet been accepted for want of funds. The site is to embrace lots Nos. 96 and 98 on the maps of the company, and is 100 x 150 feet, fronting on Madison avenue, and between Third street and South avenue, this being considered a desirable distance from the new Pond factory.

Yesterday Mr. Moore, of Elizabeth, visited Plainfield, and in company with Mr. Ayres, of West Second street, the Plainfield agent of the Land Improvement Company, selected sites for twenty new cottages, to be erected forthwith.

The Muhlenburg Hospital people secures all the adjoining land south to the intersection of Second and Third streets, and have sold a corner of it to William J. Noel for a stable, on which work has been begun.

The walls of the new factory are well up, and the work is being pushed forward very rapidly, a force of about one hundred men being engaged.

Was Young Tier Murdered?

About eight months ago the late George V. Tier, whose death at the age of nineteen years occurred Tuesday, was walking along Peace street when a mischievous boy named Fuller, hurled an apple after him, hitting him a blow on the base of the brain so hard as to raise a lump. Young Tier turned around and slapped the boy in the face, and the boy ran crying to his father, telling him that a man had struck him. The father supposing the attack was unprovoked ran out at young Tier and proceeded to kick him and strike him in the head with his fists, the young man defending himself the best he could. He was forced up against a fence and there struck a blow which knocked him to the ground, causing his head to strike severely on the sidewalk. As he came to his feet after the blows and kicks, he was felled a second time and struck on his head.

When George got home, suffering with a pain in his head, he told of the affair to his uncle, John H. Tier, between whom and him the strongest affection existed. George's father died when he was a mere lad, and the father's dying request of his brother, John H. Tier, was that he would care for the boy as if he was one of his own, which he seceded to from natural affection as well as the ties of kindred. And George's manly, lovable disposition made him many warm, devoted friends.

When the guardian heard of the brutal attack he was furious, and immediately started out in search of the assailant but could not find him. The young man's mother went before a Justice of the Peace to have Fuller arrested, but the justice pursuaded her against this course and the matter was allowed to drop. George was her only son. He complained continually of his head.

Drs. Jenkins and Lowrie, in examining the young man's head and without knowing the facts, discovered a clot of blood at the base of the brain, and said that it was caused by a blow at some time or other and was the cause of the young man's death.

Several persons who remembered of the attack on George are interesting themselves to have the matter investigated and the assailant punished upon proof that he caused the young man's death.

The whole affair shows the sad consequences likely to follow too hasty temper. Of course the circumstances indicate that the father of the Fuller boy was led into the attack, supposing he was resenting an attack upon his mischievous son, who appears to have been the real cause of all the trouble, if not of young Tier's death.

Young Tier was a clerk in A. M. Griffiths hardware store, and was noted as a steady, peaceable young man, free from bad habits, and this makes his death all the more lamentable.

THE MURDEROUS ATTACK.

The Prisoner Examined.

Justice Wadsworth and Justice Slade held court at Police Headquarters yesterday afternoon, at four o'clock, the former presiding, and Mayor Clark was present to watch the investigation in a marriage, being unable to walk.

The wife of Leid Vilton was tried first. She was charged with assault by Emily, Harriet and John Stewart. Through her counsel she expressed a desire for examination. John Stewart swore that the woman hit him with a bed stick. This brought forth a savage glance from the woman and a "You lie," from the husband. Stewart proceeded and said that she struck him across the back, whether more than once he could not say. He had never had any trouble with the woman. Her did not strike back. Upon cross-examination he testified that Palermo hit him first and knocked him off the wagon.

Emily Stewart testified that he saw the woman strike his son John before he got out of the wagon. This caused the accused and her husband to break forth in a torrent of abuse, and Judge Wadsworth informed the husband that unless he quieted down, he would be placed in a cell. Mr. Stewart continued: I saw her hit John once with a bed-slat, then a whole and broken slat were produced. Old Palermo his wife, his daughter and the woman were all at him. It was just like thrashing buckwheat. They all struck together. He did not strike back. This woman struck me one rap. I didn't touch her or make any resistence. Had no chance to.

Harriet Stewart, wife of Emily, testified: I saw her strike John. Can't tell how many times, with a bed-slat. I saw her strike old Palermo his wife, and she struck me on the head. The father, the mother, the daughter and this woman all had slats and were pounding me. (At this point Leid Vilton became so obstreperous that he was removed from the room). John was on the wagon when she hit him first. I saw her women and Mr. Palermo and took the blows, or he'd been killed. It stunned me so that I couldn't see. I saw enough, however, to see blood. Palermo broke one slat on John, then he ran and got a piece of the fence.

Mrs. Catherine Davis testified: I didn't watch the woman at all I was so scared. I didn't see this woman, I was trying to get my brother up.

This finished the testimony in behalf of the State. Margaretta Palermo was chosen by the prisoner to carry on the examination of the prisoner. She was first duly impressed by Judge Wadsworth with the nature and solemnity of an oath. The woman then testified that her nameswas Filamen Rose, she was twenty-one years old, was married, was born in Germany, and lived in the house of the Stewarts. Her counsel, Mr. Coddington, asked her where she was at the time of assault. She replied, "In Palermo's house making white wash."

This closed the case, Judge Wadsworth refusing to allow Mr. Coddington to produce witnesses for the defence. Mr. Coddington made a forcible summing up for his client and ridiculed the testimony of the State's witnesses. Judge Wadsworth in his charge stated that he considered the case of the State fully proved, and held the woman to await the action of the Grand Jury, bail to be $300. This was afterwards raised to $100 and secured, the woman returning to her home last evening.

The cases of Mrs. Palermo and her daughter Margaretta were next tried. The same witnesses testified and the testimony in substance was the same. Mr. Coddington succeed in drawing out of Mr. Stewart upon his cross examination, that there had been and was a feud between the families, and that they had not spoken to one another for over two years. Mrs. Stewart's description of the attack was very vivid. Every movement of all parties concerned was described.

Mrs. Palermo's testimony was that she was forty-six years old, didn't see the fracas at all, was in her own rooms. Heard the noise and came running out and saw Mrs. Stewart covered with blood. Maybe she was struck by a flying stick or brick. I was in the house making whitewash.

Mr. Coddington in summing up in this case asked the court to take into consideration the woman's denial, the clear proof of a feud between the families and that she might rightly have gone to her husband's defence just as Mrs. Stewart did to her's, and that Mrs. Palermo was in poor circumstances, that there were five children dependent upon her.

Judge Wadsworth said he realized all that, but that he considered the evidence showed premeditation and undoubted committal of assault and that he would hold the woman to await the action of the Grand Jury. Bail was fixed at $100.

Anna Palermo, Margaretta her oldest daughter, and her four-year-old child were taken to the county jail at Elizabeth, to-day. Some trouble was experienced in overcoming the infant's crying out of the question as to the disposition of the young child. She was not guilty of any crime. She would be an expense to the county if taken to the jail. The mother plead for the presence of her child and Prebicker Vanderbeek finally issued an order on the Warden of the jail ordering the admission of the child. The three children are still at the home of Leid Vilton on Front street.

The condition of the victims of the assault is not at all precarious. They are daily gaining in strength.

City Judge's Court.

George Feirson, an ink peddar, Thomas Connors, a laborer, and Patrick Waring, an ex-soldier in the British army, were brought before City Judge Ulrich this morning. George Fierson was charged with peddling without license and with being drunk. He was fined $3 or ten days in the county jail. Conners who was arrested by Policeman Lynch for drunkenness, was fined $5 or twenty days in the county jail. Waring, whose brutal conduct complained against him last evening for general disorder, withdrew his complaint this morning. Patrick was let down easy by Judge Ulrich, who fined him $1, which his brother paid.

PERSONAL.

Mrs. C. Miller and her son, Wallace, have left for Asbury Park.

Miss Emma Wilson, of Somerville, is visiting friends on West Seventh street.

A. A. Thurworth of this city is registered at the Grand Central, Asbury Park.

Hon. Jacob Kirkner and family are stopping at the Metropolitan, Asbury Park.

Rev. W. E. Honeyman and wife of North Plainfield started to-day for Pine Tree, N. J.

Dr. H. W. Hodges and his brother were yesterday afternoon at Round Brook fishing in the Raritan.

Philip Giese of Somerset street, accompanied by his mother left yesterday for a short visit to Asbury Park.

D. Dillon Mestre of Plainfield is entered in a six day walking match for the championship of New Jersey, at Burlington. He is entered as "Miller's Unknown."

Isaac V. Scribner, of North Plainfield, and daughter, Mrs. Bergfeldt, started to-day for a week's sojourn at the Trenton House, Asbury Park. Old Mr. Scribner is in the seventies.

Mr. A. F. Wright, of the Westinghouse Electric Light Company, has returned from Portland, Maine, where he has been engaged in superintending the equipment of a very large electric light plant.

Mrs. Charles B. Brown of No. 11 Dunz street, North Plainfield, has gone to Greenfield, Ulster County, N. Y., to stay until Sept. 1st. Mr. Brown will spend two or three weeks at the same place in August.

E. A. Veghte, of Somerville, was in the city yesterday. He was busy delivering to the lawyers of the city his recently printed report of decisions rendered of the Court of Chancery, New Jersey, a companion to his fine picture of the Supreme Court Judges.

Lieutenant Taylor, a son-in-law of I. M. Holcombe, Central avenue, has just returned from a four years cruise on a U. S. man-of-war. He recently crossed the equator and he says such equatorial heat suffers by comparison with such heat as the United States produced last week.

A letter shown us yesterday from a gentleman stopping at Asbury Park, states that a girl who had ventured beyond her depth while bathing there was drowning, having sunk, and was rescued by George W. Morrison of THE NEWS, who saw her sinking and swam to her in time to catch her, keeping her afloat until a life boat arrived, into which she was taken ashore and revived.

The following card has been sent out to gather the Marsh family together for a grand reunion and picnic: "Family Association, including all persons by the name of Marsh, or who have descended from any by that name, and their families are invited to attend the fourth family gathering and basket picnic at Unity Hall, No. 20 Pratt street, Hartford Conn., on August 4, 1887. Ample hotel accommodations in the city at prices ranging from $1 to $2.50 per day. Those wishing to secure places can apply by letter to E. W. Marsh, 105 Clark street, Hartford, Conn. Please put in writing and bring or send, all you know or can learn of the genealogy of your family. Dwight W. Marsh, President, Amherst, Mass.; J. Johnson, Secretary, Greenfield, Mass. In this city there are probably about twenty of this name, not counting the small children. Among the most prominent are Frank Marsh, President of Common Council, and Craig A. Marsh, Corporation Counsel.

Seventeen Years Progress.

Below will be found a compilation of the valuations of the property in Plainfield—both real and personal—during the years 1870 to 1887 inclusive. The figures are official:

Year	Valuation.	Increase	Decline
1870	$3,402,573		
1871	3,753,350	350,973	
1872	3,813,4000	340,750	
1873	3,954,250	90,850	
1874	4,401,385	446,885	
1875	4,501,000	99,615	
1876	4,580,825	67,300	
1877	4,609,250	2,425	
1878	4,105,725		$74,525
1879	4,044,225		14,000
1880	4,225,350	181,083	
1881	4,360,924	135,598	
1882	4,410,000	49,076	
1883	4,598,045	122,955	
1884	4,590,500	57,545	
1885	4,763,050	107,450	
1886	4,866,425	103,375	
1887	5,190,000	236,900	
Total increase		$2,090,725	

The gain for the seventeen years being over sixty-seven per cent. on the original valuation, the average gain per year being $123,336, or about four per cent. a year.

The Board of Assessors of Union County, at their meeting on Monday, fixed the following amounts for the county tax of the various townships.

Elizabeth, $71,934.77; Railway, $14,309.50; Plainfield, $20,381.65; Clark, $1,356; Cranford, $2,373.64; Fanwood, $3,698.32; Linden, $7,312.56; New Providence, $1,283.26; Springfield, $1,350.29; Summit, $4,738.54; Union, $7,491.01; Westfield, $4,982.99; total, $160,000.

The school tax is apportioned as follows:

Clark, $534.74; Cranford, $1,812.73; Elizabeth, $30,791.19; Rahway, $6,142.16; Plainfield $19,533; Springfield, $672.32; Union, $3,195.38; Linden, $3,719.16; Westfield, $1,917; Summit, $2,026.79; New Providence, $547.22; Fanwood, $1,577.58; total, $105,063.66.

Elizabeth's citizens pay $2.68 on $100, this year, which is the same amount as last year.

The rate for the city of Plainfield has not been decided upon yet, and will not be until after the meeting of Common Council. Below will be found the rates for the last five years:

1882	$1.80 per $100
1883	1.80 " "
1884	1.74 " "
1885	1.74 " "
1886	1.80 " "

Who Can Tell?

(TO THE EDITOR OF THE NEWS):—Can any of your subscribers inform me through THE NEWS how I may effectually get rid of mice? I have tried in every way I can think of to destroy them, but still they come.

A HOUSEKEEPER.

—The Fire Department Board of Managers are in session this afternoon at the Council Chamber, where as Commissioners of Appeal they are listening to the statements of those desiring corrections or reductions in their tax bill for the year.

LATEST DISPATCHES.

THE NEWS controls the services of the American Press Association and the United Press, and is the only paper published in this section that possesses a Telegraphic News Franchise.

Thermometer Record.

The following is the record of the thermometer for the past week, taken at the middle of each hour, at Reed & Sperry's drug store, corner of Front street and Park avenue.

	1887	1886
9 a. m.	67	Sun rises..... 4.45
9 a. m.	71 69	Sun sets..... 7.37
12 m	79 75	Moon rises..... 4.54
2 p. m.	86 82	Moon sets.....

Weather Indications.

On Thursday, in the middle Atlantic states, and in New England, warmer, fair weather, followed, with cooler winds and on Friday still warmer and fair weather.

Blaine Ill But Pushing Ahead.

EDINBURGH, Scotland, July 20.—Senator Hale informs a Scotch dispatch that Mr. Blaine is severely ailing, and that he is half determined to abandon the summer trip to Paris and the Stanley Club entertainments. The turnpike junket to Dumfermline shook Mr. Blaine up so severely that he has committed over slice of racking pains in his back. His appetite has been bad. He could not be induced to take a seat in the coach this morning, though he gave up all thought of going to London. It was another thirty miles spin to Kingham, and he was afraid a repetition of his former experience would disable him. Mrs. Blaine and the girls drove over with the Carnegies, he walked down to the depot and took the train, arriving at Kingham half an hour ahead of the tally-ho.

At a banquet this evening, following the ceremonies attending the unveiling of Alexander III's monument, Mr. Blaine, in response to the toast of his health, said: "The men of Scotch blood in America are far more numerous than they are in Scotland, and no portion of the inhabitants of the United States have contributed more to the general welfare of the Republic, have established higher character and have exhibited in all great fields of labor more progressive talent. We must never forget to reckon the immense influence which Scotch blood has in the liberty-loving character of the people."

Several enterprising photographers endeavored to catch Mr. Blaine in a presentable position at the unveiling of the monument, but his nimbleness of perception defeated them. Once he caught sight of them he divined their purpose, and continued to change from one grotesque position in his chair to another, until they finally gave up the scheme in despair.

A Million Dollar Fire.

NEW YORK, July 20.—The Standard Oil Company lost property by fire at Constable Hook, N. J., worth over one million dollars between midnight and six o'clock this morning.

Two large frame warehouses, ten thousand barrels of oil, four big docks and three high tanks were completely destroyed.

The Bayonne Fire Department assisted by five barges and a tug-boat managed to approach the burning tanks through the most intense heat and eventually overcome the flames. At one time the whole river front was threatened. Several docks were burned. Shipping was hauled out into the stream.

There was no insurance on the property. The petroleum market will not be affected. The scene in New York bay, lit up as it was by the ruddy glare, was magnificent.

A strong force of men about the place aided in subduing the flames. The flames were discovered by a man in the Bayonne bell tower, who immediately gave the alarm.

Phil. Armour's New Project.

CHICAGO, July 20.—Phil. D. Armour was asked yesterday about the truth of a despatch from St. Joseph, Mo., to the effect that he intended building a $500,000 packing house there as soon as the city gave him twenty acres of land and a bonus of $100,000. He replied that the despatch was correct, and that his partner, Mr. Sinclair, was out there looking over the situation, although the details had not been arranged as yet. He added that there would be an Armour packing house there before long.

President Sherman?

TOLEDO, Ohio, July 20.—Information is received from Mansfield that Senator John Sherman will come to the State Republican Convention, to be held in this city, as a delegate from Highland county. This will be the first convention that Senator Sherman has attended as a delegate in years, and his presence is regarded as an step forward securing the formal indorsement of his candicacy for the presidency.

Five Years for Horse Stealing.

NEW BRUNSWICK, N. J., July 20.—Joseph Depew, a colored man, who had week broke into the stable of Dr. S. B. Lorton, at Metuchen, was brought before Judge Cowenhoven this morning. He confessed the crime, but said another man helped him whose name he could not remember. Judge Cowenhoven said, as the prisoner had not forgot the stealing, he would sentence him to five years imprisonment at Trenton.

Birds of Passage.

The recently organized Homing Club of this city, will fly their birds in a race on August 6. The birds will be shipped to the Racing Secretary of the Philadelphia Federation, who will then forward the birds to the point of liberation.

—The excursion of St. Mary's T. A. B. Society to Riverview Grove, on the Hudson, opposite Yonkers, was well patronized this morning. The train was made up of fourteen coaches almost all of which were crowded.

An Old Plainfielder and His Family.

Theodore Dunn of Brandway, who has resided in Plainfield nearly all his life, was born on Dunellen January 5, 1818, and is consequently nearly seventy years old. In 1840 he married Cath. Ann Smalley, one of the family of one Randolph family here, and to them nine children, seven sons and two daughters. Death took one of the sons. Four of the five surviving sons are dealers in newspapers, and have the monopoly for the sale of the same on the line of R. R. and its branches, for which they pay a handsome sum annually. The other son, Lewis A. Dunn, who is forty-seven years old, served through the war in the Sixth New Jersey volunteers and was honorably discharged. Rufus Case, of Ninth street, and Clarke were old comrades throughout their term of service, both enlisting at about the same time and in the same company. A younger brother of Rufus, named Samuel, was for many years a partner of Lewis in the paper business, and was at one time a member of the Elizabeth Common Council. The partnership was dissolved some years ago, and shortly after Samuel died. Lewis Dunn then took into partnership with him his brothers, Franklin and John W. Dunn, and the fourth brother, Alfred D., was taken into their employ.

This is the famous firm who have wagered for the past dozen years or more the sale of books and papers on the trains, including the trains to Long Branch and Asbury Park.

The fifth son, Charles S. Dunn, is a turner, in business on his own account in North Plainfield.

Lewis, the oldest son of Theodore, had for his first wife Susan W. Force, a sister of the Force Brothers, proprietors of the Constitutionlist. The couple had three sons, one of whom are dead. The oldest of these two sons is Fred. Dunn, who is now in the employ of the Electric Light Company, the other son being still at school.

The second wife of Lewis, who is still alive, was formerly Miss Martha Webster, daughter of Lewis Webster, deceased, a farmer, who owned a large farm which included Broadway, Putnam avenue, Seventh, Eighth and Ninth streets, comprising about one hundred acres, all sold to the father of Joseph T. Vail, North avenue, the real estate agent, and the purchaser cut the farm up into lots and made money on the investment, which was inherited by Joseph T. and his brother.

Franklin and John, the other sons of Theodore, in the firm of Dunn Brothers, are married to Elizabeth women, Franklin's wife having been formerly Miss Clarissa Lawson, and John's, Ida Tubbs.

The Dunn Brothers also owns a large creamery in Berlin, New York State, near the boundary line of Vermont.

Alfred B., the fourth son, is unmarried, though about twenty-five years old.

The fifth son, Charles, married Miss Emma Doty, of New Brunswick, a brother is Conductor Nelson Doty, of the Central R. R.

The daughters are both married. The oldest is the wife of Thomas Harris, of Philadelphia, and a native of Plainfield, where he resided for many years. The youngest daughter is Mrs. Merchant, of East Front street, whose husband keeps a large and prosperous restaurant in Jersey city.

Old Mr. Dunn's second wife was formerly Miss Agnes Johnson, whose first husband was a New York merchant. A son by her first marriage is now president of the firm which manufactures the Excelsior Corset, also of New York, and is a prominent citizen of Brooklyn. Mrs. Johnson Dunn had three other sons and one daughter, all dead, and had resided in Plainfield about fourteen years. Her daughter, whose name was Agnes, was a graduate of the Plainfield High School, dying within a year or so after graduation.

Old Mr. Dunn is still hale and vigorous, and full of interesting reminiscences of Plainfield and vicinity, in which he has spent so many years of his life.

Muscular Christianity.

The Young Men's Christian Association of this city is following in the steps of other associations throughout the city and has organized a base ball nine which will play its first game, July 27th, in New Brunswick, N. J., with the nine of the Y. M. C. A., of that city. The match is to be a friendly one, probably, settled, but will include J. Murray, Jr., R. Munger, C. H. Hillman, R. F. Murray, Percey Stuart, A. J. Gavett, A. R. Dills, J. Hervey Doane, George Cornwell and S. St. J. McCutchen.

SCOTCH PLAINS.

"Ill blows the wind that profits nobody" is a truth full of meaning. While the storm was raging on Sunday evening, it is said there came a stranger to the house of the pastor of the M. E. church Rev. E. F. Fowler, who resides at Scotch Plains, and he many have entertained angels in strangers it was decided to care for this stranger. He is now residing with the family, is three days old and has settled down as a permanent resident.

Thomas Young and family who are visiting at Asbury, N. J., expect to spend a few days at Round Lake in search of health.

THE NEWS is regarded here as a wide awake newsy sheet and is highly prized by our people. Long live the NEWS.

NEW MARKET.

Rev. J. B. Clark, of Alfred Centre, N. Y., was in town last week.

The bridges in and about New Market, show the results of a new coat of paint.

Mrs. Hayden and daughters, of Albany, N. Y., are visiting at Mr. Clark's.

Charles Day started on a trip to Canada Tuesday last, expecting to be absent about two weeks.

The R. B. Society held very interesting meetings every two weeks in the Session Room of the R. D. B. church.

A company of young people were agreeably entertained at the home of Lewis Dunn, a few evenings since.

Dr. Edwards, having sold his house and lot, intends helping his brother, who has an extensive medical practice.

Business in the village seems to be thriving, with the exception of the clothing factory, which has partly shut down, owing to a depression in that line of business.

A lawn festival under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid Society will be held on Mr. J. Y. Wilson's lawn, Wednesday evening, July 27.

The Temperature.

The highest temperature this week was recorded on Sunday and Monday afternoons when the thermometer stood at 90 degrees. Below is a tabulated statement of the weather for the week ending July 16:

Day	7 a. m.	2 p. m.	9 p. m.
Sunday	70	74	71
Monday	73	90	78
Tuesday	73	88	76
Wednesday	72	86	77
Thursday	72	86	77
Friday	72	86	77
Saturday	72	86	77

Want Column.

A MAN WANTED to deliver Sunday papers and collect. A married man with a small family, or no family, preferred. Comfortable and agreeable business, and best of pay. A good place for the right man. Address Theodore Dunn, P. O. Box 140, or call at No. 99 Broadway, near Hillside avenue. 20-3-1

A REFINED young Swedish lady, accustomed to upstairs work and waiting on the table, wishes a situation. Address M. P., care Evening News.

A COACHMAN of good reputation and Plainfield references, wants a steady situation. Inquire of Coachman, box 1508, or address Anthony Jones, Dunellen. 19-5.

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FOR SALE—A few desirable lots on Spooner avenue corner Dryden street, cheap. Also a number of lots in neighborhood of Grant avenue station. T. Vail, agent opp. R. R. station, Plainfield. 7-14-6t

FURNISHED ROOMS to let, with or without board, at No. 11 West Second street. 28-28-tf

HOUSE and lot with stable near Grant avenue for sale, splendid opportunity for investment, buildings in good order. Address Box 1508. 7-8-eod-tf

LOST—Dog strayed away from Adam st Frin. Liver and white pointer. Heavy set, tail clipped. Five dollars paid for return to Smalley Brothers' butcher shop. 19-6

MONEY to loan on first mortgage. Box 1711. 3-tf

PROPERTY for sale to settle up the estate of the late Lewis Lewis, deceased. Lot on corner of Putnam and Kensington avenues, also new house and lot on Front street, near Richmond avenue, and now occupied by Mr. Marix. Terms made very easy. Apply to Evan Jones, Park House. 20-3

TAKE NOTICE—That Joseph O'Neil is no longer in my employ as carrier of Sunday papers for the NEWS. All those who have removed or are not served properly will drop me a postal addressed to Theodore Dunn, P. O. Box 140, and the matter will received prompt attention. 20-3

TO LET—Two houses on Craig Place, all improvements, eleven rooms each, $30 per month. Apply to Isaac Brokaw, 121 Duer street. 7-20-tf-6

WANTED—A girl for general housework. Apply to Mrs. H. Milne, corner Sycamore and Willow avenues, North Plainfield. 19-2

WANTED—Man and wife on farm, no objections to small family. A good chance for the right parties. P. O. Box 183, or Benj. A. Mumford, 2 East Third street. 19-2

WANTED—A two-seat phaeton in good order. Address Asak, care of Evening News. 19-2

WANTED—A girl for general housework. No. 3 Craig Place. 19-tf-2

YOUNG MAN would like a position on gentleman's place. Understands driving and care of horses. Address J. M., care EVENING NEWS. 7-20

Special Notices.

SPECIAL MEETING

A Of the Order of American Firemen will be held Tuesday evening, July 26, at eight p. m. in Garden Engine No. 2.

By order of R. A. MUMFORD, President.

7-20-21-26

Died.

MOORE—On 19th inst. Walter F. Moore, aged 7 months, 24 days, son of Wm. H. and Sarah J. Moore.

The relatives and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend. Funeral services at the residence of parents, corner Washington and Sycamore avenues, on Wednesday at 2.30 p. m. Interment Presbyterian cemetery, North Plainfield. Ladies please.

TIER—At Plainfield, N. J., July 18, 1887, George V. Tier, son of Josie N. and the late George V. Tier, in the 19th year of his age.

Funeral services at the residence of John H. Tier, Bank Place, Thursday, July 21, at half-past two p. m. Relatives and friends are respectfully invited to attend.

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A GREAT ELEVATOR BURNED.

More Than a Million Bushels of Wheat Destroyed.

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., July 30.—About 7:15 last evening fire was discovered in 28. Anthony elevator, on the east side of town, across four miles from the business center of the city. Two engines were sent down, but owing to the inadequate supply of water, a small creek being their only source of supply, their efforts were well nigh futile, and the mammoth building slowly fell before the onslaught of the flames. The elevator was the largest structure of the kind in the northwest. It was a triple building connected by bridges and tramways, and had a capacity of 2,700,000 bushels, but at this time contained but 1,100,000 bushels, a great quantity being owned by Chicago men who high prices caused by the "corner" were prevailing. The wheat in the elevator, it is supposed, will be a total loss, and is estimated to be worth $825,000. Of the amount Washburn, Crosby & Co. had 551,000 bushels, which is fully covered by insurance. The balance is likewise supposed to be covered. The loss in the building and machinery is $250,000; insured for $218,000. The wheat destroyed is one-tenth the visible supply of the northwest, exclusive of Duluth. Leading millers say the fire will only temporarily affect the supply for milling purposes. The burned building was a comparatively new structure, and was not equipped with apparatus to be used in case of fire, and had two watchmen constantly employed. How the fire started is a mystery, and no satisfactory theory can be advanced by those in position to know.

DESTROYED BY EARTHQUAKE.

People Fleeing for Their Lives—A Volcano in Action.

EL PASO, Tex., July 30.—Close upon the heels of the terrible earthquake at Baviepe come the details of a still greater calamity at Becarisc, a town twenty miles distant from Baviepe. It had before the catastrophe 1,300 inhabitants. When Baviepe was destroyed the town was badly shaken up and most of the inhabitants fled. Since then the town has been visited by a succession of shocks that have reduced the whole place to ruins. Most of the people escaped, as they fled the country terror stricken on the first disturbance.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 30.—The schooner Dora, from Onualaska, brings news that the volcano of Akoutan, on the island of Akoutan, one of the Aleutian group, is in a state of eruption. The natives say that eruptions have been almost constant since the middle of May. Loud explosions occur every few moments, and immense quantity of rock is thrown up hundreds of feet into the air, and at night numerous streams of lava can be seen coursing down the mountain sides, illuminating the whole country around. Earthquake shocks are also frequent.

District 30 K. of L. Convention.

FALL RIVER, Mass., July 30.—District Master Workman Howard presided at the afternoon session of the convention of District Assembly No. 30, Knights of Labor, yesterday. After the reading of the minutes on credentials and the transaction of some parliamentary business, a number of delegates were refused admission on account of technicalities. The reports of the master workman, the secretary-treasurer, and the committee on the condition of textile industries were read and referred for future action by the convention. The report of the committee is to be printed, and will contain some interesting information. The investigation was intended as a test of the value of the statistics put forth by Labor Commissioner Carrol D. Wright. It seems that Mr. Wright obtained most of the information from manufacturers. The committee, on the other hand, have gone directly to the operatives themselves for facts.

Lunatic McCabe's Movements.

NEW YORK, July 30.—The report that ex-Aldermen McCabe, who was adjudged insane at his recent trial for bribery, had flown to Canada is denied by District Attorney Martine and McCabe's bondsmen. The ex-alderman's counsel say that McCabe may have gone to the Catskills at the solicitation of his wife, who is the legal guardian, but is not outside the jurisdiction of the court. The bondsmen are apparently satisfied that McCabe is insane.

John McSorney's Murderous Work.

OIL CITY, Pa., July 30.—John McSorney shot his son John last night at 11 o'clock. When officers came to arrest him he shot Officer James. McNerney was shot by the other officers, but fatally wounded. It was then found that he had killed his wife. There were no witnesses to the tragedy, but it is supposed McNerney was crazed with drink. The wounds of young McNerney and Officer James are fatal.

A Beecher Memorial Service.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., July 30.—A Beecher memorial service was held at New Preston, Litchfield county, at the residence of the Rev. F. S. Child. The late Brooklyn divine was a native of the county, and the services were well attended. Addresses were made by Editor Peters, of the New York Sun; Rev. F. S. Child and others, highly eulogistic of Mr. Beecher's life and works.

A Murder Near Utica.

UTICA, N. Y., July 30.—John Kienlen, an old man, was found dead in bed in Stittville, ten miles north of here Sunday. His skull was fractured and a bloody ax was found concealed near the premises. Suspicion pointed to Fred Lajoe, who lodged with him. A coroner's jury held Lipe for the crime, and he is now in jail here.

Incendiary Fires at Lancaster.

LANCASTER, Pa., July 29.—Fire last night in the clothing store of Hirsh & Brother caused a loss to stock and building of $50,000; insurance, $30,000. Attempts to fire Hirsh's millinery store, adjoining the scene of the fire, was burned out on Saturday, and it was thought that both fires were of incendiary origin.

The Heat at Cincinnati.

CINCINNATI, O., July 30.—The maximum temperature yesterday was 98 degs. About fifty cases of prostration from heat were reported at the Central police station during the day and night with eight fatalities. The thermometer at midnight last night registered 80 degs.

Died on His Dog's Grave.

PHILADELPHIA, July 30.—Allan Harp, aged 16, committed suicide Monday night by shooting himself through the head. His body was found lying on the newly made grave of a dog which died recently, and of which the boy had been very fond.

THE PRESIDENT TALKS

TO ENTHUSIASTIC FRIENDS AT HIS OLD HOME.

He Admits Having Stolen Front Gates from the Good People of Fayetteville.

Memories of Boyhood Days—The Party Start For Washington.

FAYETTEVILLE, N. Y., July 29.—Fayetteville, the childhood home of Grover Cleveland, put on its festal garb yesterday. They threw out its gorgeous banners and flaunting flags to greet the president. Large delegations were present from Syracuse and Oswego, and nearly every village and farmers had decorated the houses, and at Oran a cannon was ready on the green to salute the party, but the cannon had departed from the appointed road and took the road through Manlius, where a hearty reception was given.

As Fayetteville was reached, the carriages were driven in a circuit in order to let the president see the old house in which his father lived when he was a clergyman here. It was very elaborately decorated and across the front was the inscription: "The Parsonage."

Secretary and Mrs. Fairchild occupied the first carriage, and upon arriving at the residence of Mrs. Fairchild's parents' sister, they drove past the stepping stone to allow the president and Mrs. Cleveland to first alight. Mr. and Mrs. Cleveland went up to the veranda were met by Mrs. Hoyt, who kissed Mrs. Cleveland and then warmly greeted her brother, the president.

At 12:25 o'clock the public reception at Clinton park began, and long before that hour a dense crowd had collected.

Good order was preserved by Capt. Quigley, of the Syracuse police force, and a squad of officers from that city.

Howard H. Edwards introduced the president and Mrs. Cleveland, and they were received most enthusiastically. It is estimated more than 1,000 people present had not shaken the president's hand, and to atone for their disappointment he made a short speech substantially as follows:

My friends, I see that it is impossible in the short space allotted to shake all by the hand, and I am unwilling to leave you without giving you a word of greeting. All is unchanged to-day, as far as my feeling is considered, toward the people of Fayetville, and it is with extreme gratitude that I am with you. I find myself in a place above all others dear to me at the present time. It was here that I enjoyed every pleasure, sport and pastime of my boyhood. I now recall to the minds of the citizens of Fayetteville some of the changes since forty years ago. Very many of the friends of that time are dead. There are few things that recall the scenes and incidents of my boyhood besides the memory of those now gone.

I remember Green lake and the fish I tried to catch and never caught, and which I suppose are there to-day. Yes, and I remember the story of the panther soon on the shore, and how scared I was. But I have heard so much howling for the past few years that I do not think she panther would frighten me now.

I could tell some of the old residents of Fayetteville who it was that took off their front gates forty years ago. I mention this thing because since I have been in Washington I have been accused of so many crimes that taking off a gate seems to me almost a virtue.

I received my first rudiments of education in Fayetteville, and these, with the Sunday school and religious influences, are all brought back fresh to my mind. All of these remembrances have gone with me through every station of life in a place are to recall them in retrospection. Fayetteville and those days so many years ago are the firmest and pleasantest memories that my mind dwells upon. I have taken you and the village of Fayetteville with me. You are a part of this administration. I have been a bad truant, but I ask that you keep an eye on me. I promise to perform my duties so as to receive the approbation of the people of Fayetteville—my oldest and best friends.

With this President Cleveland bade his hearers adieu. Dinner had been arranged for at 1:30 p. m. at the president's sister's, but it was past that hour when the party reached the house. After dinner the president visited quietly with Mr. and Mrs. Hoyt. The visitors left for Canenovia at 3 p. m.

The president and Mrs. Cleveland and party, who left Canenovia early in the evening, arrived at Elmira at 9:15 last night. They occupied the directors' elegant car of the Elmira, Cortland and Northern railway, drawn by a special engine. They were accompanied by Superintendent Allen, of that road.

A telegram had been sent to Secretary Lamont during the day asking if arrangements could not be made whereby the people of Elmira might pay their respects to the president and wife, but the reply from the private secretary said that the train arrangements forbade it. There was a large crowd at the Union depot, nevertheless, when the car containing the chief executive of the nation was switched from the E., C. & N. tracks.

As the car passed the depot the president and Mrs. Cleveland stood on the rear platform and acknowledged the cheers that were given in their honor, while fireworks were displayed from various points. The car was taken to the south side of the river, where the party entered a regular sleeper of the Northern Central attached to the night train for Washington, in which a stateroom and berths had been engaged.

Miners to Resume Work.

PITTSBURG, July 30.—The conventions held in the coke region yesterday by the Knights of Labor and Miners and Laborers' Amalgamated association voted to return to work on Thursday morning, July 31, at the same wages paid up to May 1, provided that all Knights of Labor are restored to the positions occupied by them previous to the strike and without discrimination. After work is resumed a conference between the Amalgamated and Knights of Labor will be generally believed that an advance will be conceded and a satisfactory sliding scale adopted.

Custom Cutters in Convention.

CHICAGO, July 30.—The fourteenth semi-annual convention of the National Custom Cutters association began yesterday afternoon at the Pacific hotel. About 150 delegates, representing all sections of the country, were present. The convention will continue until Saturday. Various routine matters were disposed of.

Failure of a Paper Company.

SPRINGFIELD, Mass., July 30.—The Hurlbut Paper company, of South Lee, filed a petition in insolvency yesterday. The concern was founded in 1822, and was considered financially strong. No reason is given for the failure.

GOOD OLD VETERANS.

Reunion of the Survivors of the Mexican War.

CINCINNATI, July 30.—The reunion of the survivors of the Mexican war began here to-day. Gen. Worth's division, composed of the Fifth, Seventh and Eighth regiments of infantry, and Third artillery, commenced arriving in the city this morning, and by 10 o'clock the streets were filled with veterans. Gen. P. Dowling, of Chicago, was one of the first to arrive. He was met at the depot by Gen. Worthington, with his staff and council. Headquarters were established at the Grand Pacific hotel, where the commander-in-chief, Gen

NURSING AS AN ART.

A PROFESSION WHICH IS BECOMING ALMOST UNIVERSAL.

The First Requisite to a Good Nurse—Many Things to be Learned—Changes in the Sick Room—Society of the Patient.

My talk is not about professional nurses, but to those persons who find within their own four walls the occasional opportunities for attendance upon the sick. We all have such opportunities, for sickness is the most universal of the ills that flesh is heir to, and many a person dies from indifferent treatment or lack of attention. The trouble is we try to become nurses without knowing that there is an art in it which we have not mastered. Every one cannot be a successful nurse as every one cannot be a lover best; it is a question of natures. It is a gift—and a most blessed one—which, like Florence Nightingale, a few possess; and yet, those who are anxious to be of use in the sick room will find it possible to cultivate the art of nursing to an extent which will surprise both themselves and the patient. The first requisite to a good nurse is sympathy; not that nervous, spasmodic kind which overpowers the patient with unnecessary attentions when he is suffering with a particularly sharp attack of pain, but a uniformly sympathetic nature that feels, and hence does the right thing intuitively. The proper sympathy produces the thoughtfulness so essential to the sick room.

We should try at all times to anticipate the wants of those we are nursing; we should think for them about everything that could possibly contribute to their comfort—the glass of cold water, the opening or closing of a window are small matters, but very grateful ones to a sick person. Bathing the aching brow with ice or cologne water is another attention which is often neglected because it is fatiguing, yet it is the most soothing thing imaginable to one suffering with fever. In every particular study the patient and what he anticipated, as many sick persons allow their consideration for their attendant to prevent them *from asking for what they may really need.* A good nurse remembers everything and goes about performing her duties with a cheerfulness that delights the invalid. Many times the cheerfulness is only assumed, the terrible anxiety underlying it; but in any event it has a happy effect upon the sick. Nothing is so painful and depressing to those who know that they necessarily require much care and attention as to go it given grudgingly. It makes their affliction ten times harder to bear, and while they know that she who does cheerfully and with alacrity all that is to be done is fatigued sometimes they love her for not showing or speaking of it.

THINGS TO BE LEARNED.

Besides studying our manners and movements in the sick room, we must not forget that there are also other things to be learned. The apartments of the invalids must be kept scrupulously clean; purity must breathe in the atmosphere. The bed must be immaculate and the patient must be frequently bathed and rubbed, so as to keep the skin in a healthy condition. Some persons seem to think that soap and water are death to a sick person, while in reality there are few diseases where such is the case. I do not mean that we should plunge a despondingly ill person into the bath, but the intensity of the illness has passed, to sponge the patient every day in warm water without removing the bed clothes, thus protecting them from cold, strengthens and refreshes them.

When persons are ill a long time, they naturally become tired of seeing just the same piece of brie a brac in the same identical spots week in and week out, and the too familiar pictures hanging on to their nails forever. Now, the nurse has it in her power to relieve, to a large extent, this horrible monotony of view by occasionally taking the pictures down and replacing them with others from various parts of the house; indeed, I have heard of a neighbor sending a rare art gem to be hung in a sick friend's room for several days as a pleasant change of scene. Denver's Mark Tapley, who becomes uncommon wearisome after a time, and put in its place vases of sweet, bright flowers. Bring the bird in for a while, if the patient is not suffering with headache, and direct the attention to things cheerful and pleasant.

STUDY THE PATIENT.

Again we must study the disposition of the sick we are nursing before we may deem ourselves skilled. In our department, while the great majority of sick people, particularly when very ill, are male better by encouragement and like to be pronounced "getting well fast," there are a few exceptions who, like Mark Tapley, can only be cheerful under adverse circumstances, and who resent any intimation that they show the slightest improvement. Try to entertain the suffering ones; banish all thoughts of business and let not care of any kind enter the sick room. Read some pleasant paragraph that is not long enough to be tiresome. When the patient is convalescing be slow to read those things which would tax and fatigue him.

The eating is by no means a subject of indifference to the sick. Dainty little surprises in the menu are always acceptable and appetizing to the invalid. The nurse must study not to please herself, but the patient, and as sometimes the entire recovery depends upon what one eats, much thought must be given to it. Where the sick person has no relish for food, and can take only a little at a time, it should be given in small quantities, but more frequently than at regular meal times.

It is important to us all that we should be capable of nursing at least the inmates of our own homes. None of us like the idea of giving our dear ones into the hands of entire strangers to be cared for, and while, as I have said, professional nurses are essential in some cases, and in those families where there is no one able to bear the fatigue or capable of properly rendering the attentions necessary, we daughters, sisters and mothers, however, should not, as a rule, make a profession, but should train ourselves, for with our superior educations and intelligence we should be quick to recognize what is best to do for our loved ones, in times they are prostrated by illness.—Baltimore American.

Not Busy Housewives, but Drones Do.

"It is a mistake to say that American women languish for the want of exercise," declared a busy housewife. "On the contrary most of us are suffering for the want of rest. Though we may not do much walking outside, we make up for it by the amount of walking we do in the house during the day. And nobody has a right to say that we take a good many unnecessary steps, if we do it because our houses are not conveniently arranged. Our indoor work brings with it enough of exercise if we conscientiously discharge it. At least we are very tired when night comes, and feel as if we wanted to rest."—Philadelphia Call.

Books for the Library.

The authorities of the British museum have decided to compel all English publishers whose names are printed on the title pages of American works sold in England to present copies to the national library.

THEATRICAL PEOPLE.

ACTORS AND ACTRESSES WHO SOAR OF RUSTICATING.

Quite as Interesting as Those on the Stage—Summer Study Under Difficulties in the Country—Deserving to a Good Cause.

Soon in summer, the actor is quite as fascinating as when on parade. Caught in a baby waist, under the ancestral trees of Plainhill, Chris Morris is entertained as she never did in her own parlor. Her book notwithstanding, a horse would pipe and mourning a turpentine bait, Edwin Booth, or Coquelin, had a philosophic dignity that he never attained in Hamlet, and Lawrence Barrett, shivering his timbers and belaying pins, appeared in heart's ease the Bismarck smoker could possibly do on the theatrical deck. Those fortunate people who have seen Maggie Mitchell in her home at Long Branch have found out where she gets her fairy touch, and to catch Joe Wheelock at the Highlands hitching up that big horse of his while he talks about cement and masonry is as high a photo grin, "worth the price of admission."

It was only last summer that I caught Estelle Clayton and her beautiful sister making sandcastles on the beach at Rockaway, and when everybody was wondering where *Zaida de Lussan* was, I found her playing croquet in starry stockings on the back lawn of a hidden cottage at Old Field Point.

LIFE IN THE CATSKILLS.

Do you remember Laura Don's strawberry shortcake in the Catskills, and Mrs. Harwood's delightful potato salad at Larchmont, or can you have forgotten Kate Forsythe's cherry pies?

Somewhere up between the Catskills and the Hudson range is a little cottage, with a hammock on top and a wine cellar at bottom. There was a red checked, dark eyed lass who came out and held our horses one June morning, and bade us in to have some curd and whey. It was Edna Cary; and we went and sat on a tuffet, like the Mother Goose heroine, while she told us how she got into print.

"What did you wear? And what did you do with your clothes?" she said. "You surely didn't take a Sunday bonnet along."

"I wore a blue flannel dress made all in one piece, with a blouse waist, no drapery, the skirt reaching to the top of a pair of extra high boots. It weighed a pound and a half. I wore a sailor hat and carried a light jacket, to be ready for changes of weather. Our dance is a rather simple one, and as a tandem—it measures 14 feet by 30 inches—so that one could not have taken much luggage if we had wished. All that we carried weighed only about thirty pounds. Each of our photographic materials, plates, camera, etc., weighed between fifteen and twenty pounds."

"What did you do at night, sleep on the ground and cover with your canoe, or go to a hotel?"

"We started out with the intention of camping out every night, but good camping places here and Albany are not numerous and we sometimes had to stop at a hotel. But we did camp out about twothirds of the time. We carried a small tent—made of sheeting, so that it would be of less weight than one of canvas—a blanket apiece and a rubber blanket to spread on the ground. We had a tin coffee pot and a tin cup, tin plate and a knife each and a few other primitive and strictly necessary articles. Then we carried a few canned meats, but not much in that line, as we expected to be able to buy most of what we would want at our camping places. In that we were sometimes badly disappointed. One evening we camped near Stamford and bought our supplies all day, and walked over the hill to the country store to find something to eat. But all that was to be had was a loaf of baker's bread and a bundle of wilted beets. On another occasion all that we could get was some bread and milk and green plums. But usually we fared reasonably well. There are numerous ice houses along the Hudson and the ice barges constantly going up and down made it easy to keep a tin pail full of ice chips, which seemed quite a luxury."—New York Correspondent Philadelphia.

Tenacity of Purpose.

We rarely find in women such firm tenacity of purpose and determination to overcome obstacles which is characteristic of what we call a manly mind. When a woman is urged to any prolonged or powerful exercise of volition, the prompting cause is usually to be found in the emotional side of her nature, whereas in the man we may generally observe that the intellectual is quite sufficient to supply the needed motive. Moreover, even in those lesser displays of volitional activity which are required in the ordinary life of studious thought, we may note a similar deficiency.—Nineteenth Century.

An Indiana Belle's Queer Freak.

One of the well known young ladies, who has a passion for bright colors, and "positively adores yellow," is contemplating having her own apartments decorated entirely in the golden color. The matting and furniture are to be as near the color as can be found. The pictures are to have frames decorated by her own hand. The draperies, scarfs, mats, bottles, bags and bed coverings are to be of yellow, and everything will be in harmony. The shade of color is not to be entirely the same, but all shades will be taken "to furnish relief for the eye."—Indianapolis Journal.

Brains and Bodies.

Brain building and body building must be considered as all one. Our educational system is quite in the raw. The boys have begun to reform us by taking to athletics, and we have heard a great many sneers at boat racing, ball playing and college sports, but my pride today is that my boys are stouter than myself and that not one of them understands headache, sly-pepsia or neuralgia. Of my little girls, one is a student and their brains are all the better for it. They have lived on fruits and cereals and have not tasted meats or butter or pastry all their lives. Their studies have been so mixed up with play that they have not known they were studying. Their legs have not all gone to brains. But I'm a crank on physical culture when women spectacles and has a peaked look. Under his clothes he has a porous plaster and he takes drugs. He also smokes as a sedative and drinks strong coffee as a stimulant. Then he looks wisely. He is not building brains; he is only using up as fast as possible what he has.

Yet, the brains of the future will not be the forcible affairs of today, nor the more feeble, excitable, unbalanced monarch that now dominates. We shall have no decent social condition until we get clearer brains, poised step healthier bodies. Our schools must be reformed first, and then we shall be formed wisely.—"E. P. P." in Herald of Health.

Learned His Lesson Too Well.

A Vermont boy learned to make cider brandy in his mother's teapot from the information concerning the "physiological effects of alcohol" contained in one of his obligatory text books.

TWO POETS.

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Printed Paragraphs, of Current Topics of Interest.

A piece of Queen Victoria's wedding cake is for sale at auction in London. It was made for the eldest daughter of the present sovereign, but as it has dwindled as she grew lighter with age, it is now only fit for a brick, to hold the door open.

In Dublin "Queen Victoria's birthday" her absolute master continues. It costs over fifty millions sterling to maintain her dominion in India, which is now twenty times as large as Great Britain, with a population of 250,000,000 souls. Her Majesty's Indian empire consists of 1,800,000 square miles of territory, and the Russian frontier is now within 200 miles of Herat. This is why our big hearted mother shudders with horror every time she sees my other maiden sister greedy eyes upon so much of the Asiatic coast, forty miles square.

If Victoria—God save the queen—signs another fifty years, God save the rest of us. She would by that time own so much of this earth, that the British possessions would stick out beyond the edges half way to the moon, and all the if fractions in the universe would be running on double time.

The Panama canal, that well known ledger and cipher, is an absurd man. The last time he went away from the Panama isthmus, somebody pulled the plug out of the canal and let all the water out. Then it was doubtless the work of some fun-loving American, but all the same, such jokes are in very bad taste; we never tasted one of them, but have been told they are horrible.

We live in a land of statesmen. Every four years and at times between whiles there is the smell of the pestoffice in the air and the low, sweet sound of the roosmate is heard in the distance. We see the shadowy forms of United States marshals yet to be, and out of the dreamy gilles of the impossible drifts the sad procession of lawyers to supreme judges. Ours is a dear and favored land for the fellows who do not get left.

We love our country, the most of us. We fight for her and work and sweat and struggle and sweat and lie for the blessed privilege of administering her finances; some of us, oh, Amarica, America! What would be a country without offices? It would be like a bed room without a bed; a cat without a voice; a cigar without a match, or Coney Island without beer.

No, indeed, my son, we don't have the preaching we used to have when your grandfather was a boy; indeed, we don't. Who has been telling you about it? Oh, your grandfather; well, whatever your grandfather tells you is true. And they didn't have the preaching when he was a boy they used to have when his grandfather was a boy, too. Time was when the good old preacher climbed up two flights of stairs into a pulpit nineteen feet high, read the whole book of Jeremiah—fifty-two chapters—for the morning lesson, sang the one hundred and nineteenth psalm clear through, and then prenched and expounded the doctrines and pounded the Bible and gaur the stuffing fly out of the pulpit until 4 o'clock in the afternoon, when he stopped to catch his breath, and began again at sunset and preached until same time; Monday morning. No, indeed, my boy, we don't begin to have the preaching they used to have.

When the census marshal reached the farm house of Macamerron Oberheister, in Conestoga county, Pa., the wary farmer met him at the door with a shotgun, and when the marshal asked his name one of the boys went out to the barn and untied three dogs. They chased the marshal clear across the township, when some neighbors headed him off, and then they put him in jail to hold him for trial. "You see," said Farmer Oberheister, "we're onto those fellers here; they think we're fools because we live in the country, but we're too smart for these town swindlers. You see, in 1879 there come along a fellow who played the reciprocal rumbline commission game on me and beat me out of $350; that made me mad. Then along in 1881 a fellow from Philadelphia came out here and played the clock game on me, and that cost me $265. Then the Three Horse Clevis man came next year and he beat me out of $80 easy enough. Then the everlasting metallic paint man he played me for $140, and then last year the sunrise wheat fellow got into all of us for about $50 apiece, and this year the Bohemian oats crowd got about all the ready money there was in the county and took notes for the rest of it, and now this fellow he comes along and wants to know what my name is, but I am too sleepy for him. Oh, I tell you, the Conestoga county boys are onto 'em; we're too smart for these fellows." It will be apt to go hard with the census marshal, although his trial will not come off for some time, as a man has just come into the county selling state rights for the Pottsdam fertilizer, a machine that grinds up the hardest stones into the richest and cheapest fertilizer ever put on the ground, and all the farmers are too busily engaged in securing agencies for the machine to attend to court business.

Let other men struggle and strive.
And struggle, and palpitate, and scramble,
For me his modest, but quiet, and sweeter to
sit on the fence by myself:
I know that the scorn of the world
At my unselfishness mean will be hurled,
But I have no measure, or leisure, or pleasure, to
struggle for power or self.

There are fellows whose greatest delight
Is to joust for the midst of the fight,
And jostle and shoulder the sides and bolder, and
knock out the timid and slim;
So if I, of a peace loving mind,
To rest on the fence am inclined,
Small kicks if I have for me, or for you, or miss me,
For keeping up out of the swim.

If ever I go to the war,
I'll go in the medical corps,
And then while they're fighting, and biting, and
smiting, and shedding bad language and
gore,
I'll turn from the strife I abhor,
Both sides of the field I'll explore,
Where the wounded are creeping, and sleeping,
and weeping,
Sweet balm in their hurts I will pour.

And I will be mighty liable to get my head kicked off by both sides, too; so I reckon I might as well take a two handed club and wade in with the crowd, first as last.—Brooklyn Eagle.

The Oldest Dust First.

A trampish looking man with a particularly dirty face was lunging about a Woodward avenue grocery the other day, when a clerk observed:

"If you had a bar of soap could you make good use of it?"

"You bet!" was the prompt reply.

He was handed one and went off. In about an hour he returned, his face as dirty as before, and the clerk exclaimed:

"You never used a bit of that soap!"

"You asked me to make good use of it. So I did. I traded it off for something to wash over four weeks' dust out of my throat. This dirt on my face isn't three days old yet."—Detroit Free Press.

Painted Sign Painters.

The term "&c." and its Latin equivalent "etc." are great stumbling blocks to the illiterate sign painter. A Swan street sign reads: "Groceries, provisions and &c." Another east side sign has it "&tc." Still other forms noted by the "Aroumder" in his perambulations are "and Etc," "& soforth," "Et &c." A Ninth Ward man who believes in giving his customers their choice from a large stock, hangs out the sign: "Dry goods, Et Cetera, Etc., &c."—Buffalo Courier.

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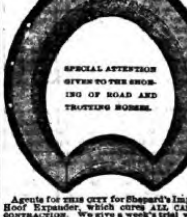

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JOTTINGS.

—During the month of August the County Clerk's office will close at three o'clock every Saturday afternoon.

—Elizabeth is to have a new electric street railway. It will extend from the Union depot to the sound.

—Samuel Gibson was fined $10 by Mayor Cooley on Monday for being drunk and disorderly in the Borough.

—A quarterly session of the Grand Division Sons of Temperance is to be held at Atlantic Highlands next Wednesday.

—A fistic encounter between two hackman at the depot yesterday afternoon attracted considerable attention. No arrests were made.

—The trial of James Remmons for fast driving will soon be taken place before City Judge Ulrich this morning has been postponed until Tuesday next.

—Eugene Brennan, who was arrested Tuesday evening in the Borough for being drunk and disorderly, paid a two dollar fine imposed by Mayor Cooley.

—The Amokeag Council, Order of American Firemen will hold a meeting in the parlors of Ganelle Engine House, at eight o'clock on Tuesday evening next.

—The County Board of Agriculture has been awarded $70 by the State Board for its recent able report of the products and general agricultural facts and statistics for Union county.

—To-morrow afternoon the Athletics of this city will endeavor to defeat the Mystics of New Brunswick in a game of base ball. The game will be played on the grounds near the Potter Press Works.

—But very few towns in the country can produce such distinguished citizens as can Plainfield. Their number is legion. What if they were born there? What if they did not make their fortunes here? Their homes are here now.

—John Gillen, a young man residing on West Fourth street, was somewhat injured yesterday afternoon by being struck on the head with a base ball bat, which slipped out of the hands of another young man while engaged playing base ball.

—Marshal Becker of North Plainfield, went to Somerville to-day to bring William Trainor back to this city. Trainor was committed to jail last Thursday for wife beating. Since his incarceration he has been very ill and for this reason Mayor Cooley ordered his release to-day.

—The dry goods merchants of this city called a meeting for Tuesday evening to form an association, but as they could not induce one of the merchants to join, the project was abandoned. The object of the association was to make the early closing movement general.

—John D. Bartine, Special Master of Chancery, exposed for sale property on Putnam street and Park place to-day at Laing's Hotel. In compliance with a decree from the Court of Chancery in the cases of James E. Hann and Kate L. Walker, F. D. L. Walker and Josephine R. Walker.

—A candidate for the State Reform school entered the bakery of Henry Liefke a day or two since, and was detected in opening the money drawer. He couldn't have been over four years old. After the discovery he ran away, screaming with the terror of anticipated punishment. He was not captured.

—No. 20 North avenue is the number of the popular shoe store of Mr. J. J. Keeney. The basement is rented by Leid Vilton, who was mixed up in the Stewart assault. People have thought, by the similarity of numbers, that Vilton was an employe of Mr. Keeney's, which is not the case. Mr. Keeney is not quarrelsome. He says he ain't built that way.

—Residents on Front street, near Stillman Music Hall, were very much interested last evening in the sudden disappearance of the panels which had flown into the glass shade of the electric light suspended on Front street, and could not escape. The feathery friends of the bird gathered around in numbers, making the most plaintive twitterings and exhibiting the direst distress. Sympathetic onlookers went word around to the Central station and a man came around, lowered the light and the bird was soon free.

—The subscription books for the 100-year five per cent. general mortgage gold bonds of the Jersey Central road have been reopened until August 2. This was done at the request of numerous seventy-holders who were unable to deposit their holdings in time. Of the old consolidated convertible debenture adjustment and New Jersey Southern bonds, $20,-302,200 in value have been thus far deposited out of a total issue of $20,498,400. Under an order of the United States Circuit Court a contract has been executed with the Central Trust Company as trustee of the new mortgage and as agent for the receivers, whereby $2,000,000 of the new bonds have been deposited with the trustee to secure the payment of the interest on the new general mortgage bonds, if no other provision is made during the continuance of the receivership.

DROWNED IN A CLAY PIT.

John Rummers Sad Fate—The Body Recovered After Four Hours' Hard Work.

John Rummers, a German, employed as one of the head-walters in the Hotel Netherwood, accompanied by seven or eight of the other employes, yesterday afternoon about four o'clock, went to the brickyard formerly owned by William Hand at Netherwood, for the purpose of taking a bath. Rummers was unable to swim, and it is said ventured out too far and was drowned, before his companions could render him any assistance. The news that a man was drowned in one of the pits in the brick-yard spread rapidly, and in a few moments a number of men were engaged dragging for the body, which was recovered about eight o'clock by David Hand, he having spent three hours in the water endeavoring to recover it.

Sheriff Stiles was sent for about five o'clock and when the body was recovered it was brought to Ford & Stiles' morgue, in this city, where it now lies. Mr. Miller, the proprietor of the Hotel Netherwood sent a messenger to inform the dead man's wife that her husband had met with an accident and was not expected to live. She arrived at the hotel at an early hour this morning and the sad news was then broken to her.

Dr. Wescott of Fanwood, the County Physician, was notified and came to this city this morning and after viewing the remains issued the permit for burial.

Deceased was thirty-eight years old and was born in Belgium. He has occupied the position of waiter in private families for a number of years, but about four weeks ago came to Netherwood and accepted a position as one of the head waiter's in the hotel, where he was employed up to the time of his death.

The funeral will take place from St. Mary's church in this city Monday. Interment will be made in St. Mary's cemetery.

The Girl Had Charge.

When Mr. D. V. L. Sheppard's family returned Monday evening to their home, No. 58 East Sixth street, they found everything about the house topsy-turvy, and the servant whom they supposed trustworthy, and had left in charge, missing.

Neighbors, however, informed the Sheppard family that during their absence the servant had another girl in the house, a notorious character about town, and that both together had been keeping open house, to the great annoyance of the people in the neighborhood.

The piano was kept going at a lively rate Sunday afternoon and evening, and the rooms throughout the entire house had evidently been freely used by the company, who had evidently had a night of it.

Cigarette stumps were here and there about the parlors and bedrooms, and a silver-headed cane was left behind by one of the several nightly male visitors.

A pet African sparrow had disappeared, and there were many other incidents to show how grossly the confidence of the girl's employer had been abused.

Mr. Sheppard, upon hearing the state of affairs, sought Chief of Police Dodd to have the girl and her companions arrested for burglary. In the absence of any formal complaint, however, the chief did not think the circumstance would justify him. Mr. Sheppard will probably take the proper steps to secure the arrest of the parties, having obtained their names.

Tuesday evening the girl returned for her trunk; and asked for the return of the cane. Mr. Sheppard would not return the cane, however, but will keep it as part of the evidence.

Mr. Sheppard wants to protect other families from a similar experience, and desired us to publish the girls' names. This we decline to do at present until the names of the men are ready for publication, as we do not believe in that policy that holds up the wo man to public scorn and permits the man to go scot free.

The Death Roll.

The funeral of the late Thomas P. Randolph took place from the Seventh Day Baptist church yesterday afternoon. Interment was made in the Seventh Day Baptist cemetery.

Joseph, the seven months old son of Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Keller, of West Second street, died Tuesday afternoon after a short illness from cholera infantum. The funeral took place from the residence of the parents this afternoon at three o'clock.

The funeral of the late Mary Mahon, who died at Dunellen Monday morning from an attack of the measles took place yesterday morning from her late residence. Interment was made in St. Mary's cemetery, this city.

The Cornet Band Concerts.

The members of the Plainfield Cornet Band are making extensive preparations for their popular open air concerts. Mr. Le Vere, a celebrated musician who resides in Elizabeth, has been engaged to lead the band, and puts them through a course of training every Tuesday evening. Nothing definite as to the place of holding the concert has been settled upon as yet, but it will be either in front of Laing's Hotel or in the Park, corner of Crescent and La Grande avenues. A printed programme, containing a list of the selections, etc., will be issued.

A Brutal Father.

A journeyman mason employed by William Smith came into the city limits last evening from his work out near the outskirts and said he had witnessed a most brutal punishment administered by a father to his seventeen year old son. He was unable to get the man's name but said he lived near Mr. Holly's, on Netherlea avenue.

—A disgraceful street fight occurred between two men in an alley on Second street yesterday afternoon, during which both the participants were badly used up. The disturbance was settled before any arrests were made.

—In his advertisement to-day Werner announces that he is disposing of his spring and summer clothing at a great sacrifice, to make room for his fall and winter stock.

PERSONAL.

Miss Lizzie Grant is registered at Hotel Asbury Park.

Mr. T. R. Graham is registered at Hotel Aurora, Ocean Grove.

Miss E. Van Dorn of this city is registered at the "Victoria House," Asbury Park.

Mrs. Kelly of Newark, is visiting her son, Mr. W. S. Brown, of East Third street.

Wm. F. C. Green and daughter are registered at the Wyatt House, Asbury Park.

Rev. W. R. Richards and family left the city to-day for a week or two of pleasure.

Mrs. Herman Force and Mrs. Wilkins of East Third street, are at the "Tyler Cottage," Asbury Park.

The wife and children of Hon. John Vetterlein of the Borough are enjoying a short stay at Asbury Park.

Dr. Mattison of Manning avenue, North Plainfield, has almost entirely recovered from his recent serious illness.

A beautiful night blooming cereus attracts considerable attention at the residence of Mrs. John A. Goodwin on Manning avenue.

Mrs. S. Newell, Mrs. E. Van Loan and Mr. E. Fewell of Fifth street are stopping at the Victoria House, Asbury Park, for the season.

Carmon Parse and wife, Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Adams and Miss Adams started yesterday for outing at Blue Mountain Lake, in the Adirondacks.

Miss Minnie Long of Newark, is spending a part of her vacation with the family of Mr. W. S. Brown of East Third street. She is delighted with Plainfield.

Mrs. W. Wallace Coriell of West Front street, is spending a few weeks with friends in Trenton, and intends during her absence to visit Philadelphia and Chester, Pa.

George K. Fraley of Elberon, son of Mr. J. U. Fraley, is one of the contestants in Lawn Tennis games to commence there to-day. George is well known in this city as an expert tennis player.

Albert Randolph, who for some time past has been a patient at the Morris Plains, has almost entirely recovered. He was in this city yesterday and attended the funeral of his brother, the late Thomas P. Randolph.

The families of Mr. P. A. Kline, of No. 72 East Fifth street, and Alburtis Swain of East Fifth street, have left for Greenfield, Ulster county, N. Y., to be absent until Sept. 1. Messrs. Kline and swalm will join their families later.

Ferdinand Ruttman of Broadway, has received a handsome Scotch "Collie," a birthday present from his daughter, in compensate him for the loss of his Gordon setter Jack," which died about a month ago, of rheumatism. Mr. Ruttman had refused for Jack $350.

Prof. Geo. H. Cook, State Geologist, is kind enough to send us, with his compliments, map No. 5, the latest of the series of geological survey of New Jersey, which he has just prepared. In acknowledging his courtesy we have to say that the map is most highly prized. These maps are to be in seventeen sections, all of which are complete but three or four, and these are promised in 1888.

William A. Buckingham, secretary and treasurer of the Raymond Rubber Company at Norwich, and Peter Duryea, have drawn up articles of agreement for a three-mile single scull race between Wallace Ross of New Brunswick, and George Bubear, of England, to take place on August 12; stake $500 a side. Mr. Buckingham also wants to match Ross and George W. Lee against Bubear and any mate, bar Hanlan, Gaudaur and Teemer, and Mr. Duryea is considering the proposition. It was expected by Mr. J. B. Miller that Mr. Ross would be in Plainfield to-day.

The Excursion.

Yesterday morning at 8.05 o'clock a special train composed of thirteen couches and a baggage car containing the members of St. Mary's T. A. B. Society and their friends left the depot in this city for Jersey City, where the steamboat "Crystal Stream" and barge "William H. Morton" were in waiting to convey the excursionists for a sail up the beautiful Hudson to Riverview Grove.

The steamer left the dock in Jersey city at half past nine and sailed around the Statue of Liberty and thence up the Hudson River to Riverview Grove. The scenery along the route was very pretty and was much enjoyed by the excursionists. Good music was in attendance and dancing was indulged in to some extent. The excursionists arrived at the Grove shortly after one o'clock and wished away the three hours and a half stay, very pleasantly, bonting, bathing, fishing, dancing and many other pastimes being indulged in. The homeward sail was also hugely enjoyed and the party arrived in this city at half-past eight o'clock, apparently very much pleased with the pleasant day they had spent.

In the Special Session.

An unexpected session of the Court of Special Sessions was held this morning, it being anticipated that an adjournment would be had until September. There were a few matters however in the several branches need ing attention, and Judge McCormick and associates made arrangements accordingly.

Assistant Prosecutor Swift represented the State in the criminal branch and on his motion Julius Brown, who was charged with an indecent assault on Catherine Stenheimer, was arraigned. Brown pleaded guilty to assault, and he was sentenced to State Prison for a term of one year.

James Pitt, charged with petty larceny, was sentenced to the county jail for 60 days.

Assessments Reduced.

The Board of Managers of the Fire Department met as commissioners of appeals yesterafternoon, to hear complaints and make reductions in assessments. There were only three complaints made, two of which resulted in a reduction being made. In one case a diminution of $1,000. In another of $200. There were numerous petitions from firemen for a reduction, but the Board were compelled to adjourn without taking action upon them, there being less than a quorum present.

LATEST DISPATCHES.

THE NEWS controls the services of the American Press Association and the United Press, and is the only paper published in this section that possesses a Telegraphic News Franchise.

Thermometer Record.

The following is the record of the thermometer for this day and for the corresponding date of last year, as kept at Stelle's drug store, corner of Front street and Park avenue.

1887	1886
6 a. m..... 67	Sun rises..... 4 45
9 a. m..... 72	65 Sun sets..... 7 25
12 m 75	69 Moon rises.....
3 p. m..... 78	68 Moon sets..... 8 05

Weather Indications.

In the middle states and New England fair to partly cloudy weather, southerly winds and higher temperature. On Friday, in the middle Atlantic states and New England, slightly warmer, fair weather, and on Saturday warmer, fair weather.

Proof-of the Treaty.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 21—The Secretary of State is alleged to have denied the existence of relations between the Hawaiian Kingdom and the United States, Great Britain and France, providing for the preservation of Hawaiian Autonomy. That such relations do exist is proved by a treaty made on the 28th day of November, 1843, at London, of which the following is the text:

Her Majesty the Queen of then United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, and his Majesty the King of the French, taking into consideration the existence in the Sandwich Islands of a government capable of providing for regularity of its relations with foreign nations, have thought it right to engage reciprocally to consider the Sandwich Islands as an independent State, and never to take possession, either directly or under the title of a protectorate, nor under any other form, of any part of the territory of which they are composed.

The undersigned, her Majesty, the Principal Secretary of State for foreign affairs, and the Ambassador Extraordinary of his Majesty the King of the French at the court of London, being furnished with the necessary powers, hereby declare in consequence, that their said majesties take reciprocally that engagement. In witness hereof the undersigned have signed present declaration and have affixed thereto the seal of their arms.

Done in duplicate at London the 28th day of November in the year of Our Lord 1843.

[Signed]
ABERDEEN W. L. S.,
ST. AULAIRE L. S.

In the spring of 1844 the Hawaiian Commissioners, Messrs. Haalaiho and Richards, left Honolulu for the purpose of securing the treaty and returned to the United States, and on the sixth of July of that year they received a communication from John C. Calhoun, their Secretary of State, which communication confirmed the full recognition on the part of United States of the independence of the Hawaiian government, and was based directly upon the joint declaration of Great Britain and France already quoted. In view of these facts to deny the existence of a tripartite convention is to quibble and split hairs. It is true that the agreement of the three nations is not enbraced in one written instrument, but in effect it is precisely the same, and a semi-official leader in the London Times in August 1843 made it a condition precedent to the giving up of control of the islands then held by Great Britain; that their autonomy should be guaranteed by France and the United States, which was done as we have seen, so the matter stands to-day. This is further confirmed by an interview with W. C. Park, Marshal of the Sandwich Islands, and a member of King Kalakua's Privy Council, who arrived on the last steamer from Honolulu and who is now enroute to Boston. Speaking of the matter, he said:

"That dispatch from Washington was conceived under an entire misapprehension of the facts. As a matter of fact, and one which involves perhaps the greatest event in Hawaiian history, the autonomy of the nation was guaranteed by Great Britain and France on November 28, 1843, a date which has been celebrated annually ever since then amid the most enthusiastic sort of demonstrations. It is the 4th July of the Kingdom and I am surprised that such an historic event should have been overlooked by the State department at Washington. The circumstances leading up to it are substantially as follows: A French man-of-war entered the harbor of Honolulu early in 1843. After lying there for a time, it entered into the mouth of the Nuuanu River to Riverview Grove. The scenery along the route was very pretty and was much enjoyed by the excursionists. Good music was in attendance and dancing was indulged in to some extent. The excursionists arrived at the Grove shortly after one o'clock and wished away the three hours and a half stay, very pleasantly, bonting, bathing, fishing, dancing and many other pastimes being indulged in. The homeward sail was also hugely enjoyed and the party arrived in this city at half-past eight o'clock, apparently very much pleased with the pleasant day they had spent.

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A Casual Hurt.

CHIPPEWA FALLS, Wis., July 21.—Col. Robinson, ex-Consul to Madagascar, was fatally hurt, it is thought, by a runaway horse last evening. F. T. Condit, a prominent attorney, was with him and was very badly hurt.

Wholesale Slaughter.

NEW YORK, July 21.—The Chicago Express on the Erie Railroad which is running between Allendale and Hoboken, Bergen Co., N. J., this morning rushed around a curve near Hoboken and without warning plowed its way through a gang of Italian laborers working on the track, instantly killing fifteen of them and wounding the remainder of the one hundred men. The plow although it struck nothing but human beings was torn and twisted. Passengers on the train met a terrible sight when alighting from the train. Legs, arms, heads and human flesh covered the platform of the car for one hundred feet. The engineer says he saw the wheels and gave warning. The foreman of the gang is held responsible.

LATER, 3.10 p. m.—The number killed on the railroad accident is reduced to eleven. Their bodies have been taken to Hoboken, the wounded to St. Joseph's hospital, Paterson.

Trying to Save a Boy's Life.

DES MOINES, Iowa, July 21.—Charles Sanders, a lad of ten years, is confined in a coal mine at Grand Junction, Green county, with very slight hope of his rescue. On Monday he was at work with five miners, when at ten a. m., the water broke in from an old shaft. All fled for the working shaft, but Sanders was left behind, and the swiftly rising water cut off his only means of exit. Since then pumps have been kept at work, but every possible effort is being made to save the young man's life. While the water is being lowered it is hardly probable that Sanders will be found alive.

Murders the Servant.

SOMMERVILLE, Ind., July 21.—Mrs. Nancy Swope, a laundress, took some washing to the Cortwright Hotel last evening, and while there had some words with Sarah Dawson, a colored servant Mrs. Swope threw a fist iron at Miss Dawson, missed her aim. When she seized a ten inch butcher knife and plunged it up to the hilt three times in the stomach of the negress, who died in about 15 minutes. Mrs. Swope is under arrest. The employer and her victim were each about 35 years old.

Trying to Explode the Party.

MARQUETTE, Mich., July 21—As a dozen or fifteen berry-pickers, in camp at Cascade Junction, were seated around a camp-fire last night, some one, desirous of driving the party away, came up in the darkness and threw a package of loaded cartridges into the fire. A terrific explosion followed, the bullets and pieces of shell flying in all directions. Three members of the party were seriously wounded.

Reducing Teachers' Salaries.

NEW BRUNSWICK, N. J., July 21.—At a special meeting of the Board of Education, held last night, the powers of Vice Principal Tupper of the High School and Prof. Schock of the Bayard street school were declared vacant; the principal's salary reduced from $2,500 to $2,000; the Latin and Greek studies were discontinued, and expenses reduced about $3,000, to make the expenses, $36,000, within the appropriation.

Stanley Reported Dead.

LONDON, July 21.—The St. Thomas West Africa Times publishes a report stating that Henry M. Stanley was shot dead while fighting the natives, in an effort to obtain supplies. Another report says he died by drowning.

Powell Nominated.

CINCINNATI, Ohio, July 21.—The Democratic State Convention have unanimously nominated Powell for governor to-day.

Mr. Fuller Explains.

Mr. F. D. Fuller of Church street called on us last evening, and said that a story in THE NEWS relating to the death of the late George Tier referred to him, and he thus explains the circumstances.

He says that as George was passing along Front street, some boys for mischief began pelting him with hard green apples, one of the apples hitting him on the back of the head. At thirteen years old son of Mr. Fuller was standing up against the fence corner of Water street looking on, and George supposing he was one of the boys struck him a blow with the apples, ran toward him and cuffed him, the other boys running away. This occurred on the Fourth of July. George was told by a neighbor that the boy was being severely beaten. He in turn cuffed Fuller's son, but not as severely as the violence he is accused of, nor did anything that could possibly harm him, and but he did not knock him down at all. Mr. Fuller says further that he slapped young Tier but once.

We have given Mr. F. Tier's story, as related to him by his dead nephew, and now give Mr. Fuller's side of the case. He says George was unobstructed, hit with a hard green apple, and was probably injured thereby, but that numerous persons, including Mr. Fuller that his boy did not throw anything whatever at anybody. This apparently irreconcilable fact is unimportant, but it still shows that the practice of boys throwing missiles can not be too severely reproved.

It was also stated yesterday that Electrician Wright had lost all his front teeth, a stone having been thrown by a school boy, the stone cutting him in the mouth.

Rough on Ants.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE NEWS:—Noticing the communication in your issue of yesterday signed "A Housekeeper," inquiring about a remedy for the ravages of ants, I would say that I recently found liquid sugar of lead effectual in driving them away from my pantry. Care is needed, of course in its distribution, owing to its poisonous nature.

AN OLD HOUSEKEEPER.

—John Zimmerman had a coachman named Patrick McCauley, who swore out a warrant, in Somerville, charging Mr. Zimmerman with assault and battery. Constable Bannerache served the warrant and the case was heard before Justice Austin, Tuesday evening. The case was continued until eleven o'clock at night, resulting in the accused being acquitted. The coachman had worked for Mr. Zimmerman for a year and a half. It was thought he was in his charge actuated by malice. The affair originated in having the warrant served at Mr. Zimmerman's residence. Mr. Zimmerman will see to it that Mr. Zimmerman to as much inconvenience as possible.

STATE NOTES.

Elizabeth is to have an electric railway to run from the Union depot to Staten Island Sound.

Elizabeth is to have a Central High School. A portion of the City Hall will be fitted up for this purpose.

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Cents-a-Word-Column.

A SITUATION wanted as a first-class coachman or as plain gardener. Address Box 87, Dunellen, N. J. 21-2

A MAN WANTED to deliver Sunday papers and collect. A married man with a small family, or, no family, preferred. Comfortable apartments furnished in part payment. A good place for the right man. Address Theodore Dunn, P. O. Box 140, or call at No. 80 Broadway, near Hillside avenue. 20-3

A COACHMAN of good reputation and Plainfield references wants a steady situation. Is careful and industrious. Address Anthony Jonas, Dunellen. 19-3.

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FOR SALE—A few desirable lots on Spooner avenue, Netherwood street, cheap. Also a number of lots in neighborhood of Grant avenue station. J. T. Vail, agent opp. R. R. station Plainfield. 7-14-tf

FURNISHED ROOMS to let, with or without board, at No. 11 West Second street. 5-22tf

HOUSE and lot with stable near Grant avenue for sale, unlimited opportunity for investment, buildings in good order. Address Box 1368. 7-8-eod-4tf

LOST—Dog strayed away from Adam Fritz. Liver and white pointer. Heavy set, tail docked. Five dollars paid for return to Smalley Brothers' butcher shop. 18-6

MONEY to loan on first mortgage, Box 1211. 3-tf-3

PROPERTY for sale to settle up the estate of the late Lewis Jones, deceased. Lots corner of Dunellen and Kenilworth avenues, also new house and lot on Front street, near Netherwood avenue, and now occupied by Mr. Murphy. Apply to the survivor. Apply to Evan Jones, Park House. 20-6

TAKE NOTICE—That Joseph O'Neil is no longer in my employ as carrier of Sunday papers on my route. Those who have removed or are not served properly will drop me a postal addressed to Theodore Dunn, P. O. Box 140, the matter will received prompt attention. 20-3

TO LET—Two houses on Craig Place, all improvements, eleven rooms each, $30 per month. Apply to Isaac Brokaw, 19 Duer street. 19-tf

WANTED—A girl for general housework. No. 3 Craig Place. 19-tf

YOUNG girl wanted for light house work and to assist in the care of children. One who can sleep at home. Sherwin's, 23 W. Front street. 20-tf

YOUNG MAN would like a position on gentleman's place. Understands driving and care of horses. Address J. M., care Evening News. 7-20

Special Notices.

A SPECIAL MEETING
Of the Order of American Firemen will be held Thursday evening July 21st, at eight p. m., in Ganelle Engine House.
By order of D. A. MUMFORD, President.
7-20-21-22*

Closing Out Sale.

Werner's Mammoth
ONE PRICE
CLOTHING HOUSE
We offer our entire stock of Summer Goods at less than cost.
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POWDERLY INDORSED.

DISTRICT NO. 30 PASSES RESOLUTIONS IN HIS FAVOR.

The Executive Board in General is Not Included, and the Shoemakers Will Make a Big Fight—Support for the Worcester Strikers.

FALL RIVER, Mass., July. 21.—The session of yesterday's proceedings of the quarterly convention of District Assembly 30, Knights of Labor, was the passage of the following resolution:

Whereas, It is understood that General Master Workman Powderly will at the coming convention resign his office as general master workmen or refuse to accept a reelection, and

Whereas, The best and vital interests of the order require that he shall remain at its head; therefore, be it

Resolved, That District No. 30 hereby instructs its delegates to the Minneapolis convention to refuse to accept the resignation of General Master Workman Powderly, and to to all in their power to retain him at the head of the order.

This resolution was introduced out of the regular order and was carried by a large vote. Mr. Meiler protested in vain against "here workship." Just as the vote was decided, Mr. McNeil entered and Mr. Litchman moved a reconsideration, and hoped the motion would be voted down so as to prevent any effort to bring the subject up again for discussion. McNeill made a speech in favor of a reconsideration and had his protest against the resolution entered on the records.

Miss Hulda Loud, of Rockland, an exschool teacher, was opposed to instructing the delegates, although she declared herself in favor of Powderly—first, last and all the time.

The Rev. J. H. Jones, of Abington, favored the resolution because of Mr. Powderly's power with the Catholic church.

After the adjournment, Mr. McNeill said; "The vote is not a surprise to me, as the rank and file of the order in this state have little or no idea of the causes of the present disruption in the order, or of the great falling off in membership."

The morning session was occupied principally with a discussion of the Worcester county lockout. It was thought the strikers would not be ingulfed, but, the matter was referred to the executive board, which voted to sustain them. The most meager reports of the proceedings are given out, but it is understood that there was vigorous opposition to the $50,000 expenses incurred in the lockout, and that harmony does not exist on that subject.

Mr. Sheffington, who leads the forces of the shoemakers, made sweeping accusations against the general management, but the question at issue does not now yet come up. The only real fight will be over the election of delegates, in which the administration and anti-administration factions will figure.

A big contingent of the Knights will be held in the park to-night, at which Messrs. Foster, Litchman, McNeil and others will speak.

The adoption of the Powderly resolution is not universally regarded as an indorsement of the Powderly administration, and many delegates who are not personally opposed to Mr. Powderly think that he has not come up to the administration which, it is said, has cost this district alone the loss of 50,000 members.

The convention will pass a score of the bills inforred to the Worcester county lockout and thus assume bills amounting to $10,000, in addition to $61,000 already paid. Many local assemblies were reported to be sadly deficient in knowledge of the work of the order, and the matter of appointing instructors was referred to the executive board. Committee reports, etc., occupied nearly the entire day.

To-day the work of electing delegates to the general assembly will begin.

A BLOODY PRIZE FIGHT.

Sixty-one Rounds Between the "Spider" and Jack Havlin.

PROVIDENCE, July 21.—One of the fiercest prize fights ever seen in Rhode Island took place last night on Conanicut Point, near Pawtucket, between Ike Weir, the "Belfast Spider" and Jack Havlin, of New York. The fight was declared a draw at the end of the sixty-first round. Both men were terribly punished, and the fight was a bloody one.

There was a large delegation of sporting men present from New York, Boston and Providence. The "Spider" entered the ring at 116 pounds, and Havlin at 130 pounds, the latter being two pounds overweight, for which he forfeited $50. Jimmy Gill and Jim McKeon acted as seconds for the "Spider," and Jack Ashton, of Providence, and Tom Evans were behind Havlin.

CONDENSED NEWS.

James F. Clark, of Cooperstown, N. Y., has forwarded to New York the first bale of this year's hops. It weighed 173 pounds.

The body of William Hickey, with the head and the right foot severed, was found on the New York Central tracks in Lockport, N. Y.

Governor Leslie, of Montana, has respited Hart, the Boulder City murderer, until August 26, in order that the supreme court may pass upon a bill of exceptions.

Sir Ambrose Shea has arrived at St. John's, N. F., from England, and after he has had a holiday he will go to Nassau to assume the governorship of the Bahamas.

The steam barge Peter Cooper, owned in New York, was burned at the wharf of the New York silk-dye works, mouth of Patuxent river, during the night.

At the National Shoe Dealers' convention at Chicago G. G. Pierce, of Chicago, was elected president. L. I. Arkush, of New York, secretary, and F. H. Tasker, of Brooklyn, treasurer.

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FORAN'S BOOM BROKEN.

A SQUARE FIGHT BETWEEN POWELL AND CAMPBELL.

Powell's Workers Shouting for the Administration While Campbell's Friends Appeal for Thurman's Support—Foran Men Still Claim the Balance of Power.

CLEVELAND, July 21.—The Foran boom has spent its power, and last night the struggle for the gubernatorial nomination was again confined to Powell and Campbell. Hard work in behalf of the Cleveland congressman was done by his friends throughout the day, but their efforts among the country delegates were handicapped by the admitted force of Senator Payne's support of their candidate, and the usual sectional difficulties incident to the placing of the balance of the ticket. As a result, they stopped their claim that he would be carried to the head of the ticket on a wave of popular enthusiasm, although they still contended that they will control the balance of power.

Between Powell and Campbell the struggle is waxing warm, and the adherents of the former are fast, and undeservingly so make it appear that the national administration is involved in the fight. Silken badges, with the inscription in gold: "For the Administration and Powell," were distributed by the hundred from the latter's headquarters yesterday afternoon, and all the talk was to the effect that the nomination of Campbell would be a direct slap at the president. The Campbellites, however, say that this assumption is not only gratuitous, but unfounded, and the congressman himself, in conversation with a representative of the United Press, spoke his mind very freely. "I have not always voted with the administration," he said, "and if my opponents want to they can make the most of it. I am a Democrat, but not a servile one. I represent the people of my district and my own judgment, and when I am expected to blindly follow any administration I will hand in my resignation and cease to be a congressman. On strictly party measures I am a Democrat, but when non-party measures are concerned, I propose to go on my own judgment. It is true that I expressed myself as strongly opposed to the president's order regarding the return of the rebel flags, although I qualified it with an expression of opinion that his action was perfunctory rather than purely original. Subsequent events proved that I was right, but that they not I should have adhered to my opinion and expressed it for all it was worth. If my opponents think that a Democratic representative must blindly follow where a Democratic president leads they are welcome; I am not that kind of a man."

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THE S. AND G. DEAL OFF.

A Letter from Mr. Gowen to a Philadelphia Reporter.

PHILADELPHIA, July 21.—The Philadelphia Record to-day (July 21) publishes the following:

RICHMOND, N. J., July 20, 1887.

Hon. William M. Singerly, Editor of The Record, Philadelphia.

DEAR SIR,—In reply to your courteous inquiry as to the present status of negotiations called by the press "The Baltimore and Ohio Deal," I beg to say that all such negotiations are terminated.

The syndicate which was to acquire a large block of the stock of the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad company, in such a way as was believed would be beneficial to all the parties and relieve the holders, if not of the last, appointed time comply with their engagements, and all engagements or negotiations with them are now absolutely at an end.

I have not purchased the stock of the Johns Hopkins university, as stated in some of the newspapers. I had an option on that stock, and upon that and on several other holdings, but I have not exercised those options, nor do I intend now to do so. The statement in some of the papers that I purchased largely and endeavoring to make it appear that the national administration is involved in the fight. Silken badges, with the inscription in gold: "For the Administration and Powell," were distributed by the hundred from the latter's headquarters yesterday afternoon, and all the talk was to the effect that the nomination of Campbell would be a direct slap at the president. The Campbellites, however, say that this assumption is not only gratuitous, but unfounded, and the congressman himself, in conversation with a representative of the United Press, spoke his mind very freely. "I have not always voted with the administration," he said, "and if my opponents want to they can make the most of it. I am a Democrat, but not a servile one. I represent the people of my district and my own judgment, and when I am expected to blindly follow any administration I will hand in my resignation and cease to be a congressman. On strictly party measures I am a Democrat, but when non-party measures are concerned, I propose to go on my own judgment. It is true that I expressed myself as strongly opposed to the president's order regarding the return of the rebel flags, although I qualified it with an expression of opinion that his action was perfunctory rather than purely original. Subsequent events proved that I was right, but that they not I should have adhered to my opinion and expressed it for all it was worth. If my opponents think that a Democratic representative must blindly follow where a Democratic president leads they are welcome; I am not that kind of a man."

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Booming His Boom.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., July 21.—The Journal publishes an interview with First Assistant Postmaster General Stevenson, at Waukesha, Wis. The general says that under no circumstances would he be a candidate for vice president, but he thinks Col. Vilas would make an excellent and acceptable candidate. Gen. Stevenson left for Chicago yesterday afternoon and will return to the capital the latter part of the week.

Poison, or Overwork?

NEW YORK, July 21.—It has transpired that 125 of the Third Avenue Railway company's horses have been poisoned by cyanide of potassium instead of by overwork, as was stated by the company's officers. Twenty-nine of the horses have died and several are unable to work. The manner in which the poison was administered and by whom is a mystery.

A Dental Jrom Chandler.

CONCORD, N. H., July 21.—United States Senator Chandler states that he never wrote or inspired the letter recently attributed to him, in which he was represented as favoring Hale and Sherman on the Republican presidential ticket.

HOME RULERS BANQUET

THE HEALTH OF THE QUEEN PROPOSED AND DECOROUSLY DRANK.

Mr. Parnell on the Vacillating Policy of the Government—He Tells His Hearers that Ireland is Fast Winning The Very Smallest.

LONDON, July 21.—Mr. Parnell and many of his colleagues were entertained last evening at a banquet by the National Liberal club. The health of the queen was proposed by Mr. Dillwyn, and the guests all rose decorously and drank the toast.

Mr. Parnell eulogized Mr. Gladstone for having put his shoulder to the wheel, and said that before many months the ex-premier would carry his policy and be recognized as the only great man in British politics. Others who were now attracting attention were bumpkers, hailstones and lickers. Mr. Parnell wondered that the Englishman would be contented to see the government march up the hill and down again. The recent elections had forced them to make concessions or resign. The English Liberals might be assured that their exertions would not be wasted. Although in Ireland extreme misery had been suffered during the past eighteen months, crime had diminished and the people had turned to constitutional methods of adjusting their grievances, instead of physical force. The Liberals might claim therein a great success, for the people recognized that through their exertions the way had been opened to an honorable settlement. If the Liberals failed in their programme their great reward would be that they had banished violence, outrage and revenge, and brought the nation to depend upon lawful methods of redress.

If the government honestly and fairly tried to carry out the amendments to the land bill, and if the execution thereof was in no way frustrated, they would have to use the coercion bill, which would become a standing memorial of the time which the Tory government of 1887 had wasted. The diminution of crime proved the gratitude of the Irish toward the Liberals, and he trusted that the Irish would long rely upon the good feeling of the Liberals, that even when oppressed, trampled on and cursed they would retaliate slowly. They should remember that the Tory government would not last forever. From self interest the Irish would be fools to give away the splendid position won for them, and they would be most ungrateful if in any way they should retard the progress of the Liberals in the path of justice to Ireland.

Mr. Parnell continued: "When the land bill was in the house of lords the barometer fell 3 or 4 degrees daily to the detriment of the Irish tenant, but upon its arrival in the house of commons, even its author was inclined to turn against the measure and refuse to recognize it. The barometer then rose 3 or 4 degrees daily, and therefore, and we, who were formerly unable to keep pace with changes adverse to the tenantry, found ourselves in a current sufficiently fair. When this wonderful Unionist government began to undo all that it had done in the house of lords, I, as an unprejudiced outsider, began to wonder how long practical common sense Englishmen who value time as money would stand a government that imitated the French king in going up a hill on a pleasure party and then coming down again. Would it not have been better to have adopted the advice of the Cowper commission in the first place? I suppose they expected to escape through without adopting that advice. Now this beautiful Unionist government is admitting in all its naked simplicity that it will not deal with land questions unless compelled to, but it cannot retain office otherwise. I think every fair minded man will agree with me that it would be difficult to find a parallel to the record of the last few months for imbecility, vacillation, and dishonesty."

Mr. McCarthy proposed a toast to Mr. Gladstone and delivered a lengthy eulogy on the Liberal leader. Jacob Bright replied. Mr. Sexton proposed the health of the chairman.

Mr. Gladstone addressed a select company which had assembled to form a branch of the Women's Liberal Federation, of which Mrs. Gladstone is president. Referring to Tuesday's meeting of Conservatives at the Carlton club he said: "It has gone abroad that this great fortress—represented by Mr. Goschen as a fortress requiring to be defended by the government of the day—is in danger and to the last moment of its existence—is to be surrendered to the evidence offered by the byelections."

The Times, referring to the concessions made by the Conservatives to the Liberal Unionists in regard to the land bill, says that the government was probably relieved less by fears that their allies would desert them, than by a perception of the importance of their doing nothing to weaken the position of the dissidents.

The Standard says that Clare, Kerry, Galway, and West Cork will be proclaimed immediately under the crimes act, and that other districts will be proclaimed if necessary.

A BAD OUTLOOK

For the Creditors of the Hurlbut Paper Company, of South Lee.

PITTSFIELD, Mass., July 21.—The liabilities of the Hurlbut Paper Company, of South Lee, are now estimated at $300,000, and it is thought that the creditors will not recover more than twenty-five cents on the dollar. A great deal of surprise is occasioned by the fact that two mortgages were recorded Tuesday noon on the mill property of the company in favor of Alfred D. Jessup, of Philadelphia, one for $130,000, executed in 1875, and another for $146,000, made in 1878. Half an hour after recording these deeds the petition in insolvency was filed. It now becomes a question whether these mortgages will stand. It is said that the deed of trust must be recorded six months prior to insolvency. Sept. 6 is set for the first meeting of creditors, and in the meantime the mill will continue running.

Killed by a Boiler Explosion.

NEWARK, Del., July 21.—The boiler of a threshing machine exploded yesterday afternoon on the farm of Edward Stroud, living about three miles from here, and killed Stroud himself and a 14-year-old colored boy instantly, and badly scalded two other men The force of the explosion sent the engine and boiler a hundred feet, turning them over and over in its course, until all the steam had escaped. A horse which stood in its path was also killed.

Strikers Remain Out.

POTTSVILLE, Pa., July 21.—The Fishback rolling mill will not agree to take back the strikers, but the men, after receiving back wages due, claimed that part of the agreement had not been fulfilled and remained out. The mill will now probably be shut down indefinitely.

A Coffee Firm Failed.

NEW YORK, July 21.—Edwards & Anthony, coffee, No. 109 Water street, filed schedules yesterday showing liabilities of $147,134; nominal assets, $80,180; actual assets, $74,000.

AN IMPORTANT DECISION

By the Interstate Commerce Commission Against the Pennsylvania Railroad Company.

WASHINGTON, July 21.—Two cases brought by the Chicago and Alton Railroad company against the Pennsylvania company, and by the Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific Railroad company against the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad company, were decided by the interstate commerce commission on Tuesday.

The complaints in these cases charge violations of the third section of the act by the defendants in refusing and continuing to refuse to receive, handle, and deliver to complainants' lines, consisting of through or coupon tickets, which being offered to the other connecting companies, give, as the complainants allege, undue preference to those companies.

Before April 1 it was a custom with all railroads to pay to the agents of scalpers a commission on the sale of through tickets residing over the lines that issued the tickets. The Central, for instance, paid about a 25 per cent. commission to the Pennsylvania for each sold a through ticket to New York if that ticket took the passenger over the Central. The commission often amounted to as much as the scalper got for the ticket when it came from their own companies. In March the Central and the Pennsylvania combined to abolish the commission business. The most of their connections agreed to do the same, but complaining lines, in their action before the commission, refused to discontinue paying commissions. At this the Central and the Pennsylvania refused to receive tickets or to sell coupon tickets over the complaining lines. Then this action was brought.

The commissioners decide that the law in this instance does not require a railroad company to sell through tickets over the road of another railroad company, and the complaint was dismissed. Mr. Morrison filed a dissenting opinion.

MRS. CLEVELAND'S BIRTHDAY.

The Twenty-third Anniversary Celebrated Quietly in the Country.

WASHINGTON, July 21.—Mrs. Frank Folsom Cleveland, the mistress of the White House, is to-day celebrating her twenty-third birthday. She is the youngest mistress the executive mansion has ever had. It may be said that she is also one of the handsomest that ever presided over the home of the President of the United States. The severest test that a woman can be put to is the criticism of her own sex. There is no critic so searching of the faults, and what is connected with this fact it is remembered that Mrs. Cleveland is as popular with the ladies as with the larger part of mankind. It will be admitted that she has gained a wonderful hold upon official society in Washington. The event to-day is being observed in the quiet of the country home. It is the second time the anniversary has occurred since her marriage. At this season of the year there are but very few remaining in the capital, and the force of fashionable entertainments is at its lowest ebb. The president, Mrs. Cleveland, but, wherever her friends are, she will in due course of mail receive their felicitations on the return of the day.

A Real Wild West Show.

CLINTON, Ia., July 21.—Tuesday night, in the wild west feature of Sells Bros. circus, the cowboys pursued the Indians, shooting revolvers, pursuers and pursued. One of the first shots were directed low down, but finally the cowboys almost directly at the spectators and fired. Three persons were hit. Harry Herriff, aged 14, was hit in the center of the forehead, not expected to live; Wallace Phillips, aged 15, in the head, serious, and Mrs. A. W. Lamberton in the hand, dangerous. One of the revengeful Indians realed and was led away by companions, supposed to be shot, but no satisfactory explanation was made. It was reported that the cowboys failed to kill a few of the Indians and also that they were drunk, but 10 arrests were made. The extent of the affair was not fully realized until after the circus had left town.

The Coke Strike not Settled.

GREENSBURG, Pa., July 21.—There has been a secret session between the men at work at the Mammoth Coke works and the strikers. A party of forty strikers marched to the works yesterday afternoon and, after driving off Sheriff Byers and six deputies, forced the fifteen men at work to quit. In the melee, three of the non-union men were knocked down and badly beaten. Sheriff Byers was called upon the governor for militia to protect the men, as he says his force is inadequate and destruction of property and perhaps loss of life may result. The strikers are ugly, and the impression in Westmoreland county is that the strike is not settled for a time, notwithstanding the action of Tuesday's convention.

Forger Newkirk Commits Suicide.

ROCHESTER, July 21.—Dewitt H. Newkirk, the Kingston, N. Y., forger, who cleared out from that city on Monday, committed suicide in the New Osburn house here yesterday afternoon. He left Utica on Tuesday night and registered as "J. H. Downing, of Albany." He was assigned a room and retired. Nothing was seen of him yesterday morning, and the chief chambermaid looked over the transom into the room and saw him apparently sleeping. The girl left the house, and about noon the

WOMAN AND HOME.

PRENTICE MULFORD PREACHES A SHORT SERMON TO MOTHERS.

The Child's Mirror—Housekeeping During the Revolution—A False Shame. Children's Friends and Companions. A Southern Household—A "Screamer."

You see, madame, you're sown and now you are reaping. There's been on your part too much devotion to the children and too little to yourself. You are an individual as well as any one of your children. You (that individual) call for improvement on every side. You've been saying all these years, "I don't care much what become of me, so that the children have a good send off in the world."

That's all wrong. You've worked hard all these years, mending the boys and girls, feeding them, clothing them, worrying over them. You've been for them mother, nursery governess, housekeeper and upper servant, and that's about all. You've kept yourself hived in your house, and much out of the world and out of society. You haven't kept up with the world. You neglect your dress and look like a dowdy. When you do dress, you put on too much. When you don't dress, you put on too little.

Your education in certain respects has not gone on with that of the children. Education in this world or any other never stops. The education you got from varied association with many people is as good if not better than that you get out of books. People are books.

You have toiled yourself at home into a servant. Your children call you "mother," but regard you as their servant. You've educated them so to do and they can't help it. They associate you only with the care of the house, the care of the table, the washing and mending, and little else. You can't think or talk of much else.

You can't see the difference between you and other ladies. When you go in company you're always putting your foot in it somewhere or turning up some corner of the family carpet. Your father hasn't been left turned down. For this reason your children are both ashamed and afraid of you. They can't help it.

Yet in all your children should have more gratitude. You can't expect gratitude from children till they have children of their own. By that time, too late, you'll get their gratitude to be of much service to you.

Children take all their parents give them—money, clothes, food and shelter—as a matter of course. They think these things come as a matter of course until they're obliged to go to work and earn them.

You've toiled yourself into a prematurely old woman. You complain that your girls "run over you." They wouldn't run over you if you'd cultivated all your talents.

Dignity is a talent, and you haven't cultivated that. Command of language is a talent, and you haven't cultivated that. Grace of bearing, address, tact, well chosen language—all these are talents, and you've given them all the go by.

You've committed that pernicious sin of saving nothing for yourself and everything for your children. I'm willing to say that the children's sight alone, you'd be willing to a snuffy old candle and now that you are a snuffy old candle, and your children treat you as one, you don't like it.

"Ought we not to love our children better than ourselves?" you ask. No. "Love thy neighbor as thyself," says Scripture. Your children are your neighbors. Mark the passage—"as thyself," not better than thyself.

There's a certain amount of love due from every one to themselves. If you don't love yourself you'll neglect yourself in some way. Love doesn't mean abuse of self. It means proper care of one's self. If you don't love your body you won't keep it properly cleansed. If you don't love your stomach you won't put anything in it to hurt it; you won't put it in a bigger load than it can carry. If you love your mind you'll see that it's kept clean and polished and bright and ready to receive the best ideas that come floating to it in the air.

When you love anything so much that you're willing to give yourself all away for its sake, you're helping to make a ruin of self and making yourself less and less able to attract love, regard, esteem and respect from others.

It's time we saw all the way round some texts in Scripture, and not half way round. Your minister out to have told you better.—Prentice Mulford in San Francisco Chronicle.

The Child's Mirror.

"The mother's face is the child's mirror," and very early the little one learns to look in this for approbation of its every word and action. From this mirror does the child learn, long before it can speak, its first lessons of right and wrong. In the mother's arms it lies just beginning to notice; in a fit of petulance the little hand is raised to strike; a reproving look comes over the mother's face; the tiny hand falls without striking; the little head nestles closer, and into the baby eyes come a grave and thoughtful expression. Baby has received its first lesson and is reasoning as only babies can. Little by little other lessons are learned in the same way, until to the child the mother's face is the criterion of its every word and action.

If mothers would more fully realize this truth they would hesitate and think many times ere by laugh or sign of any kind they encouraged the children in the bringing out of a trait for which they know full well they will have to reprimand and quite frequently punish them in after years. Does the gratification of hearing a child called smart or cunning justify the mother when it has grown older in punishing it for her negligence? Certainly not. There is no justification for her. No mother, no matter what her station, can afford, simply for the mere gratification of her own personal vanity or the entertainment of friends or visitors, to be unjust to herself and child. "Oh," many mothers carelessly say, "they will grow out of it in a little while; they don't know any better now; time enough to break them in when they are older." It never occurs to these women that what they condemn as bad habits they themselves are responsible for by their encouragement, planting and fostering in the children's minds the convictions that these same habits were something to be admired and praised by every one.—Boston Budget.

Housekeeping of Revolutionary Times.

Some years ago, in examining certain other matters, I was obliged to look up a number of marriages of the revolutionary period. Much was then expected from a woman at the head of a house. Not only was the country more sparsely settled, and the means of transportation wretched, but most of the modern conveniences for housekeeping had not then been invented. Canned meat and vegetables were, of course, unknown up to a very few years ago, and many things had to be done at home that are now done for us. There were no sewing machines; there were no ranges and no furnaces; there was no gas and no running water; the light was from home made candles, and the water was brought from well, spring or stream. Bakers were few, and butchers known only in the large cities. Cotton, linen and woolen goods were all much dearer than now, and much was made at home. Dockers were sent for only in great events and on costly occasions, and, together with a certain knowledge of herbs, were not to be relied upon for the family attendance.

In the face of these difficulties, and of the far greater strain and responsibility that went with them, the housewife of 1776 to 1783 did her work. The average age at which the girls were married was 15. The next most common ages were 14 and 16, many of the reigning belles and toasts being barely 13, like the Miss Edwards, the Miss Ogdens, Miss Stoutenburgh and loving Juliet. I think most of the 13 and 13-year-old girls of to-day, if put at the head of households, especially under such difficulties, would be in tears all the time and cry for their mammas and some candy. Certainly the house management would be slightly erratic.—E. J. Biddle in Globe-Democrat.

Distribution of the Clothes.

The mistress of the house with her corps of assistants, attended to nothing but the washing and ironing of clothes. That work was begun on Monday morning; it was finished on Saturday night. The week of freshly done clothing were delivered to the housemaids for distribution. This distribution, or assortment, was superintended by the mistress, or rather by her, generally by one of the daughters of the house.

How many southern women can recall at this day the maternal instruction which limited from Monday morning to Saturday: "Mary, finish your lessons and practice by 1 o'clock, as the wash is to be assorted today," or, "Sarah, you must postpone your visit until next Saturday, as it is your turn to distribute the clothes today." How many a romantic girl of 14 or 15 was roused from the intricacies of piano study and technique, or related from the fascinations which the great Wizard of the North had bound her in his Kenilworth, or Bride of Lammermoor, or Lay of the Last Minstrel, by Dinah's untimely and unwelcome appearance at the door! "Git up, Miss Sally, git up. Clo's ready ter sort. I bin callin' you dis heah good half an hour. Yer near gwine late me. I tus things know, an' den you'll git a scoldin', sho!" Miss Sally rises reluctantly, enters the clothes room, as it was called, and carefully arranges the clothing belonging to each member of the family. Dinah, in the meanwhile, standing with her arms akimbo, making a running commentary on the way "dem boys dut ter day clo's," or staring out of the window at the grimaces or promenades in the front yard.—Zitella Cocke in American Magazine.

A False Shame.

It would be well if young women were taught early in life that there is a false shame and an affectation of modesty as unlovely as any coarseness, and which disgusts and repels as effectively as brassiness. To be on the quiz vive for innuendoes, to have a smart family vocabulary of the bitters of evil from any good, is all wrong and all immodest. To see harm where harm is not intended is immodest. The young woman who thus distrusts would die of shame because some gentlemen came into the gallery where she was alone with the statue of the Venus of Milo, who fell into confusion and blushed mightily, advertised a modesty that was possibly only skin deep.

A blush is something sacred to pure womanhood, and it is a sad spectacle for thoughtful eyes to see it so common so far gone is the imperviousness that she pretends to be shocked at things which simple, unaffected candor is far from thinking on at all.

There are those who "appearances" to the world virtuous young ladies who manage to convey by subtle insinuations that they are deeply conscious of sounds and scenes which a truly modest woman is ignorant. It is true, indeed, as a great writer has said, that a modest woman must be at times both deaf and blind. Disagreeable happenings, offensive to eyes or ears, are at times incidental to almost every one's life. The most sheltered young lady cannot be entirely protected. She may find herself in places where profane language reaches her ears, where objectionable sights greet her eyes. It is then the time for her modesty to take on an armor of dignity; it is the time for her to be both deaf and blind.—Catharine Cole in New Orleans Picayune.

Children's Friends and Companions.

Parents, who because of the noise or confusion and disorder children—more especially boys—create, refuse to allow their children to entertain their friends at home deserve no pity if in after life they see them that the paths of sin are the paths chosen by them, and if disgrace falls upon them the only ones who deserve a pitying thought are the ones that commit the crime, the parents certainly do not. By closing the doors of the home upon the young companions and friends their children had chosen, they sent them into the street to meet and entertain them there. Home should never be too fine nor too poor for the children's friends. By having them in our homes we can see who are worthy and who unworthy, and warn, advise and scolds.

As some one has wisely said, this being done, there will be fewer instances of girls eloping with unprincipled, good for nothing men, hence fewer divorces; or of boys becoming criminals and ending their days in prison, shut out from the sympathy and love of their fellow creatures for defying the laws of God and man. It is not sufficient that children have good clothes, numberless playthings, choice food, soft beds and handsome rooms in which to live. The young require more than this—more than education and wealth, and yet what they require is that which the poor as well as the rich may give them—a pleasant home. Therefore, first and last, make home pleasant.—Cleveland Leader.

The Health of the Children.

The season is at hand when the mortality among children is a topic of remark, but when that season comes remarks are of little use. The mischief is often done long before the effect appears. Parents say, when advised to give their children plain and simple food, and to deny them stimulating drinks like tea and coffee: "Oh, nothing hurts my children; I let them have whatever is on the table." In the cool months this may seem to be the case. Boys stuff themselves with indigestible food day after day without showing any signs of being injured, and then in the dog days suddenly collapse without any special cause. It is with the children as it is with us, their elders; the punishment of their errors is often long delayed. They weaken their digestion in the winter and die of it in August. The time to regulate the diet of the young is all the time. Physicians who practice in the thickly populated parts of cities have remarked that the mortality is greatest just when most precautions are taken, and when the children themselves are afraid to eat improper things. They have been wrong feed for eleven months their digestive apparatus has been daily overwrought; its reserve of force is all expended. Then comes a long hot term, and we are appalled by the news of hundreds of deaths a day among the children of a few wards.—New York Ledger.

A "Screamer" Defined.

"Well, a screamer's a bad tempered person that holds spite. And that's true. I've learned heaps and cords of wisdom—all sorts, pretty much, first and last—but there was never any one that could hold spite like her. Why, I've known her wrong side out 'n' go right along and be constant for two weeks runnin'

and then she'd be the biggest spite you ever see. Her self-respect was all in her eyes, in a manner of speakin', and she'd go to bed early to keep from seein' folks. But, Bless me! I'm talkin' about Mis' Hitt's a low lived, mean critter, when you're a mean, low lived, mean critter yourself, and you can't help seein' it in others. Speak 'em fair and treat 'em kind and of you don't get along with 'em that no way, you hadn't ought to live with 'em.—Uncle Remus, Willy. They hadn't be driv'. Et you drive it like they do up in your farm and make for your eye, or goes for the way you don't want 'em to.—Joel Chandler Harris in Lippincott's.

The Best Cooking School.

The mother's kitchen is the girl's best cooking school. The same hands that make every quilting bee around us make rag carpets to cover home floors. Rag carpets are just as aesthetic as crazy quilts. The washtub is an excellent gymnasium; when it isn't a gymnasium every girl in the land would be taking lessons on the washboard. If these are menial occupations we have made them so. They have the strength and the charm of the liberal arts. These duties distributed in a family would not fall hard upon any one member. It will be remembered that Mrs. Whitney in Wa Chusetts found one of these duties of family housekeeping: "We could not tell whether we dined in the kitchen or kitched in the dining room."—Mrs. M. L. Hayne in Detroit Free Press.

They Took the Moment.

"It remains to me," said a man who was looking for a home, "that this building is altogether too close to the railroad. I don't want to be waked up at all hours of the night by a thundering freight train or the screech of a passenger engine that passes."

"It may be a little close to the cars, Mr. Jones," replied the owner of the building, "but it is in a good neighborhood and well lighted. The buildings on the sides hardly interfere with the light at all. You can see straight through the dining room of Mrs. Dr. Brown's house on the east, and the kitchen of Mrs. Bergmyer on the west. Then the pantry has nineteen shelves, and"——

"I think we had better take it, Mr. Jones," said Mrs. Jones, decidedly.—Chicago Tribune.

Woman's Success.

At least one-half of the book writers of the present are women. Twenty American women have pictures in this year's Paris salon. Several hundred women have graduated from the medical schools of this country since March. There are 2,500 unmarried women in the telegraphic field. Several women have recently made most comprehensive as inventors, and the list of feminine successes could easily be extended. Woman is displaying a remarkable aptitude for taking care of herself.—New Orleans Times-Democrat.

A Salt Bath for Children.

A warm salt bath once a month in winter and once a week through the summer is an excellent invigorator for children. It can be easily obtained by putting a handful of coarse salt to every gallon of water in the bath. After the daily bath, which should be taken just after rising and before retiring, a thorough rubbing should be given the child, then the skin lightly powdered with orris root powder, like talter as a preventive against possible cold catching.—Mrs. Ellis I. Mumma in Good Housekeeping.

Diarrhoea of Infants.

The green diarrhoea of infants is, according to Dr. Hayem, caused by a microbe which secretes the coloring matter characteristic of the complaint. The disease is epidemic and contagious. The best treatment, he said in his communication to the Academy of Medicine, is to give the child after each feeding a teaspoonful of 2 per cent. lactic acid.—Scientific American.

To prevent pie juice from running out in the oven, make a vent hole in the upper crust and insert a little roll of brown paper perpendicularly. The steam will escape from it as from a chimney, and all the juice will be retained in the pie.

To test cake in the oven, never insert a broom splinter, but draw it gently forward of its self the cake close to the loaf; if it is not done there will be a little sputtering sound. When it is thoroughly baked there will be no sound.

For a good clothes cleaner roll a strip of black cloth a few inches wide over and over very tightly until there is a roll as large as a broomstick, sew down firmly on the sides, trim the ends evenly.

Fluted handles for saucepans, so that they will not slip in the greasy hands of the cook, are a new idea. An improved lid that allows the steam to escape is also provided.

Soiled coat collars can be rubbed with ammonia, and then a woolen cloth laid over and a hot flat iron held just over the cloth to steam it without pressing.

Egg shells will clean vinegar bottles or nursing bottles as well as shot, and they possess the advantage of being always on hand in every kitchen.

To keep the strength of the coffee while it is boiling, plug the nose of the coffee pot with a wad of brown paper.

A vegetable acid, such as lemon juice or cider, is said to be a sure specific for most cases of scarlet fever.

Many piano dealers recommend cotton flannel for dusting pianos as superior to anything else.

Salt sprinkled over anything that is burning on the stove will prevent any disagreeable odor.

Whitting or ammonia in the water is preferable to soap for cleaning windows or paint.

Blaine and the Professor.

One day the conversation drifted off to the German university of Heidelberg ruling house, and Mr. Blaine thought the family had lost in vigor since the days of George I. A German professor who was present took up the discussion, and the whole history of England and Germany for the past 300 years was gone over, the names of obscure princes were recalled and the deeds and misdeeds lived again almost than dinner table. Mr. Blaine was evidently "well up" in history. The professor did not have to correct him more than three times for as many and a half and Mr. Blaine "took corrections" in one case.

"My idea," said Mr. Blaine, "is that kings and queens and all such rulers are tolerated through the ignorance or loyalty of the people to acknowledge such a thing as a king am ag men is a kind of slavery. It is wrong. I think it must go. Still, if we must have it, give a few hanged years more the people, more than ever, demand that they shall be kingly. England is badly off in this respect. There is more of a king in Gladstone than all the royal family. If I am to judge people by their deeds."—Boston Globe.

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INFANT'S YOKE SLIP.

The neck of the dress is finished with a half inch band of embroidery headed by feather stitching, and inside the edge is set a narrow facing in which a fine tape drawing string is drawn.

Children's Costumes.

A new variety of the Gretchen dress has the gathered skirt with hem and two tucks; the straight sections button on the back, and has three kilt pleats on either side of the center front that are laced across with silk cords to meet the straight revers of velvet which match the cuffs, high collar and deep sleeve caps.

Russian dresses have a pleated or gathered skirt, and a blouse that opens on the left has the closing effected at the front of the neck, and fullness at the back of the skirt gathered on to the close fitting back, the whole affair looking something like an apron blouse when the cuirass belt is put on, having the lower edge of the blouse about half way down the skirt. The band on this edge, high collar, belt, border on the blouse opening and bands on the shirt sleeves are of a contrasting goods, fancy braid or rows of feather stitching. If made of cotton fabrics the trimming may be of Hamburg insertion.

The introduction of plaid surah into children's costumes, says Domestic Monthly, has a very pleasing effect, forming as it does the handsomest gathered skirt, with the short bodice and tiny draperies of plain woolen goods. If the dress is of the peasant design the plaid forms the fulled guimpe and bishop sleeves, the bottom of which is set into the skirt and cutaway jacket of fawn cashmere, with cuffs and collar of red velvet, and a loose plastron of plaid, fawn, gold and red surah.

A sailor dress recently worn by the authority quoted, for a large girl, has a kilted skirt of blue flannel, and blouse of striped blue and white flannel laced in front with blue cords over white linen. The upper part of the leg of mutton sleeves are of the stripes and the deep cuffs of the plain flannel; the sailor collar is likewise of the plain.

Present Styles in Earrings.

Solitaire earrings are in as great demand as ever, but by no means represent the only style in favor. A large stone rings, as a sapphire and a diamond, or a ruby and a diamond, are much worn, the diamond being placed next to the ear and the other stone hanging from it. Pearl drops. The tendency is again to long earrings. Some new rings seen recently consisted of a diamond with a long pendant drop of onyx. Pear shaped pearls are used as pendants to diamond earrings.

Hoop earrings composed of either brilliants or colored stones, are another favorite style. The twisted hoop, one half of which is set with stones of one color, and the other half with stones of contrasting hue, afford yet another variation in gem-earrings that finds favor. Little flower earrings, with and without a gem in the center, continue popular, as do also the various modifications of the knot pattern.

Infant's Long Cloak.

The long cloak for an infant, shown in the cut, is made of cream white basket flannel. It has a thin lining of quilted silk. The hood is faced with white satin and the space indicated at the top shirred. It is pleated around the bottom.

A LONG CLOAK FOR AN INFANT.

The hood and cape of the cloak are joined together at the back. Ribbon bows and strings trim the hood, while the cape is edged with full fringe. Both models described are Harper's Bazar's patterns.

Lingerie for Summer Wear.

Wool dresses of all kinds call for linen or percale collars and cuffs. The former stand high and may be either straight around or turned over in points. Cuffs are not quite so close fitting as were last season's styles. Colored cuffs and collars are stylish to wear with traveling dresses, and come in a variety of colors and designs. Some are showing small checks, some dots and others small figures of color on a white ground.

Fashion Notes.

Dresses made for mountain and seashore wear by tailors are of white faced cloth, the trimmings consisting of braid put on in arabesque and other designs. Silver and gold braids are much used, also dark blue and black braids.

Little girls are wearing dresses made with sensible jackets and full blouse waistcoats.

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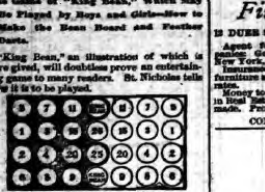

FIG. 1—KING BEAN GAME.

Take a pine board ten by eighteen inches in size and mark it out in circles of about two inches in diameter, as represented in the chart. Half the board should be blackened, as indicated, and the circles colored white. The other half the board should be white, and the circles in it colored a light blue or red. Then make two darts, about six inches long, cut of pine wood, with a feather at one end and a needle at the other. Soak a number of split beans in water until they are quite soft, and place one in every circle. Attach a thread to each of the beans you place in the circles marked "King Bean."

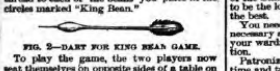

FIG. 2—DART FOR KING BEAN GAME.

To play the game, the two players now set themselves on opposite sides of a table on which they have placed the bean board, each holding a dart in one hand and a string attached to the nearest king bean in the other. Having decided which is to play first, each player in turn shoots his dart at his adversary's beans; all the beans on the dark half of the board belonging to the player whose King Bean is on that side, and all the beans on the light half belonging to the other player.

When a player spears an adversary's bean so that it can be carried off the board on the point of the dart, he counts the number marked on the circle from which it was taken. If he misses, he counts nothing, and if he strikes on his own ground, instead of his opponent's, he loses five; that is to say, five is deducted from his score. When a player spears his opponent's king bean he counts 100. But a player, if he thinks his adversary is trying to spear his king bean, may pull it away by the thread. If, however, he pulls it away on a false alarm before the other shoots, or when the dart strikes within one of the other circles, he loses five; that is to say, five is deducted from his score. But if the dart strikes within the king bean circle, or if it strikes in the space between the circles, but not on the player's half of the board, neither counts. It is the object of each player to mislead his opponent on this point and make his adversary believe he is about to attack the latter's king bean, when, in reality, he is aiming at something else. Whoever first scores 1,000 wins the game.

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Frogs and Tadpoles.

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The Dancing Pea.

Take a piece of tobacco pipe of about three inches in length, one end of which, at least, is broken off even, and with a knife or file, make the hole somewhat larger, so as in fact to form a little hollow cup. Next get a very round pea, put it in the hollow at the end of the bit of pipe, place the other end of the latter in your mouth, hold it there quite in a perpendicular position, by inclining your head back, and then blow through it very softly; the pea will be lifted from its cup, and rise and fall according to the degree of force with which the breath is impelled through the pipe.

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Johnny at Play.

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Johnny—Yes, grandma; I've been making believe that I was another little boy spending the day with me.

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THE NEWS reaches all classes of our citizens. Its want column thus furnishes a quantity of interesting reading and is the means of procuring all kinds of employment and the best class of help. For Boarding and For Sale and Rent, if furnishes a better class of customers than can be obtained through any other medium, and its general advertisements pay better than those of all the other papers combined, as the constant demand upon its columns daily testifies. In all that makes a thoroughly complete, general and family newspaper THE NEWS stands at the head of journalism in this section at least.

JOTTINGS.

—The heavy rain of last evening tested the capacity of the gutters to the fullest extent.

—The Berean class, Warren Mission, is to meet Sunday afternoon at half-past two o'clock.

Mrs. Maude Ayers of Crescent avenue, was noticed in town this morning for the first time since her return from abroad.

—The First National Bank is paying a dividend of five per cent. to its stockholders, out of the earnings of the past six months.

—Before starting for mountains or shore it would be well to make your purchases at the Bee Hive in this city and avoid all high prices.

—It will require over one hundred and seventy-five tons of coal to heat the public school buildings in this city during the coming fall and winter.

—The weather signals on Shaw's building displayed in accordance with instructions from Washington were slightly off in their forecast of yesterday's weather.

—A very interesting meeting of the Reform Club was held in Reform Hall last evening. Addresses were made by Messrs. W. J. Leonard, R. C. Hartley and W. Codington.

—A protective society against horse stealing has been organized in Rahway. The next meeting will be held in Brown & Hatfield's Hall on Campbell street, Monday evening next at eight o'clock. The horse owners of Union county in general will assemble.

—The Training Class of the Young Men's Christian Association will go to Boynton Beach next Thursday. The Senior Society of the Boys will probably make an excursion to the same place, possibly on the same day.

—Rudolf Bar, a bricklayer employed on the new Pond factory, was discharged last week and disappeared last night with $22 belonging to Mr. Charles Picke of Union street, in whose house he was a boarder. His whereabouts are unknown.

—Medals for the bicycle races at Westfield are on exhibition at the the elegant drug store of Field & Randolph, No. 21 West Front street, where the successors of Dr. Voorhees are doing a thriving business through the favor of their many friends, and their own enterprise.

The Baptist Excursion Today—Accident at Elizabethport.

It required eighteen passenger coaches to convey the First Baptist excursion to Asbury Park and Ocean Grove this morning. The excursion was made up in two sections and left this city shortly after eight o'clock. The Mt. Olive Colored Baptist church people, Congregational and Washingtonville Sunday schools also accompanied them.

While the first section of cars was passing through Elizabethport, two of the forward coaches left the track and for a time ran along the ties. The train was stopped before anything serious happened. A slight shaking up was the extent of the damage to the excursionists.

The passengers were immediately transferred to other coaches and the train went on its way.

Even the Coachmen Have It.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE NEWS—I am a stranger in your city, yet I cannot help but notice the contrast Plainfield presents with some of the other cities of New Jersey. I had often heard of the wealth and culture of the people of Plainfield, but I had convincing proof of it the first day I was in the city.

I expected to find intellectuality cropping out in every conceivable way but I was not prepared to find the coachmen engaged in reading solid literature, whilst they set upon their boxes waiting for their employers to finish their shopping, and yet this is just what I saw on Front street the first hour I was in town.

Little things like the above make deep impressions upon the mind of a stranger. Each town has its own peculiar atmosphere, its own tone, its own pitch. Fortunate indeed is the man who finds the atmosphere congenial, who finds that he vibrates in accord with the populace among which he has made his home.

There is a spirit of cordiality prevalent in Plainfield, which is decidedly western in its nature and uncommonly rare in Jersey's confines.

On the other hand the city has much in its make up and the character of its population to remind one of a typical New England town—minus of course, the patriarchal elms and long, shady streets. Weeds do not flourish along the highways. The roads are in perfect repair. The door yards are trim and adorned with flowers. The churches are numerous, well supported and attended. The school house has the same relative position to the church as a factor in city life and morals, that it has in New England. The only point of dissimilarity is in the absence of that which comprises a large proportion of New England town—namely, factories. You are to be congratulated.

A STRANGER.

PLAINFIELD IMPROVEMENTS.

Exciting Incidents of Years Ago.

Rev. H. G. Mason of Brooklyn is spending a few weeks at the old residence in Plainfield of his sister-in-law, Mrs. Robert Freeman, whose husband died a few weeks ago. Mr. Mason is accompanied by his wife, son and daughter. He was a resident of Plainfield twenty years ago, and pastor of the Second Baptist Church. The church originally worshipped in the Reform Club building.

After Mr. Mason had been pastor some five years in this building, a question of discipline arose.

A citizen had failed in business, and there were circumstances in connection with the failure which caused quite a feeling.

This citizen after walks sought to join the Second Baptist church, and that brought up the question, whether an applicant for membership should be admitted on a majority or on a unanimous vote. Many were opposed to his admission. The church divided in opinion and the majority principle slightly prevailed and by a bare majority the applicant was admitted.

This led to ill feeling, and the minority withdrew and organized into an independent society, which they called the Union Baptist church.

They worshipped in the Seventh Day Baptist church temporarily, and later built what is now the Reformed church.

Mr. Mason upon the division had resigned, and a few months later accepted a call to become the pastor of the Union church.

The original Second Baptist organization gave up holding services in what is now the Reform Club building, for want of support, and rented the building for a carriage shop, until it was eventually sold to the Reform Club, which still has possession of it.

Mr. Mason presided over the new Union Baptist church on Second street, now the Trinity Reformed Church, leaving its fee of debt in 1883, and settling out west, in answer to a call to the First Baptist Church of Aurora, Illinois, where he remained three years, and then returned to New Jersey, filling various pulpits for the next seventeen years, when he removed to New York.

After leaving the Union church Rev. Daniel T. Hill, a former pastor, was called to supply the pulpit temporarily. Mr. Hill was nearly eighty years old, a very gifted preacher, intensely loyal to the Union, and an ardent Republican.

One Sunday morning, during the communion service, and when the excitement was most intense over the assassination of President Lincoln, Mr. Hill remarked that he would as soon serve communion to the devil as a Democrat. He felt that Lincoln's assassination was somehow due to the Democrats. It happened that two of the leading deacons in the church were Democrats, but Union men, and refused to carry at the communion. These Democrats were Deacon Ira Dunn of New Market, a farmer, and Deacon Samuel Randolph of Second street. Deacon Dunn's only daughter is now the wife of Undertaker John Runyon of Dunellen.

All the Runyons of this vicinity were members of the Second Church and numbered over thirty.

There was no communion service at the church that day on account of the minister's remark, and from that incident started a split which eventually divided the church into two parties, one party in favor of selling the church, to which the other side was opposed. The feeling ran high, but those who wanted to hold the church had possession and were determined to remain.

The church had been built by Morgan Bird, of Park avenue, as still a shining light among us. To prevent the opposing faction getting possession, he and others in possession watched the church night after night with loaded revolvers determined to defend their property with their lives if necessary.

The other party, however, resorted to stratagem and eventually got the property.

This was done by combining with the Dutch Reformed people, who were anxious to get the property, especially as on account of the split, it was offered at not over half what it cost.

While contesting for supremacy, the cote had a Reformed church minister attend a morning service to get possession. He went up into the pulpit and proceeded to ask Divine blessing. While he was thus engaged Mr. Bird and the chairman of the trustees, walked up to the pulpit, caught the minister by the nape of the neck and walked him out of the church. The party represented by Mr. Bird yielded, and the Reformed people got possession.

The Union Baptist organization then disbanded and a portion of them returned to the First Baptist church, from which the Second was an offshoot, outnumbering it before the trouble.

Those who did not return organized themselves into what is now the Park Avenue Baptist church, and built the beautiful edifice, which now adorns it. The society is reasonably presided over by Rev. Asa R. Dilts, the present pastor.

When Mr. Mason was pastor here, twenty-seven years ago, the Baptists of Plainfield outnumbered all other denominations here combined, and they are very strong now, it is thought that but for these difficulties they would have been much stronger, although the difficulties were from honest differences of opinion.

The trouble in the Second street church did not come with the change of denominations, and eventually the Reformed people took possession of the church in the Congregationalists, who after a few years resold it to the Reformed people, and built their present unique edifice on Second street, whereof Architect Teale's ingenuity was given full rein.

Died From Sunstroke.

Nicholas Lamipiter, a German, aged forty, residing in Piscataway Township, on the road between Dunellen and New Brunswick, while engaged cradling oats Saturday afternoon about four o'clock, was overcome by the heat. He was carried to his home and a physician was summoned, but every effort to save his life proved unavailing and he died yesterday afternoon. Deceased was a farmer and was reputed to be very wealthy. He had resided in that vicinity for a number of years and was well known. The funeral will be conducted from St. John's church in Dunellen to-morrow morning. Interment will be made in St. Mary's cemetery, this city.

PERSONAL.

Francis D. Byrd is sojourning at Sacquoit Lake, in the Adirondacks.

Wallace V. Miller of West Front street, is recuperating at Asbury Park.

John Enright entertained a number of his friends at Lehigh's Rest last evening.

Maurice Cadman of Elizabeth, is visiting his uncle, Louis Cadman at Lehigh's Hotel.

Miss Humphrey of West Second street, is summering in the Catskill Mountains.

Miss Flo. Randolph is at Stamford, Conn.

Miss Lillie Randolph is at Lake Hopatcong.

Mrs. S. T. McCutchen and family of the Borough, are at the Berkeley House, Asbury Park.

Mrs. Robert Freeman of Broadway is arranging to remove from Plainfield this fall to Newark.

Rudolph M. Titsworth has returned to his home on West Seventh street from a pleasure trip to New York state.

Edward Embury and sister of Washington avenue, North Plainfield, are enjoying the mountain air in the Catskills.

Henry McGee and family of Washington Park, North Plainfield, are enjoying the sea breezes at Asbury Park.

Joseph Mair of Dunellen tendered a reception to a number of friends at his residence in Dunellen last evening.

The River Improvement Association of Cranford will hold its first regatta this season on the river to-morrow.

Mrs. Andrew McKinney of Park avenue, is off for the Catskill Mountains, to stop about a month at the Laurel House.

The household of Charles J. Shaffer of East Second street was made happy yesterday morning by the appearance of a young son.

"Edward J. Richards, formerly in Case's drug store, has secured a position in R. J. Shaw's store, Plainfield."—Somerset Messenger.

Special Policeman Noel is somewhat incapacitated by injuries to his left foot, received while in the unsuccessful search of the Italian Palermo.

Mrs. E. H. Depew of Crescent avenue is to sojourn for the summer at the West End Hotel, Long Branch, for which she was to have started to-day.

William H. Banner of Second place, spends the summer until September 1st, at South Dennis, Barnstable Co., Mass., among kindred and friends.

Geo. C. Martin and family of Eighth street and Central avenue are having a few weeks' outing in Luzerne Co., N. Y., stopping there at the Rockwell House.

Rev. Dr. Lewis will occupy his pulpit in the Seventh-Day Baptist church to-morrow morning, preaching from the theme: "What Immortality Makes of Death."

At the residence of James Searing on West Third street, last night was in bloom a night-blooming cereus, which attracted the eye of a great many spectators.

The family of Rev. Dr. Lewis are at Spring Lake. His invalid daughter, Mary, is gaining a little day by day, and hopes are entertained of her ultimate recovery.

The Actives and Crescents will play a game of base ball on the Somerset street grounds to-morrow afternoon, and not on the Park avenue grounds as at first reported.

Mr. James McMullen, formerly of New Brunswick, who for the past three weeks has been ill at his hotel, is not in a very critical condition. He is improving every day.

The New Jersey Catholic News of last week had a long and glowing account of the life and service of the late Father Rogers of New Brunswick, so well known in Plainfield.

"George F. Opdyke, a son of the old-time Mayor of New York and his family have arrived at the Albany, Asbury Park."—Evening Sun. Mr. Opdyke is well known in Plainfield.

Assessor Hubbard of this city met with the Tax Commissioners of Elizabeth last Monday evening, and helped in fixing the county and State school tax of that city for the coming year.

Mrs. C. P. Gullberg, nee Miss Euphemia France, is on a visit to her parents Mr. and Mrs. A. M. France of Peace street. Mrs. Gullberg will in a few days visit Mt. Tabor, and upon her return will remain in this city until September.

Mr. G. B. Corwin and wife of East Ninth street, are at the Carleton House, Spring Lake Beach, N. J., indulging in the luxuries of the season, sea air and sea bathing. Mr. Corwin is a member of the well-known New York exporting house of Stevens, Corwin & Co., which has branches at Valparaiso, Lima, Buenos Ayres and Guayaquil, South America.

Warren H. Marsh, brother of Corporation Counsel Marsh, and until last winter a clerk in the latter's office, is making rapid strides in the west. Superintendent P. B. Drake of the Missouri Pacific Railway, in whose office Mr. Marsh first started, has just tendered him the general management of the Cincinnati, Jackson and Mackinaw R. R. He has accepted, and in turn offered to Mr. Marsh the position of private secretary. Of course the offer was accepted. Van Wert, Ohio, is the terminus of the road, which means location of the central office of the railroad. Our congratulations are added to those of the many citizens here who are watching the young man's career with interest and confidence.

The funeral of the late Geo. V. Tier was held at 2.30 o'clock yesterday afternoon at his Uncle's, Mr. J. H. Tier on Bank Place, Rev. N. E. Smith formerly of this city and the Rev. C. Schenck of Trinity Reform church officiated. The floral offerings were very pretty, among them being a large sheaf of pink and white presented by the teachers of the Trinity Reformed Sunday school, a beautiful yellow and white cross the gift of the Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor, a broken column from his former employer, Mr. A. M. Griffen, a wreath from the employes and floral star from his relatives. Messrs. Fred. Cutler, Alvin Ten Eyck, Charles Terhune and Andrew Carpender were the pall bearers. Interment was made in Evergreen cemetery.

LATEST DISPATCHES.

THE NEWS controls the services of the American Press Association and the United Press, and is the only paper published in this section that possesses a Telegraphic News Franchise.

Thermometer Record.

The following is the record of the thermometer for this day and for the corresponding date of last year, as kept at Shaw's drug store, corner of Front and Park avenue:

1887		1886	
8 a. m.	72	Sun rises	4 47
9 a. m.	78	Sun sets	7 33
12 m.	80	Moon rises	
3 p. m.	86	Moon sets	8 09

Weather Indications.

In the middle states party cloudy weather will prevail, with slight thermal changes, preceded by local rains in the west, and followed by fair, warmer weather. In New England, cloudy to partly cloudy weather, preceded by local rains, with slight thermal changes.

Stanley's Fate.

LONDON, July 22.—Neither the Church Missionary Society nor the Baptist Missionary Society has received any tidings of Mr. Stanley, although there is a Baptist missionary station under American auspices at Matadi.

A Brewer's Suicide.

BALTIMORE, Md., July 22.—George Hoffman, a prominent brewer, committed suicide this morning by shooting himself. He has been a sufferer from rheumatism, and it is supposed he committed the deed in a fit of despondency.

Suicide Before His Father.

NEW YORK, July 22.—Albert Schlagher, age twenty years, of No. 37 First street, Hoboken, this morning walked into the room where his father was dressing, drank the contents of a bottle containing prussic acid, and died before a physician could arrive.

Yet Another Delay.

NEW YORK, July 22, 1887.—Jacob Sharp's lawyers succeeded in securing another respite for their client to-day. District Attorney Martine was very indignant at the postponement and at Judge Potter's remarks in giving his decision. The defence were not ready because of Burke Cochran's absence. The hearing will be held next Tuesday morning.

The Yellow Fever Scare.

MEMPHIS, Tenn., July 22.—Messages are being received here from Chicago and other cities asking about yellow fever. There is not now nor has there been this season any case of that disease in this city, which is in an unusually healthy condition. I am requested by pr minent merchants to send this statement out.

A Navy Job.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., July 22.—A number of despatches from Washington have been printed here stating that the work of repairing Admiral Farragut's flagship, Hartford, now in progress at the Mare Island Navy Yard, would place the fault where it belongs. It is the biggest job the navy has ever known. Talk about Robeson, his repair jobs were nothing in comparison to this.

The Fairchild Episode.

MADISON, Wis., July 22.—It has leaked out that at a late meeting of C. C. Washburn Post, G. A. R., in this city, of which Commander-in-Chief Fairchild is a member, another fierce row occurred. A veteran of the Army of the Potomac sent in a communication asking for his discharge from the post, sending the dues. A discussion followed which soon took a political turn. Some were opposed to granting an honorable discharge. This brought to the floor a veteran who has been for some time an official of the Post. He stripped off his sword, sash and badge, handed them to the Quartermaster, paid his dues, and, bidding farewell to the Post, stepped out. The meeting broke up in a regular row. Many others are said to be preparing to withdraw from the same Post. Others, it is reported, will not withdraw, but will not attend any more meetings.

A Cleveland Memento.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., July 22.—The Cleveland invitation has just been completed. The invitation is in book form, making a volume eleven inches long, sixteen inches wide and four inches thick. The binding is of seal skin. On the front cover of the book, sunk in the binding is a square of white satin, bordered with blue plush. Upon the satin, elegantly engrossed, is the following:

"KANSAS CITY, TO THE PRESIDENT AND MRS. CLEVELAND, GREETING, 1887."

Upon the back of the book in gold letters:

"KANSAS CITY, GREETING."

And below it: "TO THE PRESIDENT AND MRS. CLEVELAND."

The water color pictures by Mr. Barnes are bound together following the title page in the following order:

Kansas City, Kansas, Missouri, Texas, Indian Territory, and Toledo. Then comes the invitation, signed by 21,000 citizens. The book is inclosed in a case of imitation seal skin embossed with gold and lined with gold plush.

"The Daughters of a King."

Have you noticed that some of the young ladies of Plainfield are wearing a small inch square silver pin, like a Maltese cross in shape and bearing the symbolic letters I. H. S. These young ladies wear these pins as college girls wear the badges of their society, to proclaim to the world that they belong to an organization which bears the name of "The King's Daughters," the first department of which are in New York, Mrs. Margaret Bottome being superintendent. A chapter was formed in Plainfield in the spring of 1887. The order was founded in January, 1886. The aim of the ten young ladies who compose the local circle is to do good unto others. This feeling finds expression in many ways. By providing entertainments for children who have very little amusement, by furnishing flowers for the sick, by supplying reading matter for those who have no time to read, by the visitation of Lawrence Myers, is president of the local chapter.

$250,000 Fraud Discovered.

At the meeting of the Union County Board of Assessors, held in Elizabeth, it was brought out that some sharp practice had been played by Elizabeth assessors. By this practice the city of Elizabeth during the past seven years is said to have saved about $60,000, and the other municipalities of the county have had to pay that amount, being thus out of pocket to the extent of Elizabeth's gain.

Two reduction appeals were made to the County Board of Assessors, one to the Union Comptroller, Coombs's office, and to the Comptroller for 1886 showed a total assessed valuation for city and personal property of $12,360,000, while the returns for the County Board of Assessors showed only $11,790,000. The difference between the two reports is $570,130. The county has kept up with the county assessors on the basis of the returns made to them, but it is said that the Elizabeth assessors have profited by these systematic false returns to the tune of about $7,000 a year for the last seven years, and the other cities and townships have had to pay that amount by increased assessments.

The explanation for this discrepancy was that they could not collect a large amount of taxes, and they therefore deducted the amount of the uncollected taxes from the assessments. This has never been done by the other assessors, and great indignation is expressed at the action of the Elizabeth assessors. Some parties even talk of indicting them, as their returns are sworn to as having been correct.

A Change of Base.

For some time past the secretary of the Young Men's Christian Association has been receiving challenges from the secretaries of the various Y. M. C. A. base ball nines of this State, and has been compelled to reply that it would be impossible to arrange games as the local association had no nine. This will not be the case hereafter.

Last evening the members of the Crescent Club met at the Association rooms and after discussing the situation decided to disband and reform under the name of the Y. M. C. A. B. B. C. of Plainfield. The Crescent club has always been nearly largely composed of young men prominent in Y. M. C. A. work. The new name and the new organization will give the club life that it has not had in some time. Every member of the association will feel an interest in it. The nine will be strengthened by new material from the association. Regular practice days will be set down. Two games a week will be played and the club will make a strong effort to win the championship of the Young Men's Christian Association nines of New Jersey. The first game played under the new name will be played to-morrow with the Actives of North Plainfield on the Somerset street grounds at 3.30 p. m.

BOUND BROOK.

Mrs. Chandler and daughter are rusticating among the hills of New England.

Rev. H. B. McCauley and family will enjoy a month's vacation at Latrobe, Pa.

Rev. W. W. Jordan and family are summering at Cape Elizabeth, near Portland, Me.

Miss Emily Gibbs will spend the summer months at her home, Guelph, near Toronto, Canada.

The crack West End Club, of Somerville, will play a ball match this afternoon with the Bound Brooks on the latter's grounds Saturday. Bedford will probably pitch for the visitors, and Long and Briday will be the home team's battery.

An effort will probably be made by the local boatmen to have the great sculling match for $1,000 a side between Wallace Ross and Bubear, the Englishman, come off on the Raritan River at Bound Brook, which has one of the best courses, three miles with a turn, in New Jersey.

A Daily Occurrence.

The reading room of the Young Men's Christian Association was crowded last evening, with readers and visitors calling upon Secretary Manning.

At one table a young compositor was noticed reading the recently published article in Harpers Monthly on the manufacture of paper and the making of books. Just the literature too, that that young man needed.

Still another young man employed in the Potter Press Works was reading the Scientific American. A local journalist was reading the article in the August Atlantic on shorthand writing. In the library a middle aged man pouring over an English primer and gaining the rudiments of an English education.

Good for C.o.d.

The account of William R. Codington as assignee of Isaac S. Melbourn was audited and passed by the Court on Wednesday. The assignee is paying a dividend of 46 1-2 per ct. on all claims that were presented. This is a much larger dividend than was expected by the creditors, and is due entirely to the judgment of Mr. Codington left no stone unturned to further the interests of the creditors and despite the entreaties and even threats of Mr. Melbourn fearlessly and resolutely performed his duties, and after paying over $1000 of preferred claims due to laborers and successfully conducting one or two chancery suits pays the above dividend to the general creditors.

List of Advertised Letters

Remaining in Plainfield Post Office for the week ending July 29, 1887.

Bacon, Josephine Miss
Bullock Miss E
Brown, Miss Dollie
Crawford, Mr. Wm
Dunn, Amos E Mrs
Demarest, Mrs
Fisher, Mary R Mrs
Gaven, Catherine
Grant, Chas Mr & Mrs
Harris, Mary Miss
Hanscbel, P M Mrs
Latten, C Edward Mrs
McClus, Mary C
Miller, Otto
Moore, L M
Merrill, A
Shuman, J M
Strong, Lizzie A Mrs
Simmons, Francis
Whiting,
Wheeler, N H Mrs
Young, Cora Miss
Young, Lulu Miss

Persons calling for above please say advertised.

W. L. FORCE, Postmaster.

A Revolutionary Homestead.

A Mr. Walsh of German Valley has just purchased from Ex-Councilman W. McD. Corsell a portion of his farm at Evona. Part of the tract has been in the possession of the Corsell family for generations. Levi Knox, grandfather of Mr. Corsell, lived on the farm prior to the revolution.

Frederick Schwitzgable was accidentally shot at his home in Elizabeth yesterday, while handling a rifle. He was taken to the hospital and his condition is reported as serious. The ball did not strike any vital part, and it was found that he would not survive.

New Jersey Students in Council.

The New Jersey State Theatrical Society continued its convention at the Coleman House, Asbury Park, yesterday. An interesting paper by Dr. A. P. Brown was read in the afternoon and several members took part in the afternoon clinics by Dr. George M. Eyre. In the evening a meeting of several thousand was held in the auditorium. An exhibition of the operations on E. S. White of Philadelphia, by Eyre & Son, American Dental Company and Students of the College of New York; Gideon Sidney of Philadelphia; Willoughby Smith of Philadelphia; Dental Company; Dr. Dorlot of Philadelphia, and Dr. William Mitchell.

The Supreme Court recently issued a mandamus upon the application of the Savings Institution of Jersey City, against the Common Council of Rahway, ordering them to place in the tax ordinance the deficiency of last year's interest on the water bonds held back by the bank. The Common Council has passed the tax ordinance and defied the Court by not inserting in it the amount of the deficiency, about $9,000. The Democratic majority all voted against inserting the amount, while the Republicans favored obeying the Court's mandate.

Died.

MARTIN.—On Wednesday July 20th, Anna C., infant daughter of Frank S. and Helen C. Martin, aged 5 months.

Funeral Friday afternoon.

Cent-a-Word-Column.

A 50-TRIP ticket book, dated July 9th, numbered 1742, and issued to F. Moon, has been lost. Please return to Reynold's drug store. 22-3

A YOUNG MAN wanted on a gentleman's place to care for grounds, horses, etc. Give reference and address P. O. Box 1207. 22-2

A SITUATION wanted as a first-class coachman or as plain gardener. Address Box 87, Dunellen, N. J. 21-2

A MAN WANTED to deliver Sunday papers and collect. A married man with a small family, or one family preferred. Comfortable apartments furnished in part payment. A good place for the right man. Address Theodore Dunn, P. O. Box 140, or call at No. 80 Broadway, near Hillside avenue. 20-3

A COACHMAN of good reputation and Plainfield references, wants a steady situation. Is careful and industrious. Address Anthony Jonas, Dunellen. 19-5.

BOARD in one of the nicest locations in Plainfield. Large well furnished rooms, and first-class table board. Best of reference. Address "B. M." Plainfield P. O. 15-8

FOR SALE—A few desirable lots on Spooner avenue corner Division st cut, cheap. Also a number of lots in neighborhood of Grant avenue station. T. Y. Hall, agent Opp. R. R. station Plainfield. 7-14-tf

FURNISHED ROOMS to let, with or without board, at No. 11 West Second street. 5-23tf

LOST—Dog strayed away from Adam Fritz. Liver and white pointer. Heavy set, tail clipped. Five dollars paid for return. Miss Emily Brobst's hatchet shop. 15-4

MONEY to loan on first mortgages, Box 1211. 5-tf-3

PROPERTY for sale to settle up the estate of the late Lewis Jones, deceased. Lots corner of Putnam and Kensington avenues, also two house and lot on Front street, near Netherwood avenue, and now occupied by Mr. Marks. Terms made very easy. Apply to Evan Jones, Park Place Home. 20-4

TO LET, furnished, a new Queen Anne cottage, twelve rooms, all improvements, ample grounds and piazzas. Rent only $60 per month. Address Mrs. Freeman, Broadway, corner of Hillside avenue.

TAKE NOTICE—That Joseph O'Neil is no longer in my employ as carrier of Sunday papers or as collector. If those who have received or are not receiving properly will drop me a postal addressed to Theodore Dunn, P. O. Box 140, the matter will received prompt attention. 20-3

TO LET—Two houses on Craig Place, all improvements, eleven rooms each, $30 per month. Apply to Isaac Brokaw, 12 Dorr street. 7-30-tf

WANTED—A young girl to act as nurse and waitress. Apply to Mr. George Taylor, Netherwood. 22-3

WANTED—A girl for general housework. No. 3 Craig Place. 19-tf-

YOUNG girl wanted for light house work and to assist in the care of children. One who can sleep at home. Sherwin's, 23 W. Front street. 20-tf

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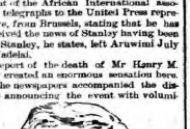
THE GREAT EXPLORER.

A RUMOR THAT HENRY M. STANLEY IS DEAD NOT CONFIRMED.

A "White Chief" Had Been Killed, and No Plausible Theory is Advanced to Indicate that He Was Not the Distinguished Traveler.

LONDON, July 22.—Col. Frederick Strauch, president of the African International association, telegraphs to the United Press representative, from Brussels, stating that he has not received the news of Stanley having been killed. Stanley, he states, left Aruwimi July 5 for Wadelai.

The report of the death of Mr Henry M. Stanley created an enormous sensation here. All of the newspapers accompanied the dispatches announcing the event with volumi-



HENRY M. STANLEY.

nous obituary notices and sketches of his expeditions. His rescue of Dr. Livingstone is dilated upon with great precision in detail, and the eminent services of the supposed dead explorer are recounted at length and in fashionable language. In spite of all these elaborate tributes to the famous traveler and author, however, the reports of his death are discredited by the papers publishing them, and even the West African Telegraph company, through whose agency the news was brought, is unable to verify the statements. A variety of theories is advanced to account for the report, but none of them has even as plausible a foundation as the rumor itself. The one most generally accepted, however, is that the native who brought the news to Matadi reported that a "white chief" had been killed, and that the missionary who forwarded the rumor assumed that the "white chief" was Mr. Stanley. Still, it is strange that no one engaged in manufacturing theories to refute the probability that the missionary was right in assuming that this report of Mr. Stanley's death was correct has ventured to presume that the story of his having left Aruwimi on June 2 or 3 can have been untrue. Telegraphic mistakes are of constant occurrence in countries where the acme of scientific knowledge and mechanical skill in guarding against them has been reached, and why are they not possible and even probable in a country where almost every one of the conditions favorable to accuracy in transmitting dispatches are either impaired or wholly lacking?

Neither the London Missionary society nor the Baptist Missionary society has received any tidings of Mr. Stanley, although there is a Baptist Missionary society under American auspices at Matadi.

The Color Line at Asbury Park.

ASBURY PARK, N. J., July 22.—The African Methodist Episcopal church jubilee was held in Ocean Grove yesterday and the color line question at Asbury Park was discussed. Dr. Bloss, president of the Ocean Grove association, said that negroes had always enjoyed the same privileges at Ocean Grove as white people, and could continue to do so as long as they were orderly. The Rev. Mr. Sampson, of Orange, said that under the constitution the negro had as much right to visit Asbury Park as did his brother of a lighter skin as long as he behaved himself. Addresses in the same strain were made by prominent clergymen of both black and white, and it may be said that the negro question is settled for good at Asbury Park and Ocean Grove. About 5,000 negroes were present at the jubilee.

Pig Iron Production.

PHILADELPHIA, July 22.—The American Iron and Steel association publishes statistics to-day showing that the total production of pig iron in the United States in the first six months of 1892 was but two per cent in excess of that in the last six months of 1891. This is attributed to the Connellsville district strike. The production in the south fell off slightly, owing to the lack of coke and iron requisition of new furnaces. Bessemer steel ingots show a good increase, as do also open hearth steel ingots.

The Montreal Defalcation.

MONTREAL, July 22.—Mr. J. A. Prendergast, the cashier of the Hochelaga bank, has prepared a detailed statement, showing that the total amount of Parent's defalcation is $41,000, of which the bank has recovered $2,722, and is covered to the extent of $14,500, leaving a balance uncovered of only $7,222, which, it is claimed, will be the extent of the bank's loss.

CONDENSED NEWS.

The steam yacht Velette and the sloop yachts Atlantic, Mischief and Nepenthe have arrived here.

Governor and Mrs. Bowser, of Kentucky, are in the grounds at Chautauqua and visited many of the class rooms.

W. W. Astor's steam yacht Nourmahal arrived at Newport this morning and anchored.

William H. Starbuck admitted that he had purchased a controlling interest in the Sheepscot railroad and that it would become a part of the Maine Central.

James Weeden, the pugilist, who was shot by Officer Thompson, of All-about-City, has since died. Thompson gave himself up. He claims that he shot Weeden in self defense.

A Chicago paper says that the friends of Joseph C. Mackin, who was convicted of perjury in connection with the election fraud trial in 1888 and sentenced to Joliet for five years, are making a formidable effort to secure his pardon.

The boiler of E. L. Chamberlain's saw mill at Natchez, Miss., exploded, wrecking the mill. Bishop Dorsey Scott, a colored Roman, and injuring Mr. Chamberlain, the engineer and proprietor, and two or three others.

The head men of New York state formed a protective and "mutual improvement" association at Saratoga Springs.

MEN GROUND TO ATOMS.

SEVENTEEN LABORERS CUT DOWN BY THE ERIE EXPRESS.

Twelve of Them Dead and the Others Seriously Injured—Sickening Sights at the Scene of the Accident—A Curve Hid Them from View.

PATERSON, N. J., July 22.—A fast express on the Erie railroad, behind time and hurrying along over better than usual time, ran it up, whirled around a sudden curve yesterday morning and plowed into a knot of forty laborers standing upon the track. Ten were killed outright, two died in an hour and two others are not expected to live.

The men were at work upon the siding built at 7:17 they heard the slow going milk train lumbering along on its way up from Jersey City. They had plenty of time to get out of its way, and stood on the down track waiting for it to pass. It had almost reached them when the fast Chicago express, an hour late, dashed down upon them. The men gave one shriek of terror and then they were under the iron wheels. The pilot of the flying engine picked them up and tossed them high into the air, under the milk train, and back upon the track, where they were ground into fragments. Some fell down the embankment and escaped disfiguration. Others were torn under one wheel and then under another until pieces of their bleeding flesh could be traced for rods along the track. One poor fellow, who saw the express, leaped wildly over the westbound track and landed directly in front of the engine of the milk train, which whirled him up, and then back on the pilot of the express, from which he rolled and was ground to atoms. Many of the men sprang into the space between the tracks and were knocked about from one side to the other like chaff. Another who sought refuge here had his leg broken by being thrown violently on the pile of broken stones which they were standing. The express was going so fast that, although the engineer reversed his engine and put on the brakes so hard that most of the passengers were brought up standing, the train ran to Hohokus station before it could be stopped. It ran back to the scene of the accident. It was a sickening sight. Pieces of human flesh were scattered all along the track. In one place was a head, entirely severed from the trunk, and bowled along the track like a football. Legs, arms, chits of brains, shreds of bloody clothing, lay in every direction. A great pool of blood, from which a little stream was already running down the embankment, marked where the men had stood. Those who had escaped unhurt were running up and down, shrieking and waving their arms in a frenzy of terror. Some were actually crazed by their horror and ran howling into the woods.

Foreman Carly, who had hurried up to the scene of the accident, set at work at once to gather up the remains of the dead. The express train ran on to Hohokus, telegraphed down the road for medical assistance and sent a construction train back to the scene of the disaster. Six men were found thrown down the embankment and still alive. They were immediately placed on the train and brought to Paterson. There they were conveyed to St. Joseph's hospital and their injuries were dressed. The dead and fragments of flesh were also brought to Paterson and placed in one sickening mass beside the road. Foreman Carly took the coats of the dead men and covered the dreadful pile from view. Later a dispatch from the coroner ordered the bodies removed to the shanties beyond the upper bridge. Subsequently certificates of death were granted.

The collecting of the bodies of the dead was a pitiful task. Their uninjured companions gathered around and watched the work with an agonized interest. Some rough faces, they were weeping. Some clustered about the bodies and filled the air with their wailings and lamentations, occasionally stooping down to kiss the faces of the dead and making the sign of the cross over them. Others knelt down on the stony road and, clasping their hands, looked up to heaven and prayed aloud the prayer for the repose of the souls of the departed. As each body was placed on an improvised stretcher and borne to a baggage car, which served them for a mortuary chamber, the survivors of the frightful calamity uttered shrill cries and tore their hair like madmen.

Agent Marsh, whose business it is to obtain laborers for the railroad company, came to the scene of the accident and made a list of the dead. It was impossible to recognize many of the bodies. The only way their names could be ascertained was by drag back the frightened men who had fled to the woods and then call over the roll of the gang. When this was done it appeared that the dead were:

Dominico Saldorella, Dominico Saldorella, a cousin of the former; Guiseppo Torlo, Bernabo Carmino, Gio Pisarrow, Dominico Stambo, Donato Ambrose, Sonan Orford, died soon after being found; Pasquale de Blanc, died in hospital; Michael Fabio. One unknown.

The injured were: Dominico Serano, aged 33, leg broken and body badly injured; Harry Jones, leg broken and badly cut and severely lacerated; Joseffa Fost, aged 28, three ribs broken, skull much hurt and body terribly bruised; Palermo Taelte, aged 46, leg broken, body bruised and injured internally; Ambrose Michele Canda, aged 33, injured internally and limbs severely bruised and cut.

When the Chicago express reached Jersey City Engineer Samuel Evans reported the accident to the officials of the road. He said: "I left Port Jervis at 3 o'clock this morning with the Cincinnati express; while rounding a short curve near Hohokus I blew my whistle. When the ten flag of the engine I noticed some trackmen. I immediately stopped blowing the whistle and reversed the engine. I certainly did all I could under the circumstances. The force of the collision with the men was so great that the pilot of the engine was broken. The wheels, axles and bottoms of the cars were all splashed with blood as they passed the depot."

Conductor Bomper, who was on the construction train behind the express, said that some of the laborers escaped certain death vitality even after life was extinct. One unfortunate, whose brains were scattered for twenty yards along the track, jumped up three feet after he was thrown aside by the cowcatcher, and another man, whom he went to lift up by the hand while he was yet quivering, caught his wrist in a convulsive death grip, which he was forced to pry gently released. He saw many similar cases, and describes the shrieks and groans of the wounded and dying as something awful.

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After the bodies of the dead had been taken care of, and the four injured had been sent to Paterson, two more wounded men were found in the woods and were sent to the hospital. John Mosheviti, one of the wounded, died there during the evening, making twelve fatalities. Another patient was not expected to live.

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Three Men Killed and Several Others Injured.
Train Superintendent Barrett, of the Erie railroad, said that the men were all Italians. At last entirely with the Italian foreman, from Syria. The men were depositing upon Syria the ashes of sugar cane, which had been strewn over the fields as we can learn, and the English speaking foreman nor the engineer on the train were to blame for the accident."

BIG FIRE AT BUFFALO.

A Brewery and Street Car Stables Destroyed—Loss, $140,000.

BUFFALO, July 22.—About 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon a fire broke out in Gerhard Lang's malt house, at the corner of Genesee and Jefferson streets. By the time the fire department arrived on the scene the fire was under great headway, and, although strenuous efforts were made to check its course, it burned for an hour and a quarter before it could be gotten under control. Sixty-five thousand bushels of grain in the elevators in the rear of the malt house were burned, and a large brick building on Jefferson street, used as a dry kiln, adjoining the elevator, burned like a tinder box inside, and nothing but a portion of the walls remained. The total loss is estimated at about $80,000, of which $50,000 is on buildings. Several firemen were badly injured.

DISTRICT 30, K. OF L.

Powderly Delegates Elected at Fall River—A Mass Meeting.

FALL RIVER, Mass., July 22.—The afternoon session of the convention of District Assembly 30, Knights of Labor, was occupied in electing delegates to the Minneapolis convention. The following were chosen after an exciting contest, out of forty nominees:

Robert Howard, Fall River; J. C. Short, Boston; S. S. Hine, Salem; J. Cowley, Charleston; W. B. Pattison, Cambridge; M. J. Bishop, Boston; E. J. Slattery, Framingham; James H. Mellen, Worcester; Charles H. Litchman, Marblehead; Frank K. Foster, Haverhill.

A monster open air mass meeting was held last night, at which 5,000 people were present. Charles S. Fisher, of Haverhill; George H. McNeill, of Boston; E. F. Morgan, of North Woburn; H. J. Skiffington, of Brockton, and many other prominent labor advocates made addresses, referring especially to the importance of organization. Mr. Skiffington, referring to the reported defection of the shoemakers, said that they were still Knights of Labor and would remain such. The convention will probably close to-day. The delegation to Minneapolis is in favor of the Powderly administration by a vote of 6 to 4.

Churchill and the Nationalists.

LONDON, July 22.—The statement made by Mr. Justin McCarthy at the Parnell dinner Wednesday evening that Lord Randolph Churchill had once importuned the Nationalist party to make him a parliamentary candidate for an Irish seat in the house of commons on an extreme home rule platform has done his leadership no good, if it has not indeed worked him harm; and already his friends are calling upon him to deny it. That, however, would be a difficult matter for him to undertake, since it is alleged that certain correspondence on the subject, which passed between Churchill and the gentleman who acted as go between at that time, is still in existence, and will be forthcoming in event of any display of indignant refutation on the part of the erstwhile Conservative leader.

The Kingston Suicide.

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THOS. E. POWELL WINS

THE DEMOCRATIC NOMINATION FOR GOVERNOR OF OHIO.

The Ticket Completed—Some and Comment—Powell Gets on a Dissent—The Latter Man Took a Little Comfort in Being Turned Toledo for Consolation.

CLEVELAND, July 22.—The Ohio Democratic convention is over, and the result is not a surprise either to the Democrats or the Republicans. The Cuyahoga county boom for Foran and the Hamilton county boom for Campbell were knocked endways on the second ballot, when Powell received the nomination for governor. The Cincinnati men have been working hard for Campbell, and the Cuyahoga delegation nursed their little boomlet for Foran in the highest style of the politicians' art. Foran was pushed forward as a special influence for the laboring element, and his chances up to the time he opened his mouth were good, but just as soon as he gave his views on the tariff, and on things generally, another, the delegates who were favorably inclined to him went over to Powell or Campbell, and when the result of the first ballot was made known Foran's friends realized that his chances for nomination had dwindled down to nothing, for he received only 86 votes, while Campbell had 251 and Powell 321, lacking but 9 of nomination.

On the second ballot thirty of Foran's followers flocked over to Powell, Campbell's adherents remained firm, and the victory for Powell was won. Campbell is regarded as a very strong man, although he had the support of John McBride, the president of the Ohio Miners' federation. McBride is a professional workingman, and is supposed to have a large following of the laboring element.

The general impression among laboring delegates seems to be that a Republican row at Toledo next week would be about the only medicine to remove the pangs of certain defeat. The remaining nominations were made peacefully enough, with some, but not bitter, opposition, until the name of Hon. L. Kiesewetter, the present incumbent, was proposed for state auditor. Here McBride made another exhibition of himself, and when it was proposed to nominate him by acclamation he mounted a chair and brought the cheers of hundreds of delegates down on his head by declaring with great emphasis that if Kiesewetter was nominated in that way he would take the stump against him. This was greeted with hisses. In the confusion increased, and Kiesewetter, mounting a bench, said:

"Mr. President, I am a candidate for this nomination, but I want it made in a fair way. If there are any delegates here who isn't want to vote for me, they have a right to vote for anybody else. I think that they enjoy that right. Let gentlemen make their nominations, and let the ballot be called."

This settled the fight, and after the nomination of Kiesewetter it was made unanimous on McBride's motion.

The Hamilton county delegation, though profess-ing to be pleased, do not act so. The platform does not suit them, others adopted at similar conventions of the party. The administration of President Cleveland was of course laudored.

There was no temporary organization, and the Hon. George E. Seney, of Tiffin, at once took his place as permanent chairman. His eulogized ex-Senator Thurman, saying that he would have honored the office of governor. After speaking of the various candidates for governor, he said all was not harmony in the Republican party. Every nomination and sculping knife, he declared, was sharpened for the fight at Toledo next week. His reference to the presidential contest between Hilfing and Sherman was applauded. He closed that Governor Foraker's administration had been permeated by a desire to promote the interests of the Republican party rather than the interests of the people.

After the nomination of Thomas E. Powell for governor, D. C. Coolman, of Portage county, was nominated for lieutenant governor by acclamation, after one ballot had been taken, the other two candidates withdrawing.

Those other nominations were made:

For judge of the supreme court, long term, L. R. Critchfield, of Holmes county.

For judge of the supreme court, short term, Virgil P. Kline, of Cleveland, defeated ex-Congressman John R. Leedom on the first ballot.

For auditor of state—Emil Kiesewetter, of Franklin county.

Treasurer of state—George W. Harper, of Greene county.

Attorney general—William H. Lee, of Ottawa county.

Member of board of public works—Peter J. Murphy, of Butler county.

Thomas Edward Powell, the Democratic nominee for governor of Ohio, is 43 years old. He is of Welsh descent, and was born at Delaware county, Ohio. While a student at the Wesleyan university in 1864 he enlisted as a private in an Ohio regiment and served four months. Subsequently he was graduated, and having studied law with Col. W. P. Reid, formed a partnership with him. His political career began in 1872, when he was a speaker for Greeley. In 1875 he was nominated for attorney general, and although defeated, polled a larger vote than Governor William Allen. Contrary to his wishes, he was nominated for congress in 1882, and, though defeated by Gen. James S. Robinson, he reduced the Republican majority to 400. In 1884 he headed the Democratic electoral ticket, and in 1885 he served as chairman of the Democratic state convention. During the past four years he has had a law office in Columbus.

American News from London.

WASHINGTON, July 22.—Attorney General Garland said when asked about the opinion on the American alien act, attributed to him in a London dispatch, that he had rendered no opinion about it except to the effect that subject to the president at his request, but that no information about the matter had ever been given out by him or the department of justice. It was referred to the White House that, although the opinion had never been given out for publication, it was not held secret and was given to various persons who were connected with mining operations, and who were desirous of obtaining the information. The president asked for the opinion at their request, and as no restrictions were placed on it in the outline published in the London dispatch is probably authentic.

The Fidelity Bank Swindle.

CINCINNATI, July 22.—Miss Josie Holmes, the exchange clerk of the Fidelity National bank, who is accused by the directors of the Fidelity bank of implication in the big swindle, was found by a reporter at her home in Avondale and brought before the United States district attorney. She was formally sworn and taken to a hotel and lodged for the night. Yesterday morning she appeared before the district attorney for a preliminary hearing. The warrant charges her with aiding and abetting E. B. Harper to wilfully misapply the funds of the Fidelity bank. Miss Holmes waived examination and was bound over in the sum of $10,000. Being unable to secure bondsmen, she was taken to the county jail.

Killed by Lightning.

HAMPTON, Va., July 22.—Two men, one white, the other colored, while walking on the beach here yesterday, were struck by lightning and killed.

THE FORD WILL CASE AGAIN.
Two Suits Brought on Behalf of the Children of T. Ford.
The Ford will case is not settled yet. Two suits have been brought at Kansas City by J. T. Ford, executor of the will of T. F. Ford. One is for a partition of the real estate provided for in the will, and the other for $61,000. The court is also asked to determine which of the two widows is the legal one and entitled to dower interest in the estate. The latter suit is brought to equity for a proper construction of the will.

Two years ago Rev. T. F. Ford died in Madison, leaving a large estate, mostly tying in Kansas City. Ford, who lived in New York, he married a girl who is one year older than he. He then moved to Indiana, and at the end of seven years procured a divorce from her. Soon after he left for Canada, and seven years still later married the young woman who now claims to be his only lawful wife. Ford's brother, who seeks to obtain a share of the estate, claims that the Indiana divorce was not valid in New York, hence the widow living in Madison is not the lawful widow.

Pacific Railroad Investigation.

SALT LAKE CITY, July 22.—At yesterday's session of the Pacific railroad investigating committee, Senator Powell, of Vermont, the Pacific, in answer to questions, said that he had given special rates or rebates when other roads were doing so in order to get business. He had also, while in the Nebraska legislature to explain to members particular features of pending railroad legislation, but had not used any other means than explanation and arguments to influence votes in his favor. He said that it was customary for railroads to give passes to members of the legislature and his road had done the same. John Sharp, of Utah Central, George Wallace, of Salt Lake, and some citizens and mine owners were also examined as to rebates and special rates.

The Harvard Makers.

NEW YORK, July 22.—At yesterday's session of the Harvard alumni association, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, C. Burgess, of Chicago; vice president, J. Meelan, New York; secretary, Gustavus Bodge; treasurer, O. H. Fairchild, Newark, N. J. The question of whether the harness makers should leave the Knights of Labor and form a trades section of the Federation of Labor or Labor was left over until next year's meeting. There seemed to be, however, a divided feeling among the members as to the effectiveness of the present federal board of the Knights. The convention adjourned to meet in Baltimore in July, 1893.

International Chess Score.

FRANKFORT, July 22.—The score of the international chess tournament in progress here stands at present as follows: Blackburn, of London, and Englisch, of Vienna, have won 5 games each; Bardleben, of Berlin, 4½; Mackenzie, of New York, 3½; Paulsen, of Blomberg, 3; Albin, of St. Petersburg, and Metzger, of Kiel, won 2½ each; Schwarz, of Graz; Gunsberg, of London; Zukertort, of London; Weiss, of Vienna, and Schallop, of Berlin, 2 games each.

Perkins Turns States Evidence.

INDIANAPOLIS, July 22.—Samuel E. Perkins, who was bondsman for Auditor Conaway, turned states evidence as expected. His testimony incriminates directly Sim Coy, chairman of the Democratic county committee. He says that Coy offered him a liberally sheets in favor of the Democratic nominee at the dictation of Coy. Other conspirators are indirectly implicated.

Suits Against Robert Garrett.

NEW YORK, July 22.—Papers were served upon Robert Garrett at the Victoria hotel last night in two suits brought by Messrs. Ives & Stayner, one for the performance of a contract for the delivery by Garrett to Ives & Stayner, as a broker, of the consolidated stock in the Ohio and Baltimore properties; the other for pecuniary damages for breach of said contract.

Three Women Drowned.

ARDEN, Ont., July 22.—Mrs. J. W. Mills, one of her daughters and her sister-in-law were drowned Wednesday night. Those three, with another of Mrs. Mill's daughters, were bathing in the lake near here when one of the daughters got beyond her depth and the other three went to her rescue with this result.

Athlete Quinn's Slayer Caught.

PITTSBURG, July 22.—Daniel Lyons was arrested in this city about a week ago for stealing silverware and confessed to the theft. He was suspected of being an eastern crook, and was yesterday identified as the man who killed Joseph Quinn in New York July 5. He will be taken to New York.

Chrome Yellow Buns.

PHILADELPHIA, July 22.—The coroner's jury in the cases of Wolff and Helm, victims of the chrome yellow poison in buns, found a verdict yesterday charging Dr. Ohio regimen and druggists Aschenbach and Miller. Schmidt was held for the grand jury, and the testimony as to the druggists was referred to the district attorney.

New Haven's Ball Club.

NEW HAVEN, July 22.—An effort is being made to raise funds to keep the New Haven baseball club alive. If it is unsuccessful the club will be disbanded Saturday. This would end the eastern league. The ill success of the club is attributed to the bad habits of some of its members.

Cashier White Held.

PHILADELPHIA, July 22.—J. M. White, cashier of The Philadelphia Times Publishing company, was committed by Alderman Jones for trial at the next term of the court on the charge of embezzlement of between $5,000 and $6,000 of the company's funds.

Miss Lamar's Marriage.

MACON, Ga., July 22.—The marriage of Mr. W. B. Lamar, of Washington, to Miss Jennie Lamar, of Macon, yesterday Lamar, occurred at 8 o'clock last night. The Rev. G. R. Lamar, of Dumpolis, Ala., brother of the groom, officiated.

President McNeill's Death.

HARTFORD, Conn., July 22.—President McNeill, of the Shepaug, Litchfield & Stockbridge railroad company, denies that Mr. Starbuck has bought the Shepaug road.

The Pottsville Strike Ended.

POTTSVILLE, Pa., July 22.—The strike at the Fishback rolling mill is ended. The company concedes all the men's demands, and the full force will resume work this morning.

The Eisbe Shield.

LONDON, July 22.—The shooting for the Echo challenge shield at Wimbledon yesterday resulted as follows: England, 1,520; Scotland, 1,550; Ireland, 1,506.

Malt House Burned.

PHILADELPHIA, July 22.—Swedman's malt house, at Newmarket and Callowhill streets, was burned $54,000 by fire last night. Insured.

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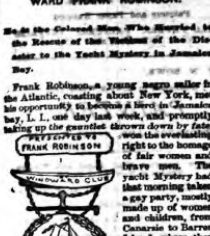
A DUSKY HERO.

HOW THEY ARE GOING TO REWARD FRANK ROBINSON.

He Is the Colored Man Who Smuggled to the Rescue of the Victims of the Disaster to the Yacht Mystery in Jamaica Bay.

Frank Robinson, a young negro sailor in the Atlantic, coasting about New York, met his opportunity to become a hero in Jamaica bay, L. I., one day last week, and promptly taking up the gauntlet thrown down by fate,



ROBINSON'S TROPHY.

won the overbearing right to the homage of fair women and brave men. The yacht Mystery had that morning taken a gay party, mostly made up of women and children, from Canarsie to Barren Island, where they passed the day picnicking. When night came the yacht started on the return trip, but never finished it; for the water was rough, the wind

crafty, overladen with women and children, overset and most of those on board went down to ghastly watery graves.

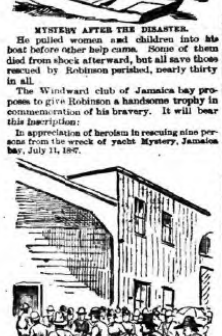
Then was Frank Robinson's chance, and right nobly did he work set before him. He alone was near enough to the scene of the disaster to be able to be of service, and had he been less quick of decision or less brawny of arm he could have done little. As it was he seemed gifted with supernatural strength, and his rowing over the distance between him and the struggling victims of the accident seemed little short of the miraculous.

MYSTERY AFTER THE DISASTER.

He pulled women and children into his boat before other help came. Some of them died from shock afterward, but all save those rescued by Robinson perished, nearly thirty in all.

The Windward club of Jamaica bay proposes to give Robinson a handsome trophy in commemorative of his bravery. It will bear this inscription:

> In appreciation of heroism in rescuing nine persons from the wreck of yacht Mystery, Jamaica bay, July 11, 1887.



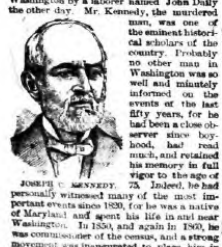
IMPROVISED MORGUE.

The medal will be of gold, larger than a double eagle, and will weigh eighty-eight pennyweights. The design is unique and appropriate. From a bar, on which is to be engraved: "Presented to Frank Robinson," will be suspended a diminutive yawl, emblematic of the boat which Robinson used; from the boat, and connected with it by small anchor chains, will hang the medal itself. The completed piece will represent the Mystery under full sail, with pennant at the peak, surrounded with laurels. On the railroad will be placed these words, used by Robinson when the shipwrecked pleasure seekers scrambled for his fragile boat: "Wait! Children first!"

JOSEPH C. KENNEDY.

The Distinguished Scholar Who Was Lately Murdered in Washington.

Joseph C. Kennedy was brutally murdered in broad day on the most public street of Washington by a laborer named John Daily the other day. Mr. Kennedy, the murdered



JOSEPH C. KENNEDY.

man, was one of the eminent historical scholars of the country. Probably no other man in Washington was so well and minutely informed on the events of the last fifty years, for he had been a close observer since boyhood, had read much, and retained his memory in full vigor to the age of 70. Indeed, he had

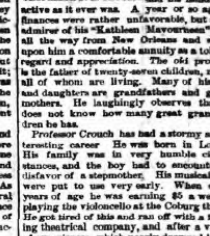
personally witnessed many of the most important events since 1830, for he was a native of Maryland and spent his life in and near Washington. In 1850, and again in 1860, he was commissioner of the census, and a strong movement was inaugurated to place him in the same position for 1890, but Francis B. Walker was appointed instead. In early life Mr. Kennedy was an ardent follower of Henry Clay, and took an active part in Whig conventions. After the death of the Whig party he became known as an anti-slavery Democrat, and at the time of the assault on Senator Sumner in the senate chamber he attempted to interfere, and received from a friend of Brooks a blow that broke his nose. He was on terms of intimate friendship with many of the public men of the war period and following years, and was often consulted by them as an authority on local history. He leaves a son and two daughters, one of the latter the wife of Gen. John H. Bidwell, the noted landowner of California.

THREE BALTIMOREANS.

PROFESSOR F. H. CROUCH.

Special Correspondence of the News.

BALTIMORE, July 10.—The London Society of Arts, Letters and Science has just conferred an honor upon Professor Francis Nicholas Crouch, author of the famous Mayflower song, teacher of elocution and professor of the English language as spoken. He was elected to membership, and the



BEN HOLLIDAY.

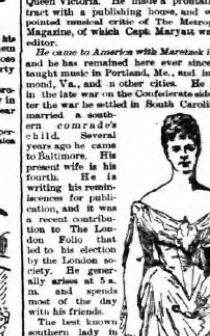
announcement was made by letters from royal personages in answering the invitations he sent to original manuscripts of thirty-one of his numerous works.

He is a wonderful old man. Although 87 years old this month, he is living happily and vigorously in Baltimore, and his mind is as active as it ever was. A year or so ago his finances were rather unfavorable, but a rich admirer of his "Kathleen Mavourneen" came all the way from New Orleans and settled upon him a competency as a token of regard and appreciation. The old professor is the father of twenty-seven children, nearly all of whom are living. Many of his sons and daughters are grandfathers and grandmothers. He laughingly observes that he does not know how many great grandchildren he has.

Professor Crouch has had a stormy and interesting career. He was born in London. His family was in very humble circumstances, and the boy had to encounter the difficulties of a stepmother. His musical gifts were put to use very early. When only 9 years of age he was earning $5 a week by playing the violoncello at the Coburg theatre. He got three years' schooling, and then set out upon a roving theatrical company, and after a variety of experiences, which nearly drowned him in a canal and took him to Edinburgh when the typhus fever was raging, he returned to London and began life anew. His rise was rapid. He played in concert music with such masters as Verdi and Balfe. He became a student at the Royal academy, and he was in frequent attendance at Buckingham palace and Windsor castle. On the death of George IV he was commanded to attend the coronation of William IV and Queen Adelaide. He was in Queen Adelaide's private band, and when parliament, in a fit of reform, cut off the appropriations for this band he again became a wanderer. It was while out of employment and out of money, because of the dishonesty of his business partners, that he was wandering along the banks of the Thames. He was in a poetical mood, and as the lines came from his mind they wedded themselves to music. The result was "Kathleen Mavourneen." Upon its publication he became famous and prosperous. By royal command he attended the coronation of Queen Victoria. He made a profitable contract with a publishing house, and was appointed musical critic of The Metropolitan Magazine, of which Capt. Maryatt was then editor.

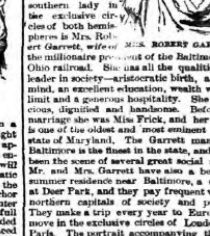
He came to America with Maretzek in 1840 and he has remained here ever since. He taught music in Portland, Me., and in Richmond, Va., and in other cities. He fought in the latter on the Confederate side. After the war he settled in South Carolina and married a southern *woman* and had a child. Several years ago he came to Baltimore. His present wife is his fourth. He is writing his reminiscences for publication, and it was a recent contribution to The London Folio that led to his election by the London society. He generally arises at 5 a. m. and spends most of the day with his friends.

The last known of southern lady in the exclusive circles of both hemispheres is Mrs. Robert Garrett, *wife of* the millionaire president of the Baltimore and Ohio railroad. She has all the qualities of a leader in society—aristocratic birth, a bright mind, an excellent education, wealth without limit and a generous hospitality. She is gracious, dignified and handsome. Before her marriage she was Miss Frick, and her family is one of the oldest and most eminent in the state of Maryland. The Garrett mansion in Baltimore is the finest in the state, and it has been the scene of several great social affairs. Mr. and Mrs. Garrett have also a beautiful summer residence near Baltimore, a cottage at Deer Park, and they pay frequent visits to northern capitals of society and pleasure. They make a trip every year to Europe and move in the exclusive circles of London and Paris. The portrait accompanying this is a sketch of Cabinet's picture, painted recently in Paris.



MRS. ROBERT GARRETT.

No man in this country has made more speeches since the fall of 1885 than the Hon. James Hodges. In November of that year



JAMES HODGES.

Mr. Hodges became mayor of Baltimore and since he has occupied the executive chair of the Monumental City he has exhibited a scope of oratory that has been an unending surprise to the people of that city. He has delivered speeches on almost every subject and every industry. When the brewers held their convention in Baltimore recently the mayor welcomed them with an address that made the history of beer and all the ramifications of that beverage. When Cardinal Gibbons returned home, the mayor met him at the railroad station and delivered a prepared speech, of great length. At school commencements, soldiers' encampments, labor meetings, parades and all public occasions, the mayor has been on hand with his speech. He has been more voluminous with his addresses than Mayor Hewitt, of New York, has with his letters. His oratory is picturesque yet dignified, and it abounds with the first person singular pronoun.

Mayor Hodges is a self made man. He entered the dry goods trade and made a fortune. He still retains his business connections. He is 65 years old. In 1876 he was a United States commissioner to the Paris exposition, and while in France he delivered a number of addresses upon political and commercial questions. He has always been more or less prominent in Maryland politics, and his name is mentioned as that of a probable candidate for the governorship of Maryland this fall. During the past month he has been unusually busy making speeches in Baltimore.

ALFRED ANDERSON

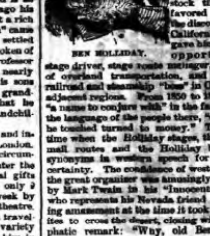
THE TAKE BEN HOLLIDAY.

We have met with the portrait of the late Ben Holliday and his wife, the Rev. Dr. Eaton having presented the former to the Oregon Historical society in honor of the history of the last forty years. That Holliday should start at the very floor of the ladder and by diligence, forethought and energy climb to the top, there to lay down a millionaire, followed by a splendid funeral, laudatory resolutions, and then sink back by a series of unprecedented misfortunes almost to his start-

BEN HOLLIDAY.

ing point, is indeed a matter for wonder—a striking object lesson for those who believe success to be achievement and failure opportunity.

Ben Holliday began life as a poor laborer in the state of New York, went thence to Missouri at an early day, lived in a log house, and lived stock till fortune favored him and he crossed the plains to California. Here gave him his great



MRS. HOLLIDAY.

stage contract over the mountains, a species of overland transportation, and finally a railroad and steamship "line" in Oregon and adjacent regions. From 1850 to 1870 he was in name the richest man in the far west. In the language of the people there, "everything he touched turned to money." There was a time when the Holliday stage, the Holliday steamboat and the Holliday railroad were synonyms in western speech for safety and certainty. The confidence of western men in the great organizer was amusingly illustrated by Mark Twain in his "Innocents Abroad," who represents his Nevada friend as expressing amazement at the time it took the Israelites to cross the valley, closing with this remarkable remark: "Why, old Ben Holliday would 'a put 'em through in a month!"

One of his daughters married the Count Fourtales, the other the Baron Bussierre, both French noblemen of eminence. In those days money was so plenty with Holliday that he bought the grand Ogden farm of 700 acres, in Westchester county, N. Y., and began the construction of a castle to cost $1,000,000. The castle is still unfinished and the farm has passed to other hands; but in the little white chapel on the farm lie the remains of his wife, both daughters and only son. He outlived all his family and died a broken and disappointed man. Of all his fortune little was left except a large claim against the United States—a claim pending for nearly a score of years, and still not allowed. The history of his decline need not be recounted. The war destroyed his southern stage line and the government failed to remunerate him. The rapid railroad construction across the plains and Rocky mountains destroyed his staging business faster than he could dispose of his property. The year 1873 found him with all his available means in the new railroad schemes in Oregon and there was the end. Success came and he did the rest. He was a man of wonderful energy and ability, but he could not fight against fate or swim always against the current.

OSCAR J. HARVEY.

Career of the Big Forger of the Treasury Department at Washington.

In investigation of the career of Oscar J. Harvey, the forger of the treasury department at Washington, who was arrested at Wilkesbarre, Pa., reveals some strange things, among others that some years ago he borrowed sums of money aggregating $30,000 on the supposition that he was to be a participant in the benefits of his father's will. He had had his share of the estate paid once to him previous to these borrowings, and as he was one of the executors was able to keep all knowledge of the true state of affairs in the dark. He had difficulty in securing his wife, a *Miss Holding*, of West Chester, Pa., whom he met when she was a guest of her uncle, Rev. E. J. Smith, of the Wilkesbarre Methodist Episcopal church, now of Buffalo, N. Y. Mr. Smith at first opposed Harvey's advances bitterly. Mr. Smith was overruled in his objections by other relatives of Miss Holding, however, and the wedding was one of the most notable for floral display and general elegance in western Pennsylvania for years.

OSCAR J. HARVEY.

Young Harvey had every educational advantage in youth, and when only 20 years old was graduated with the highest honors at Lafayette college. Shortly after graduation he was made professor of mathematics and higher English in the Wyoming seminary at Kingston, Pa. He founded the "Harvey prize for English" at Lafayette college, contributed a valuable collection of books to the library of that institution and was recording secretary of the Alumni association of the school for years. He was admitted to the Luzerne county bar, has been a director in the Masonic Benefit association of Wilkesbarre and a councilor of the American Institute of Civics, of which the president is Chief Justice Waite.

Previous to his marriage Harvey went abroad and is said to have conducted himself like a lord. He was an adept in pushing himself socially and made many acquaintances in London and Paris among eminent people.

At the time of his arrest Harvey was chief of the horse claims division in the third auditor's office of the treasury.

It has been developed that Harvey kept a diary in which he recorded accounts of his talks with friends, records of his travels, etc. He also kept a set of books for himself, but the officers investigating his case have been unable, thus far, to learn what was done with *the money obtained by his forgeries.* He had no bad habits, and his only extravagance seems to have been that of purchasing expensive books, brik a brac and house decorations. His desk contained thirteen kinds of ink and an endless assortment of pens. In a book were found directions for the use of the various pens and inks for different signatures, which were indicated by numbers. The risks he ran in securing approval of claims prepared by the help of the forgeries were great. The banks that *presented the forged drafts* will be called upon to make the amounts good.

Mentally, morally and physically, man is composed of all things good, bad and indifferent; he is a kind of human rag bag.—Uncle Zeek.

A LIFE OF ADVENTURE.

SAMUEL P. GRIFFIN.

Samuel P. Griffin, one of the survivors of the Grinnell expedition, died recently at the age of 64 at [illegible] Conn. He was born in [illegible] and was brought to New York at an early age. He went to sea at 12 years old and followed the sea for many years. In 1850 he was in command of the Grinnell, commonly called *the Grinnell expedition.* Its object was the relief of Capt. Sir John Franklin and his companions. With two English vessels he started ahead of him and on the same mission, those commanded by Sir John Ross and Capt. Perry, Capt. Griffin was the first to find traces and relics of the illustrious explorer and his party. He also discovered the bay which now bears his name. For these services he was given the thanks of congress, decoration from the queen of England, and the life long friendship of Lady Franklin. After his marriage he retired from the navy, and at intervals afterwards had commanded vessels in the merchant service on every sea, and never cut the underwriters a dollar. Four years ago he secured several large contracts for the Panama Canal company, and up to the time of his death was engaged in business on the isthmus. At the time that he took up this work he was in command of the Pacific Mail Steamship company's steamer Colon as commander of the fleet. It was to him that the company intrusted the steamer City of Pekin on her voyage from New York to San Francisco in 1862 as fleet captain on the flagship Mc-Clellan, under the command conferred upon him by Gen. Banks, he successfully conducted the expedition from New Orleans to the mouth of the Rio Grande, and with Capt. Bosworth, *his second, commanding* the invasion division of the fleet of forty vessels, landed 15,000 troops in the surf without the loss of a man.

Trained to the sea from boyhood, a close and accurate observer, his knowledge of the sea, of seamanship and of ships was profound. Born to command, composed in danger, noble in speech, in form, in feature, he was the ideal sailor, winning respect and admiration for his country men wherever he carried the American flag. A student of all science, he was a frequent and valued contributor to the nautical school journals of the day. A recent disaster recalls the authorship of an international code of fog signals, as perfect as man can devise, and for which humanity will in time recognize its indebtedness to him.

Scorpions as a Food.

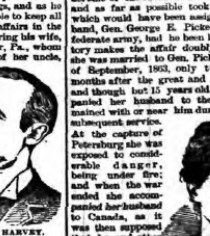
A traveler in Mexico dined one night at a native fonda, where the attendants served up the omelet, or what his observer found heavily, but which he mistrusted, owing to certain black particles mixed therein. Inquiring as to the nature of the suspicious ingredient, he could scarce believe his ears when the reply was given: "Oh, that is alacranes" (scorpions), and investigation showed that this was true, the lower orders thus utilizing the numerous scorpions, which are dug out, hundreds in a nest, their sting being cut off before undergoing culinary preparation.—Chicago News.

MRS. PICKETT AT GETTYSBURG.

The Wife of the Gallant Confederate General and Her Northern Reception.

Mrs. Lasalle Corbell Pickett was the heroine of the recent reunion at Gettysburg, and as far as possible took the part which would have been assigned to her husband, Gen. George E. Pickett, of the Confederate army, had he been living. Her history makes the affair doubly romantic, for she was married to Gen. Pickett on the 15th of September, 1863, only two and a half months after the great and decisive battle, and though but 19 years old, at once accompanied her husband to the camp and remained with or near him during most of his subsequent service.

At the capture of Petersburg she was exposed to considerable danger, being under fire, and when the war ended she accompanied *her husband* to Canada, as it was then supposed that he and other prominent Confederates would be indicted. In their exile they were re-



MRS. PICKETT.

duced to poverty, and when Mrs. Pickett applied for a position as a teacher she was at first rejected, as too young, but passed an examination so creditably that she secured the place. In a little while, however, they found that the United States was as safe for the general as Canada, and they returned, first to New York city and afterwards to Virginia.

Miss Lasalle Corbell, as her maiden name was, was born at Clinckstuck, Nansemond county, Virginia, in 1848, and is, therefore, still a young woman. Her son George accompanied her to the reunion and was the object of much interest. The survivors of Pickett's division were the guests there of the Philadelphia brigade, and the two joined hands in a formal handshake on the spot to which Pickett's men penetrated into the Union lines. They then passed in review before her and rose by one took her by the hand. A very interesting relic produced, and one which also arouses highly, was a letter written to her by Gen. Pickett in the short interval between receiving the order for the charge and the signal, while his division lay in line. He died at Norfolk some twelve years ago. Another valuable relic is the gold watch his mother presented to him while a cadet at West Point, with the first money she earned by translating. Mrs. Pickett had this watch cleaned and inscribed with a list of the battles in which he took part during the civil war in which he had taken part; this she again presented to him on her wedding anniversary in 1867. On the outside of the case she had engraved: "To my husband, from his wife, the Confederacy;" and Union flags crossed, as an expression of trust in a thoroughly restored Union. She has lived to see it, lived to see the most complete reconciliation that ever took place between opposing parties in a civil war; and with only average longevity she may well live to see the time when the young citizens of our common country will look back upon the war as a healthy man looks upon some severe sickness of his childhood.

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"What train?"

"Why, the train you telegraphed me to hold."

"I never sent any such message."

The manager showed him the dispatch. "Oh," said the Wabash man, as light broke in on him, "that must have been Rev. De Witt Talmage, of New York."

"Great Scott!" cried the other in disgust, "and to think that I held a train for half an hour for a New York preacher!"—Lake Shore in Detroit Free Press.

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"What earthly use is Latin to a man who makes violins?"

"Well, I swan! you westerners don't know anything. How do you suppose a factory could turn out Stradivarius violins if none of the hands could write Latin inscriptions!"—Omaha World.

A Woeful History.

Two friends are walking along the street. One of them, pointing to a house, says:

"There's a beautiful place, but it's enough to make a man sad to look at it."

"Why so?"

"On account of its history, for, despite its calm and serene surroundings, it was built upon the groans, tears, wailings and blood of widows, orphans, old men and struggling women."

"You don't say. Was it built by a railroad monopolist?"

"Oh no; by a dentist."—Arkansaw Traveler.

Woman's Ways.

When lovely woman's feet are seen,
And each a perfect picture is,
What does the thief Wig, gracious heavens!
She squeezes them in lumber boots.

And when the years come onward pacing
And show her waist increased in size,
What does she? Flies to tighter lacing,
And shows her suffering in her eyes.

And when old age draws nigh and nigher,
What then does lovely woman do?
She makes herself a right down liar,
And says, "I'll soon be thirty-two."
—*Dapp in New York Mercury.*

Looking for an Internal Improvement.

He sat on a log on the banks of an Arkansaw creek, when a traveler came along and saluted:

"Good day, mister. Waiting for a rise?"

"That's just what I am waiting for," was the reply.

"Got a fishhook up stream?"

"No, sir. I'm a government engineer. Congress has appropriated $40,000 to improve this river, and I'm waiting for a rise so I can find the stream. How long since you saw anything of it?"—Wall Street News.

The Conquering of Self.

Dramatic Critic—I can't imagine how you can appear to be so carried away with your part when according to your own admission you do not feel a word of it.

Great Actress—I became proficient in that art by a long course of training before I went on the stage.

"As a dramatic local?"

"No, I was a sales girl in a millinery store, and when customers were around I had to admire all the new bonnets."—Omaha World.

Prevention Better than Cure.

"I hope, my dear," said a newly made Benedict, "if I should happen to be out nights occasionally you won't be lonely."

"Oh, no, dear," she replied sweetly, "if you should find it necessary to be out I'll send for ma to keep me company."

He's home early every night.—New York Sun.

Popular Among the People.

He (after church)—What a very eloquent man the Rev. Dr. Whitechoker is, Miss Breezy. I was delighted with him.

She (of Chicago)—Yes, there are no flies on Dr. Whitechoker.—New York Sun.

A Curious Oversight.

Husband (full of fine humor)—There is something very curious about Henry George, Wife—What curious about him?

Husband—Why, he hasn't got any last name.—New York Sun.

A Doubtful Compliment.

Candid Critic—Good photo, madame, but it does not do you justice—in fact it does not give you credit—

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Critic—In fact it does not give you credit for the last fifteen years of your age.—Judge.

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JOTTINGS.

—The Cranford Regatta will take place today, weather permitting.

—Rev. J. B. Cleaver will speak to the Berean class to-morrow at 2.30.

—New Brunswick is agitating the question of organizing a Board of Trade.

—A runaway horse on Front street about half-past five o'clock last evening was caught before doing much damage.

—A man named Ammon and another named Thomas had a set to on Somerset street about two o'clock this afternoon. No arrests were made.

—Every young man will be provided with a hymn book and fan at the Young Men's Meeting at Y. M. C. A. hall on Monday evening. Leader, Mr. H. C. Munger. Topic: "The Christian's Occupation—A Co-worker with God."

—One of the wheels on a wagon containing several barrels of flour, consigned to Mr. J. S. Cutter, collapsed at the corner of Front and Somerset street about six o'clock last evening. The flour was transferred to another wagon and duly delivered.

—The base ball players from New Brunswick may be very good ball players, but they are too much given to painting the town red, to suit Plainfielders. They made night hideous in the vicinity of Park avenue and Second street last evening.

—The electric lights in North Plainfield have been extinguished for the past week, owing to unforseen accidents happening to the machinery during the severe lightning of last Sunday evening. The company promise to have them lighted by this evening.

—The Roselle and South Plainfield Railway, a branch of the Lehigh Valley Railroad is being pushed vigorously. The line is about ten miles in length and connects the Lehigh Valley with the Central at Roselle. The land is being purchased, a strip 100 feet in width, and the laying of the tracks will begin shortly. Double tracks will be put down, and the Lehigh Valley will probably run much of its passenger traffic over the Central when the connection is completed.—Elizabeth Journal.

—A conference recently held between the residents of Netherwood and the rector and officers of Grace Church, Plainfield, decided to form a diocesan mission to worship in the now unoccupied Netherwood chapel. The chapel was originally built as a union chapel, the services to be of an undenominational character. This, however, has proved impracticable, and since most of the residents at Netherwood belong to the Episcopal Church it was thought advisable for some sort of a church society to be formed.

—Under the direction of the ministers of Westfield a large tent, 40 by 80 feet, with a seating capacity of over 400 has been erected, and Gospel meetings will be held at least once a week. The pastors want to reach the masses, who seldom or never go to church. As one of the ministers said, "We are going to preach the 'old Gospel truths with the modern incrustations knocked off." A short vocal and instrumental praise service will be held at every meeting. Rev. Mr. Folwell, of the Baptist Church; Rev. Mr. Patton, of the Congregational Church, and Rev. Mr. Owen, of the Methodist Episcopal Church, worked with their coats off in erecting the tent.

Real Estate Transfers

(From the Somerville Messenger, July 20.)

In the matter of the estate of Cyprian L. Tallaint of North Plainfield, who died July 8, letters were granted July 15 by the Surrogates Court at Somerville to Josephine Tallaint as administratrix.

The following are the recent transfers of real estate in North Plainfield recorded at the County Clerk's Office, Somerville, N. J.:

July 1—Charles B. Brown to Clinton G. Bolton, lot in North Plainfield, $3,700. Clinton G. Bolton to Francis A. Brown, same property, $3,700. John Jacobus to Alexander Dalto, 32 acres in Bernards, $475.

July 6—Mary Thorn to James P. Homan, property in North Plainfield, $4,000. John C. Garretson to Josephine B. Moore property in Somerville, $1,000.

July 7—Jane Roome to John P. Emmons, property in North Plainfield, $1,400.

July 9—Cornelius B. Hoffman et ux. to Charles Schoed, property in Somerville, $700.

July 11—Barzilai D. Randolph et ux. to Augustus Woodruff, property in North Plainfield, $1,000.

July 13—Henrietta R. Barry to Evelyn P. Dyer, property in North Plainfield, $1,250.

July 15—William Walter Phelps et ux. to Charles Hyde et al., 4,756 acres in North Plainfield, $475,60.

There and Here.

It took the Commissioners of Appeal of New Brunswick just four days to listen to all complaints and adjust the assessments of that city. During their deliberations they heard, eighty two were granted and the total amount of reduction was $118,885.

The Commissioners of Appeal of Plainfield met one afternoon this week and sat for four hours. They had three complaints two of which were granted and the total amount of reduction was less than $3000.

Assessor Dunn of New Brunswick is serving his first term. Assessor Hubbard is a veteran.

"Plainfield" Expenditures.

Below will be found a very interesting and valuable compilation of official figures showing the amounts paid by the township and city of Plainfield during the past seventeen years, and that will be paid this year for State and county taxes and into the State School Fund.

Years	State and County Tax	State School Tax	Total
1870	$24,980.03	$4,077.00	$29,057.03
1871	26,702.84	3,304.60	30,007.44
1872	31,295.14	2,965.00	33,723.14
1873	30,199.51	6,388.80	36,588.31
1874	31,180.15	7,504.00	38,713.15
1875	30,917.77	8,280.00	39,197.77
1876	27,880.93	8,320.00	36,200.93
1877	31,010.98	8,467.40	39,098.48
1878	21,726.34	9,039.19	30,825.43
1879	20,470.30	9,606.95	29,477.25
1880	19,969.98	9,406.10	29,076.08
1881*	18,865.07	9,922.08	28,887.15
1882	26,477.74	10,956.48	37,434.22
1883	..	..	36,014.90
1884*	26,396.78	11,774.05	38,092.81
1885*	..	..	37,468.29
1886	32,117.34	12,625.06	44,743.02
1887*	29,381.05	12,533.00	41,914.05
Totals			$653,088.27

They are, marked with asterisks are the years when the State tax was not levied. Those marked with the dagger it was impossible to secure in detail.

The average amount paid yearly for State, county and State school tax, during the eighteen years, has been $36,282.51. The table published July 20th, giving the valuation of Plainfield property during the years from 1870 to 1887, showed that there had been a continual increase in valuation, except for the years 1878 and 1879. The examination of the above will show that while the State school tax has grown regularly, yet, owing to the fluctuations in the amount of State and county tax imposed, the total amount paid has had its fluctuations. Beginning with a total of nearly $30,000 in 1870 it increased each year until 1874 a total of over $40,000 tax was assessed. It then decreased yearly until in 1881 it went back to a sum lower than in 1870, namely $28,887.15. Since 1882 it has risen and fallen, but yet, generally speaking, kept increasing until now the total tax paid is over $40,000. It is interesting to note that the total amount paid for the year 1874 was nearly as large as that for 1886, and larger than that which will be imposed this year. The exact figures with reference to Plainfield's taxes and valuations for this year are these:

Real estate	$4,380,675 00
Personal property	921,971 00
Deductions	$102,946 00
Total	$5,199,000 00
Poll	2,094 00
County tax	29,381 05
State school tax	12,533 00

The total valuation for 1887 is a gain of $236,300 over that of 1886.

For most of these valuable statistics THE NEWS is indebted to the courtesy of City Collector Johnson.

An Educational Problem.

Conversation with a well-known member of the Board of Education last evening, brought out the following facts:

The anticipated influx of over five hundred families into the southern end of the city in the course of a few months, has necessarily brought prominently to consider the question of school accommodation for the children in these families. The difficulty will not be in the securing of money to erect a new school building. That can be done under the provisions of a general law. The problem is in knowing of the school will come. owing to the fact that the Board are limited by Section V. of the law of March 27, 1873, to the imposition of a tax "not to exceed one-half of one per cent. of the taxable valuation of the district including the State School tax."

This limitation now would as long as property valuation and population increase in the same ratio, but it is not adapted to such an emergency as is now before the Board. The difficulty would be solved if the people should decide to bear the burden or if a change was made in the provision of the law. It has been changed once. The law of April 3, 1886, continued in force that the sum should not exceed one-fourth of one per cent. of the valuation of taxable property.

This speaks the full difficulty calls to mind the inconsistency of the general school legislation of the State. The intent of the law is that all children shall be accommodated; it provides that they must be and yet it is left to the people to nullify this law every time they vote down the appropriation of means intended to assist in the erection of school houses and the equipment and running of the same.

In a nut shell the situation is just this. The Board will have about the same amount of money to expend, but will have a new school building and new teachers to keep in *effective order and to support unless relief is* afforded.

Athletics vs. Mystics.

Yesterday afternoon a very interesting and exciting game of base ball was played on the grounds adjoining the Potter Press Works, between the Athletics of this city and the Mystics of New Brunswick. The game was called shortly after four o'clock and seven innings were played. Buckley pitched for the Athletics and Sneidenwind caught for the home club until the fifth inning when the battery was changed, Lee and Nelson taking their places. The pitching of both the home pitchers was very effective and they were well supported by Sneidenwind and Nelson. The fielding was also brilliant. The home club however played a better game, Haley pitched for the Mystics and was well supported behind the bat by Teller. The fielding of the visiting club was also above reproach, and it was evident from the start that the teams were evenly matched and the game would be a closely contested one. Mr. F. H. Keller acted as umpire and his decisions gave general satisfaction. At the conclusion of the seventh inning the game stood eight to seven in favor of the Athletics, and they were declared the winners. At its conclusion the home club entertained the visitors in Sengerbund Hall, where refreshments were served. The players were as follows:

Mystics—Haley, p.; Borman, 2d b.; C. Grunewald, 1st. b.; G. Dunn, ss.; W. O'Connell, l. f.; Bauer, c. f.; J. Grunewald, c. f.; Davtit, r. f.; J. O'Connell, 3d b.

Athletics—Sneidenwind, c.; Buckley, p.; Jas. Evans, 1st b.; Lee, 2d b.; Nelson, ss.; Crocker, 3d b.; Dawe, c. f.; Duckworth, c. f.; Beecock, l. f.

This was the second of a series of games between the clubs. In the first game played at New Brunswick the Mystics were victorious.

PERSONAL.

Mayor Male is still confined to his residence.

Miss May Sanford and Miss Kittie Manning, are at the Ocean House, Asbury Park.

Mr. J. H. Jackson of Crescent avenue is registered at the Metropolitan Hotel, Asbury Park.

Mrs. R. H. Depew and Miss Minnie Depew, of Crescent avenue, are registered at the West End Hotel, Asbury Park.

The funeral of Annie C., the eight-months-old daughter of Frank S., and Helen C. Martin, took place from the residence of the parents yesterday.

Mr. E. M. Odam wite and child of Park avenue, left to-day for Manch Chunk and vicinity where they will spend several days with relatives and friends.

Miss Carrie E. Fisher, Howard Leggett, James Leggett, Miss D. S. Fisher and Mrs. R. C. Fisher of this city, are stopping at the Norman House, Asbury Park.

Messrs. Charles and Elston Woodland of Somerset street, North Plainfield, with their sisters, left this morning for Ocean Beach, where they will remain for several weeks.

Mrs. Everitt Marsh, while sitting at the window of her residence on Somerset street last Sunday evening, was badly burned by lightning. She is now almost convalescent.

The funeral of the late Nicholas Lampiter, the German who died Thursday from the effects of a sunstroke, took place from St. John's church in Dunellen this morning, Father O'Reilly officiating. Interment was made in St. Mary's cemetery, this city.

Dr. C. M. Field is recovering slowly from his recent severe illness although he is still weak and unable to resume his professional duties. He expects to sail from New York to-day on the Inman Line steamer City of Richmond and will spend the summer in Europe seeking rest and restored health.

Rev. J. B. Van Meter will leave on Monday next for his summer vacation. He expects to spend nearly part of August with his family at their private cottage, Mountain Lake Park, Maryland, and the latter part of the month at Saratoga Springs, where he has been advised to go by his physician for the benefit of the waters.

A Chapter of Accidents.

Among the colored population of the city yesterday's mishap at Elizabethport will be the subject of discussion for many a day. One old colored woman was overheard to say to another woman last evening: "Dead if dat car had gone much further over, dere wouldn't been much lef dis heah coon."

The accident occurred on the curved spur running from the main line to the Long Branch division, opposite the Elizabethport station.

The train switched off the east-bound main track at the avenue switches, and ran at a slow rate down an extra track to a distance of several hundred feet west of the station, where it turned upon the spur which connects the Long Branch division at the base ball grounds.

The locomotive, tender and one car past safely over the covered spur and had just begin to run on the East bound track of the Long Branch division when the three cars occupied by the people from the Mount Olive camp ground, the rear one narrowing over to the right, the other to the left and the third remaining almost upright.

The excitement throughout the whole train was very great, but particularly so in the three derailed cars. Women and children shrieked, cried and even fainted. Men rushed to the doors and jumped from the cars, some are even said to have jumped from the car windows. No one was injured and the excitement was soon over.

The train was immediately pulled back upon the main line, one of the derailed cars was hoisted upon the track, the train was again made up, transferred to the branch line and went on its way.

Some of the excursionists remembering the delay of the morning, happening as it did to the first section, boarded the second section at night. They again had the pleasure of waiting a half hour at Elizabeth for a hot box to cool off.

Why Two Juries Differed.

A Plainfield jury decided against John Vetterlein in a suit brought against him by the proprietor of the Trenton House for board—the former's defense being that he had paid for the actual number of days he remained at the hotel, and the jury adopted the plaintiff's view that Mr. Vetterlein engaged board by the week and must pay for the whole time of the legislative session during which he had his room and took his meals at the hotel.

Upon appeal, the Elizabeth jury after long wavering decided in favor of Mr. Vetterlein. An application was made on Wednesday by Mr. Howell proprietor for a new trial, on the ground that the Elizabeth jury had in the jury room a printed paper that was not offered in evidence, but which the court had expressly declared to be is admissable, and such printed paper was directly calculated to influence the jury to find the verdict they rendered which was contrary to the evidence. This is duly proved by affidavit of an eye-witness, to explain why the two juries differed. The counsel for Mr. Vetterlein was not ready to proceed and at his request a postponement was consented to until next term of court. The motion for a new trial is represented by Craig A. Marsh, and Mr. Vetterlein by W. R. Codington.

The Woman Returns.

Mrs. Palermo and her children were liberated from the County Jail last evening, and returned to this city.

Application for her appearance before the Grand Jury by an Italian from Elizabeth, it is said. The three younger children, who have been with Mrs. Leid Vilton on North avenue since their mother's departure for Elizabeth, returned home last evening. The authorities do not intend to allow the woman to resume the selling of peanuts on the corner of Front street and Park avenue.

LATEST DISPATCHES.

THE NEWS controls the services of the American Press Association and the United Press, and is the only paper published in this section that possesses a Telegraphic News Franchise.

Thermometer Record.

The following is the record of the thermometer for this day and for the corresponding date of last year, as kept at Sadler's drug store, corner of Front street and Park avenue.

1887	1886		
7 a. m.	75	68	Sun rise
2 p. m.	78	68	Sun set
10 m	82	75	Moon rises
7 p. m.	76	61	Moon sets

Weather Indications.

WASHINGTON, July 28.—For Connecticut and eastern New York, local rains, lower temperature, southerly, shifting to western winds. For New Jersey, local rains, followed by fair weather, lower temperature, southerly, shifting to westerly winds. For western New York, fair weather, winds generally westerly, lower temperature.

A New Jersey Boy Drowned.

MANASQUAN, N. J., July 28.—James Patterson, the 14-year-old son of Archibald Patterson, was drowned near New Bedford here, today while gathering pond lilies.

Charged With Assault.

NEW YORK, July 28.—Chas. Peters, a Union Hill, N. J., brewer, by advice of counsel, waived an examination in a Harlem Police Court to-day to a charge of outraging a fifteen-year-old girl last evening. His wife was with him in court, and claimed that it was a charge of blackmail.

$150,000 Fire

ST. PAUL, Minn., July 23.—The fire which threatened to spread to many valuable buildings here this morning was got under control about 2 o'clock, the total loss being about $150,000. Of this amount C. H. Burbank loses $80,000, buildings $50,000; other loss about $10,000. All the losses are covered by insurance.

The Cattle Plague.

JOLIET, Ill., July 23.—The Texas fever in this County, in New Lenox township, has spread to adjoining farms and the farmers are alarmed. Sixteen head of cattle have died in Florence township, near Wilmington on the route on which the Texas cattle were driven through. Supervisor John Frances was in Joliet to-day to send for the State Veterinarian.

Mr. M. J. Dixon and a Friend Killed by Lighting.

NEW YORK, July 23.—Mr. M. J. Dixon, the well known ice cream manufacturer of this city, was killed in a skiff on Prince's bay, Staten Island, yesterday, with a friend named John P. Ryan, when a storm came up, and both men were instantly killed by a stroke of lightning. The storm knocked the bodies of both men out of the boat. Mr. Dixon's body has not been found. Ryan's body was found hanging to the rowlock, hardly caught by the waistband of the trousers.

Isaac F. Smith, a court officer of this city, was in a boat a few rods away. He says he did not see the lightning, but felt a blow on his forehead and was stunned. On recovering he looked around and saw Dixon and Ryan's boat empty and sunk nearly to the water's edge. He pulled the boat and Ryan's body toward shore until relieved by men who came to his assistance.

Coroner Harvey, of Rossville, held an inquest. There were no extraordinary bruises on Ryan's body, but there was much extravasation of blood and portions of the flesh were burned in a ring, other portions being discolored, as if scorched. Ryan's underclothes and trousers, all the clothing he had on, were torn to shreds. Several coins were found in the boat. There were two two holes found in the bottom of the boat, eighteen inches apart, and connected by, a slit. The bay is being dragged for Dixon's body.

The above is condensed from the New York papers, which nearly all devote a col umns or more to the terrible affair.

A special meeting of the Board of Education last night with the sad intelligence and stated that the body of Mr. Dixon had been recovered before them.

The mother of deceased, Mrs. Mary Dixon, says that her son was killed by lightning. He was the husband of Miss M. J. Morrison, the editor's wife.

Mr. Dixon was forty-six years old, and a native of Ireland. He began the manufacture of ice cream twenty-five years ago, and was the first to introduce machinery for the purpose. He invented the machinery he used, and such excellent cream did he make by the aid of machinery that "Dixon's ice cream" was known as a distinctive article of merchandise. As the crushing of ice, freezing and mixing of the cream could be done so much better by his machinery than by the old-fashioned methods he was enabled to reduce the price from twenty cents per quart, the price when he began, to twenty-five cents, the price he established without deviation for years. He was said to be the largest manufacturer of ice cream in the country, and made from his business hundreds of thousands of dollars, much of which he lost in real estate depreciating on his hands. At his death he was estimated worth $75,000. He was the present assessor his business was larger than ever, and kept his close attention. Mr. Dixon was a skilled sailor, and had been urging him for some time to go fishing, in which Mr. Dixon was deeply interested. He was owner of the Bay Jury Pavilion and was one of Mr. Dixon's largest customers. Mr. Ryan leaves a wife and five children, and Mr. Dixon a wife and two daughters, Minnie, age 16 years, and Lillie, age 14 years. The daughters were summering at Mount Grove when their father's death occurred.

Mr. Dixon's family are Baptists. He was a man of high degree, and for years by the time of his death one of the three trustees of Washington Lodge, F. and A. M., of New York. He was also a member of Thirteen club, and of numerous social organizations.

He had a goddaughter named after him as a G. A. R., a few years ago in the most popular man in the Ninth Ward. He was a great favorite in all his family, and social relations.

William J. Dixon of Newark is the brother of deceased, and is also a large manufacturer of Dixon's ice cream.

Natural Gas Explosion.

BLOOMINGTON, Ill., July 28.—A fatal explosion of natural gas took place at Bloomington, McLean county, yesterday. At the bottom of a 27-foot well, Timothy Buckley, a well digger, struck a match to light a pipe. The match ignited a stream of natural gas and the explosion which followed blew the fixtures from the well and left Buckley a prisoner in the flames. Miles Brooks, John Kearley, Tom Buckly and others on the surface were badly burned in getting the unfortunate man out of the well.

Murdered While Merry Making.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., July 24.—Mrs. Emma Hault of this city has been arrested for murder upon a finding by the coroner of Bartholomew county. Mrs. Hault and Mrs. Howell went with a pic-nic party from Edinburg, Johnson county, and one morning a member of the party appeared at Columbus and said Mrs. Howell had fallen from a log and broken her neck. When the woman was found she had a large gash upon her head, and the coroner's verdict charges the whole party, Mrs. Hault included, with murder. The young man implicated are Ivory and Frank Cutsinger, James Thompson, Elias Meyr, J. R. Spurgeon and Andrew Oakes, all citizens of Edinburg and members of the oldest and most wealthy families in Johnson county.

President Tyler's Son Dying.

WASHINGTON, D. C., July 23.—John Tyler, the son of the late President Tyler, is lying very ill at his residence. He has been confined to his bed since last Saturday from the effects of what is pronounced by his physicians to have been a sunstroke. Mr. Tyler is now 68 years old, and has spent the quarter part of his life in this city, while his father was President he lived at the White House, and performed the duties of private secretary. He has lived for a number of years in Florida and for a time practiced law in Philadelphia. He is a member of the of the Knights of Labor in this city. He has also taken an active part in the temperance cause, and is identified with the Journalists and other temperance organizations. During the last few years he has held a position in the Treasury department.

Blaine and Carnegie.

BRIDGE OF EARNE, Scotland, July 23.—A reporter called at Mr. Carnegie's residence to-day for the purpose of interviewing Mr. Blaine. It was not Mr. Blaine's wish to answer to a question as to Mr. Blaine's plans said: "Of course we don't know definitely, but he and his family are to make a little excursion of three days to the Land of Burns and the Trosachs. Mr. Blaine comes back here after doing the Burns country. In the course of three or four weeks he will have to a four-in-hand drag tour around Aberdeenshire Highlands. Myself and Mrs. Carnegie are determined to purchase a summer house in Scotland, and we are now considering several offers. You know I am going to run down to Skibo Castle, Dornoch Association September 13th on American Home Rule. About the same time we go to Stirling, where several national statues are to be unveiled. One of them, of Walter Scott, has been presented by my wife. I shall have a number of Home Rulers to stop with me at the British parliament rises, but who they are deal not been known until they come."

The Reform Club—The Hall and the Proposed Excursion.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE NEWS:—This Reform Club is of different make up from any organization of our city. It stands altogether upon the benevolence of the people for its support. Its membership is composed of all religious denominations, in the church or out of it, and of the outside world. Each member is expected to conform to the requirements of the club, which are simply a abstain from the use of intoxicating beverages. The object is to reclaim drinking men, to throw safe-guards around the rising generation and to save the moderate drinker from the dangers that naturally follow. Our safe-guards are found in higher aims. We wish to save men from the dangers of last manhood, a drunkard's death and a drunkard's grave; to raise them to a higher state of living, more desirable, to a saving knowledge of truth, to maintain the object of his creation in the image of our common Creator. No one can dispute but that by this club many men have been saved from their cups, and are now filling places of trust in the business business men for themselves and their families and are made happy, while they themselves have become members of different churches in good standing. The benevolence of the people bought a pat on the ball in good condition, at a cost of nearly $10,000. This hall has been kept in good order for several years by club dues of 25 cents per month, collections and donations, and what has been received for the rent of the hall for various objects, and not a dime has been paid from an excursion. Everybody is invited free to this hall. Its parlors are open day and evening to the people. No one can enjoy reading [illegible] and the library, and to play innocent games, that they may enjoy and keep from the haunts of vice, gambling associations. Every good and well disposed person of our town ought to consider it a pride to help this club out in order to get the order and neatness preserved. If they would do just that they would soon make it an institution that every well-wisher of society should be proud of. The institution is out of debt to the amount of its furniture when it is paid for. They have no desire to let the use of the hall to the injury of the feelings of any church or society. They wish to keep it strictly speaking a religious institution, aims to elevate men to become Christians. The hall has come to be a necessity for many theatricals, against the wishes of some of its members and some outsiders, but this is not being brought before the public in the manner of Music Hall do, without being scolded or complained of. Yet the club is willing to could mend to, if the people will manifest their interest and benevolence to maintain its continued existence. It would be glad to have every citizen and child pass by our city to come members. It only costs 25 cents a month. There have been a number of fairs, picnicking, the club without resorting to any seeming discreditable means for support, from which it has received a small amount. At a recent business meeting of the club, see that unobjectionable officers are elected, and that the money raised is [illegible] and in a good order" if they think it has not always been so done, there would be no reason for complaint. The club has made an excursion to Rockaway to help its finances, as it did last year. It then cleared over $100, and we would be glad to do the same. Arrangements made have been made with Mr. Baldwin to take the excursion to Jersey city by cars, and thence to Rockaway by the fine steamer and return for the sum of $1.25 for adults and 75 cents for children. Mr. Baldwin controls the cars and will not allow any one to take intoxicants, but has no control of the line of steamers to Rockaway. We do not think the boats usually have bare upon them, and some have objected to the excursion on this account, but we see no worse there than on the cars and our decree and in our own city all the time. We cannot control the use of our liquors now upon the boats. If we go to Rockaway we must accept the situation as it is, if we want the luxuries of the route and the scenery of that beautiful beach. The club is not able to hire a big and safe steamer and pay $800 to $1,200 to go for our express benefit. Now, let every good disposed person purchase tickets. The trip itself is well worth the money, and the more tickets sold the greater the profits to help along the club and the temperance cause.

A MEMBER.

Money Flowing In.

City Judge Ulrich is daily in receipt of letters from persons in this vicinity have undriven wells enclosing the $10 royalty due the patentee. These letters are in response to circular letters to the number of a thousand, recently issued by Judge Ulrich as attorney for the patentee informing such persons of the recent decision of the U. S. Supreme Court. There has been no disposition shown by any one to contest the claim.

Cent-a-Word-Column.

A SITUATION wanted for a good, steady, trustworthy young woman as general housework. Understands all kinds of cooking, and is a splendid washer and ironer, and a good nurse. Her last employer, on account of death in the family, is breaking up housekeeping. She has been with him for two years, and with her previous employer nine years. Best of references. Address or telegraph to William H. Jacques, Metuchen. 23-2

A 50-TRIP ticket book, dated July 9th, numbered 1142, and issued to F. Moon, has been lost. Please return to Reynolds drug store. 23-2

A YOUNG MAN wanted on a gentleman's place to care for grounds, horses, etc. Give reference and address P. O. Box 1309. 23-2

A COACHMAN of good reputation and Plainfield references, wants a steady situation. Is careful and industrious. Address Anthony Jonas, Dunellen. 19-5.

FOR SALE—A few desirable lots on Spooner avenue corner Division street, cheap. Also a number of lots in neighborhood of Grand avenue station. J. T. Vail, agent opp. H. R. station Plainfield. 7-14-6F

FURNISHED ROOMS to let, with or without board, at No. 11 West Second street. 5-23tf

HOUSE and lot with stable near Grant avenue for sale, splendid opportunity for investment, buildings in good order. Address Box 1396. 7-8-eod-6F

LOST—Dog strayed away from Adam Fritz, silver and white pointer. Heavy coat of hair. Ten dollars paid for return to Smalley Brothers' butcher shop. 18-6

MONEY to loan on first mortgage. Box 1211. 2-4f-s

PROPERTY for sale to settle up the estate of the late Lewis Jones, deceased. Lots corner of Grand avenue and Clinton avenue; also new house and lot on Front street, near Netherwood avenue, now occupied by Mr. Marks. Terms made very easy. Apply to Evan Jones, Park House. 20-5

TO LET—Two houses on Craig Place, all improvements, eleven rooms each, $30 per month. Apply to Isaac Brokaw, 113 Front street. 7-25-tf-s

WANTED—A young girl to act as nurse and waitress. Apply to Mr. George Taylor, Netherwood. 23-3

WANTED—A boiling lot, south side R. R. station, between Washington street and Plainfield avenue. Address Box 1270, Plainfield, N. J.

50 INCH BICYCLE (Rudge) for sale cheap. Address for particulars Box 673. 23-2

WANTED—A girl for general housework. No. 3 Sterling Place. 19-tf-s

YOUNG girl wanted for light house work and to assist in the care of children. One who can sleep at home. Sherwin's, 22 W. Front street. 20-tf

Special Notices.

A SPECIAL MEETING of the Plainfield Fire Department will be held Tuesday evening, July 26, at eight p. m., in Camelle Hall.

By order of B. A. MUNFORD, President.

7-26-2t-3F

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Werner's Mammoth ONE PRICE CLOTHING HOUSE

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WOODRUFF MUST YIELD,

HIS RELATIONS SECURE A CHECK FOR $15,000.

Found in Newport and Brought Back to New York in Charge of a Lawyer. How the Check for $60,000 was Indorsed and Almost Cashed.

NEWPORT, R. I., July 23.—Marcus G. Woodruff, of New York, who was accused of having raised $75,000 on securities belonging to his father-in-law, David Salisbury, has arrived in New York in charge of a lawyer. Woodruff was a joint trustee with his sister, Mrs. Southack, and his mother up to a couple of weeks ago, when for certain reasons he was relieved of his responsibility as trustee. He, however, obtained possession of a certificate of thirty-seven shares of stock of the Chemical National bank which stood in his father's name, and with this as collateral he secured two checks, one for $60,000 and the other for $15,000, from Mr. Parish, president of the New York Life Insurance Trust company. Woodruff passed the $60,000 check to Mr. R. V. Gilliatt in this city. The latter deposited the check in the Union National bank, and the Adams Express company was almost sending in the money for the check when an injunction stopped them. The money still remains in the custody of the express company.

R. V. Gilliatt is a man 24 or 25 years of age, a son of Mrs. John H. Gilliatt, residing on High street, in this city, but now in Europe. He rather surprised Cashier Coggeshall, of the Union National bank in this city, Tuesday, when he presented a check for *$60,000*, to be cashed, Coggeshall, however, knew young Gilliatt well, and said that he would cash the check if Mr. Gilliatt would endorse. The check was drawn to the City bank in New York in favor of M. G. Woodruff. Mr. Gilliatt endorsed the check, saying that it was for a friend, and it was forwarded to New York by Adams Express. Wednesday Coggeshall sent for young Gilliatt, saying that he wished to see him. Gilliatt, supposing, he says, that the money had arrived, hastened to the bank, when to his surprise he was informed that the check had been stopped. Gilliatt then went to William F. Sheffield, one of the most prominent lawyers here, and laying the case before him asked what he should do. Sheffield said, "Do nothing." Gilliatt then repaired to his lodgings, on Bellevue avenue, and awaited developments with his friend Woodruff. He was not kept long in waiting, however, as George E. Conger, a New York lawyer, arrived Wednesday morning, and, securing the aid of Detective Richards, began the work of ferreting out the mystery.

After waiting all Thursday and most of yesterday the two men succeeded in getting Woodruff into a corner, and that gentleman acknowledged the "corn" and produced the remaining check for $15,000, which was drawn the same as the first one, but which had not yet been indorsed.

No arrests have been made, but Woodruff was shadowed constantly by the detective until last night, when he took the Sound steamer for New York in charge of Lawyer Conger. The latter says he is recovered, but still there is a tinge of mystery about the whole affair which vexes the parties interested. The detectives' work is not yet finished.

Troubles in Bulgaria.

BUCHAREST, July 23.—Russian and Bulgarian agents who arrived here yesterday reaffirm the statement that M. Radoslavoff, late prime minister of Bulgaria, is a prisoner at Varna, charged with treason. Armed bands of marauders overrun Bulgaria and the country is in a state of terrorism.

The Chess Tournament.

FRANKFORT, July 23.—In the chess tournament yesterday Bardleben beat Harmonist, Blackburn beat Zukertort, Burn beat Schiffers and Tarrasch beat English. The game between Metzger and Noa was drawn.

Twenty-five Lives Lost.

LONDON, July 23.—News is received here that the British ship Firth of Olna has been lost in a cyclone off the coast of Java, and that twenty-five persons—all on board—perished.

CONDENSED NEWS.

Nine new cases of yellow fever have developed at Key West, Fla., but no deaths have occurred. The new cases are mostly children.

An express train over the New Haven road struck two horses and a buggy driven by Henry Jennings, of Southport, Conn., and killed the horses and fatally injured Mr. Jennings.

The railway station agents at Minneapolis reconsidered their action and decided to hold their next session at Philadelphia instead of Mammoth Cave.

The Pavonia, which arrives at Boston next Friday, will bring back from Ireland the remains of the late venerable Father Murphy, for so many years pastor of St. Mary's Catholic church at Fall River, who died while visiting the land of his birth.

George Hoffman, aged 65, a prominent brewer of Baltimore, shot himself through the brain and died shortly after. He had suffered from rheumatism for several years, and his mind is thought to have been affected.

The first special transcontinental train of ten cars from California passed through Chicago, five cars being dropped at that city and the other five taken on to New York. The freight on the ten carloads from San Francisco to Chicago was $6,000.

George D. Colby, aged 30 years, superintendent of the Gore iron works at Port Leyden, Lewis county, was drowned while bathing in the St. Lawrence river, near Thousand Islands park. His body was recovered.

A man who has been doing business in the open boarded trade at Chicago under the name of George Brown, was arrested in that city as being Horace C. Jacques, who several years ago burned his elevator at Pewaukie, Ind., collected the insurance and left his creditors in the lurch, getting away with $30,000. He confessed.

M. Katkoff, the editor of The Moscow Gazette, who has been seriously ill, is slightly better.

Mr. Robert M. McLane, the American minister to France, attended the British naval review at Spithead.

Mr. Balfour, chief secretary for Ireland, has arrived at Dublin. All the division magistrates and leading county officials have been summoned to attend a conference on the condition of Ireland.

DAN LYONS CONFESSES

THAT HE MURDERED ATHLETE JOSEPH J. QUINN.

The Father of the Murderer Claims There Was a Plot to Kill Quinn—Found in Jail in Allegheny City Under an Alias—Sharp Detective Work.

NEW YORK, July 23.—The expectation that Dan Lyons, the murderer of Athlete Joseph J. Quinn, would reach this city last evening a prisoner, made the Thirty-fifth street police station the center of interest for the people of the district are still very much worked up over the murder. It was commented on the morning of July 5, the day Quinn, being a very popular young man, a margin clerk in the Cotton Exchange, and a member of the Pastime Athletic club and prominent in local social organizations. He was shot in front of his home at No. 301 East Thirty-eight street, corner of Second avenue, and died two hours later in Bellevue hospital, after making the dying shot declaration.

Capt. Ryan and his detectives got into confidential relations with some of Lyons's gang, and succeeded in getting two good photographs of him from the albums of two girls in the neighborhood. They also got a tip that Lyons was in Pittsburg, and, on their second visit there on Thursday, Detectives Reilly and Polhemus of Pittsburg found him in jail in Allegheny City, under the name of George Allen. He had committed a burglary, and had been arrested while pawning the stolen silver.

Lyons, having no lawyer in Pittsburg to advise him to keep still, talked freely there yesterday, and this is his version of the murder:

"There was no woman in the case. Quinn was a fat fighter and handy with a club. He was a better man than I am. He had insulted many people, and they had gone to the mayor's office and complained about him, and they were told by the police officers that unless they could get a writ to get revolvers and shoot him. On the Fourth of July, as I was going home past Quinn's corner, Quinn stopped me and asked me if I could 'do' another of the corner crowd, Mr. Hall, who is a postoffice inspector. I said that was only a job to 'do' me up. Then Quinn hit me over the right eye with a heavy hickory stick. I was knocked senseless. When I got up I tried to get my handkerchief from my back pocket, when two or three of Quinn's gang stuck the muzzles of their pistols in my face. 'I will do you up that way every time you come around here,' Quinn said to me.

"Some days (hours) after that they came to my mother's, where I was sleeping, and, bursting the chain off the door, told my mother they were after me to kill me.

"I went to bed this night (July 5) after going home about 5 o'clock in the evening, when I passed Quinn, who was talking to two other parties. Quinn turned around and made several steps toward me and said, 'Oh you up,' at the same time fingering a Chinese fan dagger, shaking it out as if ready for use. I felt for my gun at once, as I knew we would have trouble, and as I did he struck out the fan and I fired. He was not sitting on the steps as reported. He had tried to jump on me and drown me a few days before that up on the Sound. There is a crowd of us now hailing. I ran away after the affair and the papers got down on me.

"I went to Canada first," Lyons said, when asked about his movements since the murder. "I came here from Chicago broke and wanted something to make a little raise on. I had told my folks to send me a bundle of clothes and some money here, but they did not come, and I did that little burglary to get some change till they would come."

Lyons says he has a crowd of us ready to New York without a requisition, but the law does not permit this to be done. There will be a delay of at least a week in getting Lyons here, as there is no grand jury in session here, and requisition papers have to be founded upon an indictment.

While Capt. Ryan was obtaining the situation last swaying Lyons' father entered the station house. He was very skeptical about the identity of the Pittsburg prisoner. "You'll not get Danny Lyons," said he. "Armed until you arrest Johnny Corr. If there's anybody going to hang there will be more than one. You arrest Corr and then you can get my boy easy enough."

Lyons told his story freely after leaving the station house. "If Danny shot Quinn," said he, "he was not alone in it. Alexander Neil and John Corr and Danny were all sore on Quinn. He was a fighter, and had licked them all. They made up a plan to do Quinn up and furnished the pistol and Corr loaded it. I don't know if Danny fired it or not. Mrs. Corr furnished the money for him to get away, and he has got some of Johnny's clothes on now. Capt. Ryan don't want to settle Johnny Corr, because his brother Joe was a witness for the captain when he was on trial."

Capt. Ryan says that he arrested Corr, but Corr was discharged. Neil was also arrested, and is now in the house of detention, held as a witness.

Pittsburg dispatches say that Lyons did leave Pittsburg yesterday afternoon in custody of Mullaney and Duncan, and will be here this morning.

A RAILROAD ACCIDENT.

The Engineer's Watch Was Two Minutes Slow. Hence the Accident.

CINCINNATI, July 23.—The Montgomery accommodation train on the Cincinnati Northern road, due here at 1:45, collided with a switch engine at the Oak street tunnel, Walnut hills.

The Montgomery accommodation had two well filled coaches. Most of the passengers were ladies, and the excitement for a few minutes was intense. It soon became evident that no further damage had been done to the coaches, which had not left the track, and quiet was soon restored. None of the passengers suffered beyond the shock and a few bruises. All were able to walk away and seek medical attention at the neighboring physicians' offices. The engineer, was seriously injured, but the physicians attending him thinks he will recover. Engineer Crook and the fireman of the construction train are blamed for the accident. It was due to the fact that Engineer Crook's watch was two minutes slow, while the passenger train, it is said, was a little ahead of time.

A Sensational Story About Boulanger.

PARIS, July 23.—La France maintains that the story it published about Gen. Boulanger having been approached with offers to place him at the head of a military movement to restore the monarchy, and his indignant and patriotic refusal, is strictly authentic, and demands that Gen. Ferron, minister of war, authorize Boulanger to publish the names of the men comprising the deputation that made the overtures.

Railroad Accident in the West.

INDIANAPOLIS, July 23.—A Vandalia engine and a freight cars went through from the track yesterday on the bridge over White River by a misplaced guard rail. The bridge was badly smashed and the train narrowly missed going over. John Griffin, the switchman, was thrown into the river and drowned.

POWERFUL EMIGRATION.

Mr. Carpenter Gives Some Facts Made on the Petitioners for the Emigrant.

WILKESBARRE, Pa., July 23.—Master Workman Carpenter, of D. A. 1, has written a letter on the emigration question. In a communication to Hon. John R. Burett, editor of the Scranton Truth, he says:

In regard to the statement published in The Scranton (Republican, viz., that my plan contemplates the exclusion of all foreigners except the few who come provided with sufficient means to support themselves for a year if necessary, without employment, I desire to state that I never said that the emigrant should come provided with sufficient means to support himself for a year if necessary. It is because so many of them are without employment, and become many of the crowd out citizens, as of employment that I do not want the emigrant to come until he can be sure of employment without robbing another of it. That is the reason I say that they should be required to handle this problem in the near future, and the fullest light possible should be shed upon it. The editor of The Republican, when in congress, voted to exclude the Chinese. Was he not un-American to do so?

"Why single out the Hungarian? What does it matter to the American workingman that I have taken the situation away from him and does the work for less pay? I would as leave have a Hungarian take my situation as an Irishman or an Englishman. The cost to me would be the same in the end. But, then, Hungarians and Chinese do not vote and this makes a difference. I would shut out every man and woman who would deprive an American citizen (native or naturalized) of his employment. It sounds very fine, and it certainly is sentimental, to say that this country is a home for the oppressed, and that it is un-American to talk of keeping people away from our shores, but with 1,000,000 men and women out of employment, and the number increasing with every month, it will soon be anachrisian as well as un-American to invite people here to starve them."

THE PRESIDENT INVITED

To Visit St. Louis After the Grand Army Has Departed.

WASHINGTON, July 23.—The MAYOR of St. Louis has telegraphed President Cleveland, asking if he would receive a delegation from that city who would come here to extend an invitation to the president to visit St. Louis after the Grand Army has gone. The president replied that he would be here on Monday to receive the delegation.

The president, of course, has known for some time of the determination on the part of the St. Louis people to urge him to make a western tour, notwithstanding his declination to attend the Grand Army reunion, and has been consulting the matter, but has not yet decided whether or not he will go. Other invitations from western cities to make them a visit are on the way, or will soon reach him, notably one from the citizens of Kansas City, who are desirous of having him pay a visit to the National Agricultural exposition which opens there early this fall, and it is thought quite probable he will make up his mind to make quite an extended western trip after his visit to Atlanta.

The Chicago Boodlers.

CHICAGO, July 23.—After the opening speech for the defense in the big boodle case yesterday the court took a short recess, and the ex-county commissioner, Charles P. Kern, was called as the first witness for the state. He testified that he and several of his colleagues had accepted "commissions"—bribes—from a number of contractors. He gave in detail the fraudulent transactions, and stated that there were secret meetings of the commissioners at which plans were made for robbing the public in this way. Warden McGarigle, he stated, acted as collector of the "commissions" and paid to each member of the "combine" his share of the spoils. Lynn stated that he had received ab ut $5,000 in all as his portion of the commissions extorted from contractors for supplies furnished to the county institutions. His damaging story, although not unexpected, created a sensation in court.

The Failure of the Guns of the Atlanta.

WASHINGTON, July 23.—Secretary Whitney, in speaking of the failure of the guns of the new cruiser Atlanta, said she is meant for a fighting ship and must be further tested. He therefore, appointed the following board of officers to test her capacity for carrying heavy guns: Commander Goodrich, Lieut. A. R. Cowden, Naval Constructor Hobbs and Assistant Naval Constructor Nixon. This board will accompany the Atlanta on an extended cruise, and subject her guns to a severe test on a route sufficiently long to test her in all sorts of weather and weather, and, in a word, to put her to a test which will determine whether she is thoroughly fitted for naval warfare. The Atlanta will put to sea for the test within a week or two.

A Treasury Department Decision.

WASHINGTON, July 23.—The treasury department has decided that animals of high grade and value imported from Scotland or other distant countries for breeding purposes are entitled to free entry under the tariff law, notwithstanding the fact that they may be intended for sale. This ruling reverses a decision of the collector of customs at Detroit, who assessed duty on ten valuable stallions imported from Scotland for the purpose of breeding. It soon became evident that no further damage had been done to the coaches, which had not left the track, and quiet was soon restored. None of the passengers suffered beyond the shock and a few bruises. All were able to walk away and seek medical attention at the neighboring physicians' offices. The engineer, was seriously injured, but the physicians attending him thinks he will recover. Engineer Crook and the fireman of the construction train are blamed for the accident. It was due to the fact that Engineer Crook's watch was two minutes slow, while the passenger train, it is said, was a little ahead of time.

German Officers Disappear.

BERLIN, July 23.—The garrison at Metz is in a state of excitement over the prolonged absence of a party of German officers belonging to the garrison who started to attend the national fete at Nancy and have not since been heard of. The officers were attired in civilian garb and could not be recognized as German soldiers. It is supposed they were arrested while watching the review, or that they became involved in a quarrel, resulting in a fight brought about by the discovery of their nationality.

A Counterfeiter's Sentence Deferred.

NEW YORK, July 23.—Ramón Anjona, who was convicted last year of counterfeiting a Bolivian bank note under pretence that the fac similie was an advertisement, was arraigned for sentence yesterday. His counsel represented that the Bolivian government were inclined to drop the case, consequently Anjona's long imprisonment was a punishment. Sentence was deferred to allow proofs of this statement to be produced.

Mr. Garrett Off for Europe.

NEW YORK, July 23.—Mr. Garrett sailed for Liverpool on the Etruria early this morning. There is no new development in the New Jersey consolidation.

THE SWIFT VOLUNTEER

SHE GIVES GOOD PROMISE OF RETAINING THE CHAMPIONSHIP.

Her Trip Once Marshland to Naband Shows Her Splendid Sailing Qualities. The Sailing Master Enthusiastic Over the Perfect Working Order of the Ship.

MARBLEHEAD, July 23.—A rain storm yesterday morning kept yachtsmen under cover, and delayed the opening day's cruise of Gen. Paine's wonderful new boat, the Volunteer. The fleet crafts lay until afternoon where she had dropped anchor the evening before.

She is a handsome craft which is not of her qualities could be found than the iron sloop Priscilla, which lay 100 yards away. The New York boat is within a few feet of the same length as the Bostonian, but is not scarcely half as large. What first strikes the eye in the Volunteer is the look of tremendous power, long, overhanging, sweeping clipper bow and clumsily fashioned body, tapering to her duck tail stern with her great free-board, all contribute. It is her freeboard especially which makes her seem more than the low-lying Priscilla almost like a line of battle ship threatening a sloop of war. The Volunteer's beam is made the more conspicuous by the fact that she has no deck cabin and she seems finer than the Mayflower and Puritan. Her heavy bowsprit and long masthead add to her appearance of power and solidity.

Capt. Hank Haff, the Volunteer's sailing master, fairly scintillates with delight and enthusiasm. He thinks the new boat a perfect witch. "She'll sail ten feet to the Mayflower's one," he declared, and it is fair to say that when he left Boston harbor, on the Volunteer's first trip, he did not believe he was in charge of so good a boat as the one he delivered to Mr. Morgan in New York last week.

At 2 o'clock the wind, which had been light from the south, showed signs of freshening, and Capt. Haff gave orders to get ready to *start for Nahant, Gen. Paine's home.* The crew quickly responded. The mainsail covering was taken off, the anchor weighed and jib set, and at 2:15 o'clock the Volunteer swung around and stood out of the harbor. She moved very slowly, as the wind was light, and she had only her small jib and a score of boats filled with men and boys followed her, and on the various headlands were crowds of men and women, who waved their handkerchiefs and cheered her as she passed. Capt. Haff returned their salutes by waving his hat. The schooner yacht Ambassadress gave her a parting salute, and at 2:30 o'clock the Volunteer passed Point Neck light. A $1,250,898.24, Gen. Cutting having borrowed that amount of money, including interest on numerous blooded stock, which he had every confidence would prove effective.

DECISION IN THE CUTTING CASE.

The Referee Accuses Him of Gross Fraud.

NEW YORK, July 23.—Hamilton Cole, referee in the Cutting estate case, rendered his decision yesterday. By it Gen. William Cutting is declared to have appropriated to his use $1,840,575.89 worth of the property left by his father, Francis B. Cutting, in 1876. Of this sum $1,707 rightfully belonged to Gen. Cutting, but the rest of it was held by him in trust for the other heirs. The amount he now owes these principal and interest, is declared to be $1,961,960.46. Referee Cole holds that the Farmers' Loan and Trust company should pay over to Lydia Cutting as executrix of the will of Lydia Cutting for the benefit of the children of Brockholst Cutting $1,250,898.24, Gen. Cutting having borrowed that amount of money, including interest on numerous blooded stock of the Cutting estate, and applied it to his own use. The report also makes various charges of fraud against Gen. Cutting, among them that he borrowed and appropriated various large sums, which he obtained by pledging as securities stocks, bonds, etc., belonging to the Cutting estate; that he paid various large losses in his own stock speculations from the funds belonging to the estate, and that he made various false entries in his books to conceal these frauds.

Can't Tell Why They Get Sick.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., July 23.—An outbreak of illness resembling dysentery, complicated with malaria, has occurred within the past few days in the vicinity of the Commercial Park hotel. The water has been tested and found to be pure. The boarders have all fled from the hotel and the affair has almost killed the proprietor, who gave rise to a sensational report that she was disabled. Capt. Haff indignantly denies that such was the case, and all the boarders are pleased with the Volunteer's performance.

An Application Denied.

NEW YORK, July 23.—In the suit of Townsend Cox against Edward Stokes and the United Lines Telegraph company, Judge Barrett yesterday denied the application for a receiver. The latter is unnecessary, but says that Mr. Stokes unquestionably represented the reorganization committee in the purchase of the Bankers and Merchants' Telegraph company. Judge Barrett granted an injunction pending the suit against the securities in the Trust company.

The Car Closes a Railway.

ST. PETERSBURG, July 23.—In obedience to the edict of the Czar the frontier station on the line dividing the Russian and Russian Poland, where goods are unloaded and transferred in transit over the railway connecting Warsaw and Thorn, West Prussia, has been demolished, and the tracks, sheds and railway bridge removed, thus virtually closing the railway.

Reading Strikers Become Work.

READING, Pa., July 23.—A conference between the managers of the Reading Iron works and a committee of the 1,800 men who are on strike against a 10 per cent. reduction resulted in an agreement that the men go to work Monday and finish up the large amount of orders on hand at the old rates, the question of the reduction being deferred until new work comes in.

Troops Not Required.

HARRISBURG, Pa., July 23.—Governor Beaver has informed the sheriff of Westmoreland county, who recently asked for troops to aid him in the Monongahela coke works riotors, that the emergency does not warrant the calling out of troops. The sheriff telegraphs late that all is quiet now.

The President's Movements.

WASHINGTON, July 23.—The president and Mrs. Cleveland went to Oak View last evening to spend a few days with them at the country residence during the remainder of the summer.

$30,000 for Williams' College.

SPRINGFIELD, Mass., July 23.—The family of the late Josiah Leffie have given $30,000 to Williams' college to endow the Lesli gymnasium, founded by Mr. Lesell.

Export Duties to be Abolished.

MADRID, July 23.—It is learned from an authentic source that the Spanish government has decided to abolish the export duties on Cuban sugar, molasses and spirits.

An Attachment for $14,000.

SUSQUEHANNA, Pa., July 23.—The Globe hotel works were attached yesterday on executions and amounting to $14,000. The works contains operations.

Vanderbilt and His Yacht.

LONDON, July 23.—Mr. Vanderbilt has started for Cherbourg, where he will join his yacht, the Alva, on a large party of guests.

THE BRITISH WORKINGMEN.

Are Pressed Very Hard by Lord Salisbury.

LONDON, July 23.—The deputies of workingmen that called upon Lord Salisbury yesterday to demand protection to the laboring classes from the effects of the low prices observed by cutrate foreign competition suffering industries and schedules was the most representative body of the genuine workmen ever appointed by the English prime minister on a similar errand. The deputies upon any pretext, and the premier was not slow to recognize the fact. The deputation was received with the utmost consideration and the undoubted importance of their mission was given due attention.

In replying to the statement of grievances presented by the deputation Lord Salisbury declared his sympathy with the workmen, manifested by his visitors and indicated in the plainest possible manner his thorough appreciation of the disadvantages to which British workmen are subjected by the pernicious system in vogue abroad, and against which there are now no legislative restrictions whatever to be enforced. Referring specifically to Englishmen to return blow for blow denotes that the leader of the Conservative party is at last alive to the vital importance of mitigating the condition of the laboring classes and the strong arm of the government is to be lifted in their behalf in their contest against foreign incursions into the products of English labor which would render competition impossible. The indignation of British workmen against an illegitimate foreign conspiracy, Lord Salisbury said, was not only justifiable, but was quite natural. If the proposed European conference upon the subject of complaint should fail to provide means of relief the government, he declared, would itself exercise the power which he had every confidence would prove effective.

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[Special Correspondence.]

HAVANA, Cuba, July 2.—Over to the south of us loomed the Great Stirrup Key. A formidable danger to seamen, shooting out great ledges which rose here and there above the water like black and sprawling tentacles of some monstrous devil fish; while back within the wrinkly rocks rose the lighthouse, white and solemn as a majestic monument among the dark and dreary shades of a myriad rotting graves. Still beyond and behind, and maybe a score of miles away, were seen here and there upon the flaming morning's horizon the black silhouettes of straggling gaunt palms and toppling cocoa trees, suggesting strad and worn sentries stark still upon some Nile and plain. Tropic lands are kissed by ceaseless zephyrs, intoxicated by wonderodors, bathed and flooded in eternal summer; but now and then the sea or land, or both, present aspects which strike the receptive mind with a sense of loneliness that is awful.

But there is not a more interesting spot on earth or sea than these very Bahama banks. To know about them as you may by a leisurely sail over them of from four to six knots an hour, as was made by our heavily laden but sturdy old craft, will pay for many a rough hour's experience in advance. Everybody knows that somewhere off our Florida coast are the Bahama banks; but whether they are banks of sand, or mud, or oyster shells, or are the magical things they are, few but seafaring men know or care. Even the latter are by no means generally informed about them, for vessels drawing more than fifteen feet of water cannot cross them. The great steamers, barks and ships reach Cuba from America, and often European, ports exclusively by the Bahama channel and Gulf of Florida —nearly four hundred fathoms of water on account of swift Gulf Stream tides and ever varying winds—and all other large craft bound west from Europe hug the northern shore of the Windward Islands on the way to the north. But schooners, brigs, brigantines, barkentines, and all manner of lesser vessels, make this remarkable passage "across the banks" if sure of fourteen or fifteen feet of salt water between water line and bottom of keel. Woe betide them, though, for any miscalculation, for, while the balmy trade winds ever blow the best of the path from Hole in the Wall Cubaward is as plain, as level and as sure as a paved, endless street to a horseman, many and many a skipper bold, who has thought there was "west" enough on the banks to float his vessel, whether the hydrographers (who have sounded every ship's length over the submerged continent) said so or not, has of a sudden heard the keel of his craft grind into the flinty coral, and, stanch as she might be, come to a groaning halt, to be beaten to pieces by the waves or become plunder of the wreckers. The latter lie in wait for just such reckless sea captains on every hand behind the keys, and once let a vessel's bottom get caught in the coral bed of the banks, in almost an instant, in every direction, the horizon will be dotted with the smart sails of rakish craft, all swooping down like vultures upon their prey.

The Bahama banks proper begin at Matilla, opposite the Florida bay of St. Lucie. They extend in a southeasterly direction, gradually thinning as they go, to a point opposite the southeast coast of Florida, from thence growing narrower and preserving a surface regularity generally conforming with the chain of islands themselves, terminating in Navidad bank, just above the northeast coast of Cuba. Their length is nearly 1,000 miles, and their width varies from fifty to 600 miles. To the east they merge into the Bahama Islands, but on the west soundings of 800 fathoms have been made from the almost perpendicular sides of the marvelous creations of marine life; for every atom of this almost inconceivable formation is the result of insect labor.

To some little idea of this deep sea wonder close your eyes for a moment and imagine a chain of mountains, thousands of feet in height, against one side of which stands a precipitous wall of the purest honeycomb, white as snow, extending thousands of miles, and rising like a wall to nearly the elevation of the highest peaks, and whose upper surface, for all this distance, is as level as a floor. That is exactly what you could see here, could the ocean be sucked dry, and you be allowed to stand in the tremendous channel where the Gulf Stream chafes and surges eternally.

The width of the banks at Hole in the Wall is no more than seventy-five miles; but the course will without exception by vessels bound for Cuba bears so far to the south that the distance is a trifle over 125 miles. Every inch of this alabaster like surface can be seen from your vessel's deck. Station a sailor amidships and let him "heave the lead" every five minutes during the whole distance, and he will call out all day long: "Two an' a half fathoch, sir!" "Two an' three-quarter fathom, sir!" "Two an' a half, sir!"—"an' three-quarter, sir!" until the sameness in tone and depth would be startling.

The water itself is remarkable in brilliancy of color and translucence. Such shades of green were never elsewhere seen. The lace like fringe of every wave curl or of curling scroll of water is seen threaded with emerald, glittering among the snowy white with a sparkle, gleam and shimmer that are entrancing. And what a rare and wondrous treat it is to stand the day through at the vessel rails and peer down into this crystal space where the whirling forms of sea life move in their eternal wars and silences, with such friendly, such loving nearness! Why, it seems that you can step out upon that blinding floor of white, and wander at will with these sprites of the sea! You feel that you can reach over there and drag your hand softly over those dark masses of sponge which now and then the vessel's keel casts a shade it, and, the sea not with which you used to catch minnows when a boy, you could take mackerel, humming bird fish, sun fish, and a hundred other darting, ornamental fish which sacrifice flash their gorgeous colors in your very eyes, and you thrill to do it. To me this was a day of days, all too short, but one of those days in a man's life which, from its kind of the marvelous forms and curiosities in nature's mighty secrets, rils say one but a fool of the last vestige of infidelity, in the tremendous suggestiveness of the omniscience of the all creating God.

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I can imagine how the goggle eyed schoolmaster would have beamed over the coral ledges which rose here and there above the water like black and sprawling tentacles of some monstrous devil fish; while back within the wrinkly rocks rose the lighthouse, white and solemn as a majestic monument among the dark and dreary shades of a myriad rotting graves. Still beyond and behind, and maybe a score of miles away, were seen here and there upon the flaming morning's horizon the black silhouettes of straggling gaunt palms and toppling cocoa trees, suggesting strad and worn sentries stark still upon some Nile and plain. Tropic lands are kissed by ceaseless zephyrs, intoxicated by wonderodors, bathed and flooded in eternal summer; but now and then the sea or land, or both, present aspects which strike the receptive mind with a sense of loneliness that is awful.

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Double Hole in the Wall and Keeper Thereof.

Double Shot Head Keys is a group of islands, or rather keys, which lie off the northeastern point of the Great Stirrup Key, and which mark the northeastern point of the Bahama banks. Double Hole in the Wall is a passage through the keys, and is the only one for vessels drawing more than ten feet of water. Double Shot Head Keys and kept the lighthouse there. The English government, beneficently taking cognizance of the needs of the commerce of the world, the couple out here in this endless isolation, but they were still irresponsible under the woman's canny prowess. The yellow light from their balcony home shot as far as three miles distance over on our port quarter, and I learned, when our indignant captain had quieted somewhat, that they were known the seas over as the most cold-blooded beggars in the ocean's history; that they lay in wait for every vessel passing north and south, and, after "hooking on," would trance this way for miles, begging and bullying for anything they might whoodle or force from the ship's stores—on this occasion the tributs being the toughest old piece of corned beef the cook could raka out of the barrel with the shark hook.

By the next midnight the great light on the lower end of Mary Ann Cay was dimly sighted; at dawn the grim headlands along the north shores of Cuba were clearly visible, and soon we were in fine view, though laboring through a tremendous sea, of the strange and quaint city of Havana, the gay, winsome and romantic capital of the enchanted Antilles pearl.

EDGAR L. WAKEMAN.

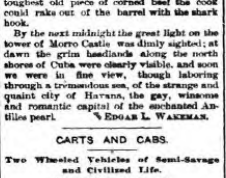
CARTS AND CABS.

Two Wheeled Vehicles of Semi-Savage Civilization.

[Special Correspondence.]

BOSTON, July 19.—I had occasion to take the hansom cab with a friend of mine this morning, and as we threaded our way through the narrow and crooked streets of the Hub, my friend, who is a Western man, fell to talking of the various two wheeled vehicles he had seen in different parts of the world.

"Perhaps the strangest vehicle of any kind I ever saw," he said, "is the cart used by the Indians and half breeds of the northwest. Its chief peculiarity consists in the fact that it is made without the use of an ounce of iron of any sort. The shafts, axles and wheels are made of some tough wood, the axletrees and linchpins of the iron wood of the northwest, and

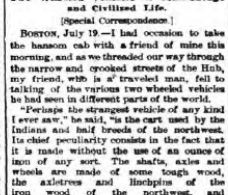


AN ENGLISH HANSOM.

the various parts are bound together with rawhide thongs or fastened with iron wood pins. I don't know whether the iron wood used in the same as we find in the states, but I do know it is a very hard, tough wood, and that the carts made by the Bois Brules of Manitoba, last about as long as any farmer's cart in New England. No, they wouldn't last so long here, on hard roads.

"Who are the Bois Brules? Well, they call themselves natives, but the whites up there call them halfbreeds and Bob Rulys. They are descended from the Scotch trappers of the Hudson Bay company, and are brown in color, hence the French term, bois brules, signifying burnt wood.

"They harness a single ox to one of these carts and it serves for every purpose to which a wheeled conveyance can be put. These carts are also used by the Chippeways and the Swampy Cree of Manitoba and Dakota."



BOIS BRULE CART.

The hansom cab is a rather new importation to America, though it has for many years been the favorite cab in English cities, especially in London, where it originated. It is an easy thing to ride in, but one cannot help wonder how the driver manages to keep his horse under perfect control from his perch over and to the rear of the leather hood. Yet we rarely hear of accidents to hansoms.

In some cities in this country standard cabs are used instead of hansoms, but they do not ride nearly so easily. The standard cab is a box on wheels, with the door at the back and the driver's seat in front.

C. B. ALLISON.

THE CITY OF ADELAIDE.

JUBILEE EXHIBITION IN THE SOUTH AUSTRALIAN CAPITAL.

Progress Since the City Was Founded in 1837—A Magnificent Water Supply. Imports of South Australia—Growth of Railroad and Telegraphic Facilities.

An exhibition was recently inaugurated at the city of Adelaide, the capital of South Australia, the object of which is a jubilee celebration, commemorative of the founding of that city in 1837. There are few cities that have made more substantial or rapid advancement than Adelaide in a similar period of time.

The city was named after the queen of William IV. It is about six miles from the east shore of St. Vincent's gulf and 515 miles northwest of Melbourne, and is picturesquely situated upon a fertile plain, ascending at many points a fine view of Gulf St. Vincent. On the south and east is a magnificent amphitheatre of hills. Though the river Torrens is not navigable, it gives the city a fine water supply and divides it in two parts. South of the river is the business part of the city, on the north the residences, and still further in the suburbs, Adelaide has a population of 110,000.

KING WILLIAM STREET, WITH POSTOFFICE.

King William street is the principal thoroughfare of Adelaide, though Hindley street is the business street. A railway connects the town with Port Adelaide, six miles northwest of the city, through which passes most of the commerce of South Australia. There is a large export trade in cereals, wools and minerals, especially copper. Gold is assayed at Adelaide in large quantities. The export of wool is over 7,000,000 pounds annually, and shipments of fine copper over 100,000

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owt annually. The total value of South Australian exports is enormous, enormous, and most of this trade centers at Port Adelaide.

The town is well planned and built. It has a fine university, public library and art gallery, hospitals and government buildings. It has ample postal, telephonic and telegraphic facilities, and many pretty squares and parks. Adelaide was the first Australian capital brought within telegraphic communication with Europe. It is an important center also of the railway system of South Australia, where there are about 1,400 miles of road open for traffic.

RAILROAD VIADUCT.

The Botanical gardens are the source of much pride to Adelaide, and justly so. These were established in 1855 and are a great triumph in landscape gardening. The place has eleven banks. A good idea of the substantial character of public buildings may be had by study of our pictures. That all branches of engineering are carefully studied is evident from the view given of a viaduct on the Adelaide and Melbourne railroad, not far from the former city.

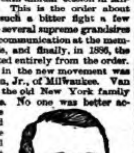
When the next decennial census is taken, three years hence, it is computed that New York city will have a population of 2,000,000 and Brooklyn of 1,000,000.

THE PATRIARCHAL CIRCLE.

Something About the Order Lately in Convention at Milwaukee.

The Supreme Temple of the Patriarchal Circle held its seventh annual session in Milwaukee last week. This is the order about which there was such a bitter fight a few years ago. Three several supreme grandsires issued edicts of excommunication at the members of the circle, and finally, in 1886, the circle was separated entirely from the order.

The real leader in the new movement was Peter Van Vechten, Jr., of Milwaukee. Van Vechten comes of the old New York family of the same name. No one was better acquainted with the workings of Odd Fellowship, he having filled all offices up to that of past grand sire, and deputy grandsire. It is related of him that when grand master of Wisconsin he memorized all the work of the five degrees, and could fill any chair and deliver the lecture or charge without the ritual. What is more, he made the officials do the same, so that in more than a dozen lodges of the state the ritual was not used except for new officers to memorize their work.



MR. VAN VECHTEN.

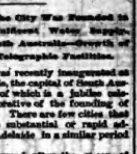
The order is strictly military. Being a military order, one of the leading attractions at each session of the supreme temple is a competitive drill between temples from the various states. For several years the first prize was carried off by the temple from Rochester, N. Y. So often was this repeated that the temple was considered invincible. Last year, at St. Paul, the temple from Anderson, Ind., took the first prize.

The drill this year took place in the great exposition building, which was last year the scene of the big stenografest. The building occupies an entire block and the main floor is large enough to maneuver a regiment, while its seating capacity is sufficient to accommodate thousands of spectators.

THE EARL OF ABERDEEN.

A Noble Stage Driver Now in the United States.

A real live lord is now a sore evil in the United States, and the Earl of Aberdeen, who has just arrived in New York city, is indeed, as the subject of all sorts of curiosities all the way from Boston to the west, and in Chicago Lord Gordon-Gordon, there rivals Lord Aberdeen with his "old Rich" and "Lord Hamilton Gordon," and "Lord Aberdeen."



LORD ABERDEEN.

The latter is the real article, and is a real live lord, and a very nice one, too, in the bargain. He is a younger son of the present Earl of Aberdeen, who is the head of the Gordon family, and is, consequently, the brother of Lord Haddo, the eldest son and heir apparent to the earldom. Lord Haddo is now the premier of Scotland, and Lord Aberdeen is generally, he is second earl of Aberdeen, in the Gordon family, and Viscount Gordon in that of the United Kingdom. He was also honored by the lord lieutenancy of Ireland during the last Gladstone administration, which gives him another title, local to that country, and a prominent place in the Irish heart, for his administration was very popular there. He is accompanied by his wife, so the register of the Brunswick hotel in New York where they have established their entry: "Earl and Countess of Aberdeen." As the engraving shows, he "looks every inch a lord," being a tall and handsome man, while his countess is almost as tall as her noble husband. Their voyage thence to England will complete a tour around the world, which they began last December. On June 11 they reached Van Couver's island from New Zealand, and have traveled leisurely across the continent, visiting, of course, Salt Lake City, Denver and other places of note, diverging to Toronto to visit the wife of the countess' brother, and to St. Paul to see another brother, and stopping a while at Niagara Falls. In many places, especially at Chicago, they were honored by the most elaborate entertainments, while the Gladstonian sympathies with the Gladstonian movement for the reform of Irish government and amelioration of Irish conditions.

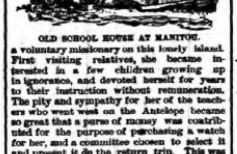
The earl was born in 1847, succeeded to his title in 1870, married the daughter of Lord Tweedmouth in 1877, joined the Liberal party in 1879, and became lord lieutenant of Ireland for a short time in 1886. He has one girl and a boy. He is accompanied in his tour by Professor Henry Drummond, of Scotland. He receives all sorts of people with much affability, even to the point of allowing representatives with a freedom somewhat surprising. He is an ardent defender of Gladstone's Irish policy, is anxious to get home in time to vote against the coercion acts in the house of lords, and is confident the home rule for Ireland idea will soon triumph.

TEACHERS IN CHICAGO.

Reminiscence Suggested by the National Convention Held There.

Chicago has but barely recovered from the visitation of the national educational conventers which it recently sustained on the occasion of the holding of the National Teachers' convention there. From all accounts the gathering was a most successful one for those concerned, and the exposition building, where the convention was held, has rarely contained so great an aggregation of good looks and good heads as did during the session. But it is not with the convention that this article has to deal directly, but with a reminiscence brought out in a fata number of The New England Journal of Education. It seems that the statement had been made that this teachers' convention was the first ever held in Chicago. This is shown to be a mistake, for a teachers' convention was held in Chicago twenty-five years ago. On the return trip of the New England delegation the party stopped at the island of Mackinac, and here is the description given of the visit:

"Before reaching Manitou we learned from the officers of the boat that there was a school upon the island. Delighted at the prospect of an opportunity to visit a school, and espe.ially so romantic a one as this was pictured to be, we set out at once, on landing, for the log cabin schoolhouse. The description gave us little idea of its primitiveness. There was a hole in the roof for a stovepipe, one in the end for a door, and two on the sides for windows, which, with numerous large cracks between the logs, gave ample opportunity for light and ventilation. The only piece of school apparatus in the room was an Mary D. Adams described it, 'a blackboard about two feet short by eighteen inches narrow.' The school was taught by Miss Angelica Bass, of New York. She was



OLD SCHOOL HOUSE AT MANITOU.

a voluntary missionary on this lonely island. First visiting relatives, she became interested in a few children growing up in ignorance, and devoted herself for years to their instruction without remuneration. The pity and sympathy for her of the teachers who were present on the Arabique became so great that a purse of money was contributed for the purpose of purchasing a watch for her, and a committee chosen to select it and present it on the return trip. This was done. The sequel to the watch, as related to us, was that after marriage, like other indulgent mammas, she gave the watch to little Angelica to name and wear, she threw it into an open grate and it was destroyed. A sketch of the hut in which Miss Bass taught was made by a member of the party, afterward photographed, and no doubt is found among the souvenirs of the trip in many collections, as it is in our own."

England's Secret Treaty.

The secret treaty between England and Turkey, by which the former power binds itself to evacuate Egypt within three years, will never be carried out, for the simple reason that it was never intended to be carried out. When the Czar Nicholas said, in 1853, to the English ambassador, Lord Stratford de Redcliffe, "Take Egypt and let me alone," he figured out precisely the results which thirty years later were to be realized. So long as Russia has the possession of part of Armenia and the lines of communication between the Black sea and the Afghan frontier, so long will England remain in Egypt as the sole security for her Indian empire. If once the Suez canal could be closed, England's hold on India would not be worth a cent. Then may be promises to go once, and continue to French sentiment or Russian servitability, but England—like Russia—never gets out of a country till she is driven out by force of arms.—Baltimore Herald.

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Leave New York at 6.00, 7.35, 8.40, 9.40, 11.00 a. m.; 12.00, 1.00, 2.00, 3.00, 4.00, 5.00, 6.00, 7.00, 8.00, 9.00, 10.00, 11.00 p. m. Sunday at 8.40, 9.40, 11.00 a. m.; 12.00, 1.00, 2.00, 3.00, 4.00, 5.00, 6.00, 7.00, 8.00, 9.00, 10.00, 11.00 p. m.

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Passengers for Newark Avenue change cars at Plainfield.

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Leave Plainfield at 8.10, 7.14, 8.55, 9.21, 11.32, a. m.; 2.00, 3.15, 4.30, 5.10, 6.30, 7.14, 8.55, 9.21, 11.32 p. m. Sunday at 8.10 a. m.; 4.47 p. m.

Leave Somerville at 6.05, 6.35, 7.00, 7.19, 7.55, 8.15, 9.30, 10.15, 11.15 a. m.; 12.55, 2.00, 3.50, 4.45, 5.30, 6.15, 6.40 p. m. Sunday at 8.15, 11.00 a. m.; 1.00, 4.15, 6.15, 9.00, 11.00 p. m.

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Leave Plainfield at 8.10, 8.14, 9.23, 9.51 a. m. 2.05, 3.16, 4.34, 5.16, 6.35 p. m. Sunday at 8.10 a. m.; 4.47 p. m.

Leave Staten Island at 6.30, 7.30, 8.30, 9.30, 10.30, 11.30 a. m.; 12.30, 1.30, 2.30, 3.30, 4.30, 5.30, 6.30, 7.30, 8.30, 9.30, 10.30, 11.30 p. m. Sunday at 9.30 a. m.; 12.30, 5.15, 7.00 p. m. Sunday at 7.15 a. m.; 1.00 p. m.

Westward Connections.

8.10 a. m.—For Easton, Delaware Water Gap, Manch Chunk, Tamaqua, Williamsport, Driftwood, Buffalo, Niagara Falls, Suspension Bridge, Rochester, Syracuse, Oswego, Utica, Little Falls, Richfield Springs, Oneonta, Binghamton, Elmira, Corning, Watkins, Geneva, Canandaigua, Rochester

THE LIMEKILN CLUB.

New Light Thrown on Our Foreign Relations.

Col. Strategem Zollicoffer, chairman of the committee on foreign relations, submitted his quarterly report, three which was secured the following points of general interest:

"We are all right with France, on tolerable good terms with Germany and darkening over rel with England. The annexation of Canada may come in time, but don't bet on it. Since it became generally known that one hundred could capture, over the Atlantic coast line at her pleasure this country has been mighty cirl to all powers having truculade, and will probably continue that way. Civility is the per thing in war."

FOR CAUSES.

The committee on applications reported unfavorably on the candidature named:

Judge Exchange Johnson, of Canton, O., for having been sent to jail for stealing two sheep. He sought to explain that he thought the two sheep were simply one pig, but the wool wouldn't wash.

Elder Huckleberry Banks, of Toronto, Ontario, for false pretenses, he having a wooden leg and being deaf in the right ear. In hunting up the case it was also discovered that he had twenty-one bird shot in the calf of the other leg, and he refused to explain how they got there.

Professor Antimony Jackson, of Grenada, Miss., for several suspicious incidents connected with his career during the past year. One of these incidents was being found in the post office at night, where he claimed to have called to inquire for a letter. Another was in having two razor backed hogs penned up under his cabin, and when the owner of the animals came around the professor claimed that he took them for crows.

THE CLOSE.

There being no further routine business of a perishable nature on the table, Brother Gardner said:

"In gwine to our homes let us remember dat de man who walks in de middle of de road can't be slugged with a sand bag from de alley. While we part as frens, an' while each member should carry home a fraternal feelin', de parson who walks off wid my hat will be made to wish he had nebber bin bo'n! We will now adjuct."—Detroit Free Press.

Alexander III Takes a Trip.

The car started out on a pleasure excursion.

To travel a few miles by rail,

With stockings of iron that he had to pry on, and a steel undershirt that wouldn't show dirt, and a riveted ulster of mail.

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And he took for his friends on this pleasure excursion

An army of soldiers so rough,

With gun and with cannon, with flag and with pension, with carloads of shot, and a necklace strung full of sunken and rifles and stuff. Says he: "I will be tame if we find any game

And don't have ammunition enough."

So he started forth on his pleasure excursion.

His family and fan loving czar;

And they halted, 'tis reckoned, on every third second, hit the wheels with a wisck, and examined the track, and tore up the floor of the car.

"What a jolly sweet life," said the czar to his wife.

"This pleasure excursion, ha! ha!"

—S. W. Fam.

Alleged Extract from London Telegraph.

"It is amusing what absurd statements our countrymen have made with regard to Buffalo Bill. This distinguished personage, we learn from a trustworthy source, was at one time a planter in Cleveland, O., where during many years he raised bananas and a peculiar sort of fruit which the Americans call squash. After selling out his farm in Cleveland he went further east to St. Louis, where he began the somewhat dangerous business of bear trapping. His first exploit of any moment was his fight with Gen. Custer, whom he mortally wounded. He was, after this, in the wholesale jewelry business with Hon. Jesse James, governor of Missouri. But he never gave promise of greatness until after he went into the war between Kentucky and Mexico. He commanded the right wing of the Kentuckians, and received Santa Anna's sword at Shiloh. A detailed history of his life might make an interesting book, especially his adventures among the Missourians."—Arkansaw Traveler.

A Needed Definition.

Omaha Dame—Don't you think it is about time the title "lady" were bestowed only where it belongs?

Omaha Philosopher—I certainly do, madam. No word in the language is so misused.

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"A lady, madam, is a human being of the feminine gender who is not afraid to be called a woman."—Omaha World.

Always Mention the State.

Omaha Man—Will you be kind enough to mail this letter for me, I haven't any stamps?

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"Isn't it? John Smith, 40 X street, St. Louis.' What's the matter with that?"

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What He Knew.

"Do you know the family next door?" inquired the bill collector of a small boy on the doorstep.

"Sloop."

"Isn't the name Green?"

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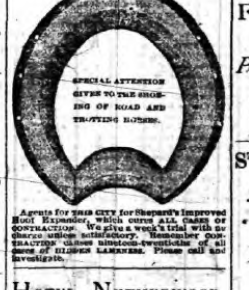

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LAWS OF NEW JERSEY.

[BY AUTHORITY.]

CHAPTER CLIII.

A further supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning the courts of chancery" (Revision), approved March ninth, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five.

1. Be it enacted by the Senate and General Assembly of the State of New Jersey, That section seventeen of said act be and the same is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

17. And be it enacted, That when the complainant resides out of the state he shall before the time arrives for the defendant to appear, cause a bond to be executed by a resident of this state, sufficient person being a freeholder and resident within the state, to the defendant in the penal sum of one hundred and fifty dollars, conditioned to pay or cause to be paid with effect, and to pay costs to the defendant if he shall be entitled thereto; and have the same bond filed with the clerk or deputy clerk before the complainant's solicitor, who shall file the said bond and take proceedings thereon, shall be responsible for the same, and the defendant such costs as he may be entitled to by the rules of the court, not to an amount not exceeding the penalty of said bond, or in case the said bond shall not have been filed within the time aforesaid, the complainant may deposit a sum of one hundred and fifty dollars, conditioned to pay or cause to be paid with effect, and to pay costs to the defendant if he shall be entitled thereto; and have the same

7. And be it enacted, That this act shall take effect immediately.

Approved April 26, 1887.

CHAPTER CLXXII.

An Act for the promotion of industrial education.

1. Be it enacted by the Senate and General Assembly of the State of New Jersey, That whenever in any school district of this State there shall have been raised by authority of school tax, or by subscription, or both, a sum or amount not less than fifteen hundred dollars, for the establishment in such district of a school or schools for industrial education, the object or purpose of which shall be the instruction in the course of study now pursued in the public schools of such district, and for which there is to be appropriated by the state, out of the income of the school fund, an amount equal to the sum so raised by the district as aforesaid, and in which when such school or schools shall be established in any district, said industrial education has been introduced into the course of study of the school or schools of such district, then such appropriation by the state for the maintenance and support thereof, a sum of money equal to that raised in each year by the district for such purpose, provided, that the moneys appropriated by the state to any district as aforesaid, shall not exceed in any one year the sum of five thousand dollars.

2. And be it enacted, That the trustees of any district in this state receiving the appropriation under the provisions of this act shall annually on or before the first day of September, make a report to the state superintendent of public instruction of the progress of industrial education in such district, and such other information in connection therewith as he may require.

3. And be it enacted, That this act shall take effect immediately.

Approved April 29, 1887.

CHAPTER CLXXIV.

A further supplement to an act entitled "An act concerning corporations," approved April seventh, eighteen hundred and one hundred.

1. Be it enacted by the Senate and General Assembly of the State of New Jersey, That any corporation which shall be created by or by virtue of the act to which this is a supplement, for the purpose of producing or distributing steam, heat or power, shall have full authority to lay the necessary pipes and conduits under the surface of any of the roads, streets, avenues and alleys in this state, provided, however, that said pipes and conduits shall be laid at least two feet below the surface of the same, and shall not be laid in such manner as unnecessarily to interfere with public travel, or damage public or private property: and provided further, that the board of freeholders of the board of aldermen, common council or other legislative body of any county, town or city within the bounds or through which it is contemplated to lay such pipes and conduits, shall designate the roads, highways, streets, avenues or alleys in which said mains and conduits may be laid: and provided further, that in any of such public roads, highways, streets, avenues or alleys shall be dividing lines, or ditches, no pipes shall be laid without the previous consent of such board to be by ordinance of such board duly adopted; and provided further that no underground highways in any of the cities, towns or townships of this state shall be subject to such regulations and restrictions as may be imposed by the common council, board of aldermen or other legislative body of such cities, towns or townships, and that the portions of the surfaces of the streets disturbed in laying the said pipes and conduits shall be obtained before the same shall be used for any purpose, and that any corporation availing itself of the provisions of this act shall be liable for all damages which may accrue to any person or property by reason of the exercise of the powers hereby granted.

2. And be it enacted, That all acts or parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act be and the same are hereby repealed, and that this act shall take effect immediately, but the provisions of this act shall not apply to actions commenced under any contract now in existence.

Approved April 30, 1887.

BURIED ALIVE.

A NATIVE EXECUTED IN THE HEART OF AFRICA.

Murder of a King's Favorite—Arrest and Conviction of His Supposed Murderer—Buried Alive and then Impaled.

A letter from Africa, to the St. Louis *Globe-Democrat*, describes Bishop Taylor's journey to the Congo Free State. The correspondent says: A few miles out of Lukunga the bishop saw one of the strangest occurrences that had yet transpired in his presence in Africa. As he and his party were descending a mountain they saw that there was a village below them, a market place surrounded with a large number of houses. It seemed as if all the village people and many others from the surrounding country had gathered in the market place. The bishop's first impression was that some kind of a fair or general trading was in progress, but as he came nearer he saw that the event was not commercial. From his elevated point of view he could see that several natives were at work digging holes in the centre of the market place. The attention of the crowd seemed to be divided between the hole and something else that neither the bishop nor his companions could distinguish. The native carrier said that it looked as if there was to be a public execution, whereupon Mr. Teter tried to see the gallows, but failed.

The execution is proved to be, however, but not quite a scaffold. The bishop and his party arrived at the market place just as the tragedy was consummated. They learned the story of the crime that led to it, which briefly was the following:

Two or three weeks before the bishop's arrival a man died in the village, and, as is frequently the case, the medicine man had been summoned to declare what or rather who had been the cause of his death. The doctor, after the usual demonstrations, oracular utterances, frenzied dancing and other tomfoolery, had fixed the responsibility for the death upon a captain of the tribe. The truth undoubtedly was that the captain had done something to offend the doctor, who took this way of getting even. The captain was brought before the king and charged with the crime of bewitching the deceased. He denied the charge and was then ordered to drink a cup of tea made from the sassewood tree. It is a deadly poisonous mixture. The medicine men tell the King that if a man who *is guilty drinks of it he will die*, but an innocent man will not be harmed. Whoever drinks, of course, dies immediately in terrible agony, and the prestige of the doctor is heightened accordingly. The captain in this instance refused to drink the tea. He was sent away from the King's presence for a day or two pending further consideration of the case, but that very night he was shot by an unknown man in his house. After six days of suffering the captain died. His friends brought the representative of the Free State Government to interfere, but he hesitated. He was new to his position and did not take very decided measures. So the king of the tribe he stirred himself. The dead captain had been a favorite of his, and the accusation of the doctor had disturbed his Majesty. Now that the captain had been murdered he determined to punish the criminal. A man was arrested and tried for the crime and found guilty. He was, of course, condemned to death.

When the bishop arrived the hole in the market-place had been completed. It was somewhat large and deeper than an ordinary grave. The object that had attracted the attention of part of the crowd was the condemned man himself. He sat on the ground with his hands tied behind his back. Seven feet in front of him was a young tree that had been bent toward him. The top of the tree had been cut away so that a fork made by the two main branches remained on the slender trunk. The condemned man's back was put in this fork and the ends of the lines was made fast behind his head. The tension of the tree kept a constant strain on his throat, not enough to be painful and to prevent him from making any motion. He had been sitting thus for hours watching the preparations for his execution and enduring the gaze of hundreds of the villagers. Not far away the King, dressed in a gorgeously colored robe, sat superintending the operations. The work progressed in due order, but without the ceremonious solemnity that characterizes an execution in Christian countries. The King gave his instructions when he chose to interfere to a subordinate who transferred them to the captain in charge of the workers at the hole. When the diggers climbed out and laid aside their shovels there was a slight pause and the crowd gathered closer to the excavation. Presently the King uttered a command in a loud voice and several subordinates actually began the work of execution. They first cut off the tree in front of the captive's neck, leaving the prongs of the fork still tied about him. He was led to the hole and ordered into it. Up to this time he had preserved a stoical expression, but at that moment he weakened and broke down in a piteous appeal toward the King and looked all around him wildly. One of the executioners hastened matters by pushing him into the hole. He fell in a heap on the bottom and three men went in after him. They placed him on his feet, and while one held him steady the others began to pack dirt about his body. The workmen left on the brink of the hole carefully shoveled the earth that had been dug up back again, and the men inside continued the packing process.

The victim writhed and screamed terribly as the work proceeded and a gag was inserted into his mouth to still his cries. The people, with morbid curiosity, crowded to the edge of the hole, even to the point of interfering with the workmen, and a squad of warriors in armour drove them back. The men in the hole stamped the earth hard all about the victim until it was up to his waist. They then got out and the filling in continued more rapidly and others helped in the stamping. The hole was originally so deep that the victim's head was more than a foot below the surface. When his mouth was reached care was taken not to fill it around him until the rest of the hole had been leveled over. Then a few shovelsful thrown upon the head effectually buried the poor fellow, but the workmen were still cautious to note exactly where the head was. After all the dirt had been thrown back and the burial had been completed the reason their caution became apparent. A workman came forward with a long hardwood pole, sharpened and tipped with iron at one end. This was inserted into the ground directly over the victim's head. A movable platform was produced and men standing on it began to pound the pole down into the ground. The horrible object of this was to transfix the victim through the length of his body. The pounding was continued with mallets until the entire length of the pole had been driven into the ground. Then the implements that had been used were taken away and the crowd slowly dispersed.

WORDS OF WISDOM.

Prejudice, which sees what it pleases, cannot see what is plain.

We are sure to get the better of fortune if we do but grapple with her.

In this world of change, naught which comes stays and naught which goes is lost.

Habits are soon assumed, but when we strive to strip them off, 'tis being flayed alive!

A man without self-restraint is like a barrel without hoops, and soon tumbles to pieces.

A proud man is seldom a grateful man, for he never thinks that he gets as much as he deserves.

The best characters have a mixture of infirmities, and the worst have some redeeming virtues.

Be not too brief in conversation, lest you be not understood; nor too diffuse, lest you be troublesome.

How can we expect that a friend should keep our secret whilst we are convincing him that it is more than we can do ourselves?

Words are but the signs and counters of knowledge, and their currency should be strictly regulated by the capital which they represent.

Trees that, like the poplar, lift upward all their boughs, give no shade and no shelter, whatever their height. Trees the most lovingly shelter and shade us when, like the willow, the higher near their summits the lowlier droop their boughs.

A Dog That Catches Fish.

J. N. McConnell, of Crawfordsville, Ind., is the owner of a dog that he values very highly. It is a full blooded Scotch shepherd, about one year old. The canine is a smart one, and seems to understand every word that is spoken to it. Among its many accomplishments is that of being an expert fisherman. He will take a position in a drift in a small stream running near Mr. McConnell's house, and making a racket, will scare the fish out into the water, where he can see them. Then diving suddenly he will bring a fish up in his mouth. This operation he will repeat until he catches as many as he wants. Spectators on the banks in no wise embarrass him in his piscatorial pursuit. The dog is very fond of fish and eats all that he catches. That is the only objection to the whole proceeding, as his owner thinks that he could supply his table with fresh fish the year round if the dog could only be taught to retrieve, and he will give him a few lessons in that art.—*Cincinnati Enquirer.*

How Eyesight is Injured.

It is a well known fact that school children suffer from influences which tend to seriously injure their eyesight. Dr. Lincoln has recently written on the "Hygiene of the Eyes Among School Children." He says: In school work we should require (1) a comfortable temperature, and especially let the feet be kept warm and dry, (2) good ventilation, (3) loose clothing, (4) erect posture, (5) little study before breakfast, or directly after a hearty meal; none at all at twilight or late at night, (6) great caution about study after recovery from fever, (7) light abundant, but not dazzling, (8) sun not shining on the desk or objects in front of the pupil, (9) light coming from the left hand or left and rear; under some circumstances from in front (no light from the right of the pupil permitted); (10) the book held at right angles to the line of light, or nearly so; (11) frequent rest by looking up, (12) distance of book from the eyes to be about fifteen inches.

The Richest Church in America.

Trinity Church is the richest ecclesiastical concern on the American continent in the goods pertaining to this world. It owns enough property to make a poor man's hair stand on end. There was a report made by the comptroller of the corporation to the State Senate, in 1866, showing some of its wealth. George H. Harrison was then its comptroller, and his report was as follows:

	Houses and Lots.
Number rented separately	1,005
Number in the Lispenard lease	81
Number in the Moore or Astor lease	103
Number not rented in 1866	97
Dwelling houses	3
Total	938

Nine hundred and thirty-eight houses and lots! Averaging them at as low a figure as $20,000 each, they are worth nearly $19,000,000. But that is by no means the whole of it.

Farming by Sunlight.

Howard County farmers residing in the vicinity of the great Shrader gas well, near Kokomo, Indiana, go on record as harvesting the first wheat by natural gaslight. A dozen sickle-binders and mowing machines, each, plied their work at midnight in a most picturesque manner. The scene was truly a novel one, which was witnessed by hundreds of people, who surround the fields of grain in carriages. The round the clock work of the Shrader well can be distinctly heard eight miles away, while the light can be plainly seen at Burlington, fifteen miles west of here. The enormous flow of gas from this well is 15,000,000 cubic feet every twenty-four hours.—*Indianapolis Journal.*

A new law in the State of New York requires hotels and restaurants using oleomargarine butter to hang up cards conspicuously bearing the inscription "Oleomargarine Used Here."

FARM AND HOUSEHOLD.

Dough for Poultry.

Every one, of course, feels to his flock more or less corn or cut meal made into a dough. But some make the great mistake of mixing with it so much water as to give it the consistency of a thin, slushy paste, at once difficult to pick up with their delicate pointed bills, and impeding digestion by weakening the digestive fluids with too much moisture. Corn meal, especially, should have just enough hot water poured over it to moisten and partially swell the minute particles and cause them to fall apart rather than adhere to each other. The rich yellow meal is then ready to be taken up, and not only aids in digesting the other contents of the crop and gizzard, but keeps the bowels in good order, and should not be omitted as a portion of each day's mess, except in case of acute internal disease. It should not constitute the entire grain food of fowls, as our maize yields so much oil as to incline growing fowls and laying hens to put on too much fat.—*Poultry World.*

How to Kill the Curculio.

The best method to save the plum crop from the ravages of the curculios is by jarring the trees, and killing them when they fall. To do this we take a large sheet enough to spread as far as the branches reach, then give the tree a sharp sudden jar, when the curculios will fall and can be seen on the white sheet, and at once crushed between the thumb and finger. The best time to do this is early in the morning, when they are benumbed by the cool air, and are very sluggish and can scarcely fly or get away. The trees must have a quick, sudden jar to bring the curculios down. This is best accomplished by cutting off a small limb a few inches from the tree, leaving a stub on which to strike with a fair-sized hammer. By this means they can be speedily dislodged. A piece of iron a few inches long may be inserted near the branches in the body of the tree. A three-eighth inch iron bolt can be used for this purpose. A hole should be bored in the tree an inch or two, deep enough to hold the bolt in place, which will answer a better purpose than any other plan. The bolt is left in the tree from year to year. The jarring should commence as soon as the plums appear, and should be continued every morning as long as there are any curculios to be found. Usually two weeks will be enough to accomplish their destruction and to save the crop. When accustomed to the work 100 trees can be gone over pretty rapidly. Two or three minutes each morning, if the movements are quick, will answer to rid each tree from the curculios on them. It takes less time than would be expected.—*Planter and Stockman.*

Preventing Bees From Swarming.

Producers of extracted honey, by giving as many combs as can be used and extracting often, entirely prevent swarming, and keep an enormous lot of bees in a hive. By this means great yields are obtained from one colony. If this can be accomplished when working for extracted honey, why cannot the same thing be secured by giving similar conditions when working for comb honey? So thought a prominent English bee keeper, and the result is we are offered a new non-swarming system by which plenty of room, both for egg laying and storage in boxes is given as required, and swarming prevented and its benefits secured (part of them) by having a new set of brood combs built from starters. It is claimed that this plan is sure and will no doubt be tested in many apiaries this season. The management is as follows: Early in the season, before the bees get the desire to swarm, a hive containing eight full frames (not combs) or those with starters only, is placed under the brood-nest. As the harvest comes, boxes are given, and as fast as occupied the boxes are raised and others placed underneath. As the top ones are finished they are removed, and more boxes are placed under the second set, which are then at the top. Boxes should contain drawn-out comb and be given often enough as required to occupy all the bees and prevent much work below. If comb is built in the lower frames it is removed when but two-thirds finished, and is never allowed to be completed. The principle is to allow have unfinished combs in the brood chamber nearest to the entrance. If the space is farthest from the entrance or at the back of the hive, there is a possibility of swarming.

Recipes.

GINGER SNAPS.—One pint of molasses, one teaspoonful of soda, butter size of an egg, ginger, and flour enough to roll very thin. Bake quickly.

TOMATO FRITTERS.—One quart of stewed tomatoes, one egg, one small teaspoonful of soda; stir in flour enough to make a batter such as is used for griddle cakes. Have some lard very hot on the stove, drop the batter in a spoonful at a time and fry.

GINGER PUDDING.—One-half cup of molasses, two-thirds of a cup of butter, one cup of brown sugar, two cups of flour, four eggs, one small teaspoonful of ginger, one of cinnamon and one of cloves. Bake in layers and put together with jelly and icing. Serve with sauce or cream.

LADIES' COLUMN.

A School For Wives.

"A Perfect Wife for $250" is the heading of an advertisement in an English paper. It is issued by a lady who is going to start a school for wives. In these days of garish accomplishments "the practical side of woman's nature" is neglected. In the new academy it will be developed. Girls who go there will be "instructed in housewifely duties." The classes will consist of cookery, dressmaking, physiology, book-keeping, elocution and debating. The book-keeping will be very useful. The perfect wife who keeps her husband's choice editions instead of lending them to casual acquaintances is far above rubies. But debating is the housewifely duty which most needs cultivation. When a little debate does occur in the domestic circle (on sufficers' bills, for instance) it is lamentable to think how unfairly women are handicapped by the deficiency of their education. It is the universal opinion of married men that debating power is perhaps the point in which their wives are weakest.—*Philadelphia Times.*

The Cost of Gray Hair.

Since it became fashionable to be gray, says the New York *Sun*, the price of real gray hair has risen to enormous figures. A hair-dresser in Sixth avenue recently filled an order for one of his customers for seven ounces of gray hair twenty-eight inches long, and the price was $100 an ounce, or $700 for the order. The same amount and quality of light-brown hair would have cost about $60. The high price is caused not only by the great demand that has sprung up for gray hair, but because good live gray hair is scarce. It is comparatively easy to secure scant, short gray locks, but few heads yield the beautiful pearl gray that is so fashionable when their owners grow old. The hair falls out, leaving what remains thin and of poor quality, or if it remains on the head the ends turn yellow and fray.

The ordinary lengths of hair supplied to order are from twenty to twenty-eight inches. Gray hair is not often found so long, and, when it does grow that length, the owner is usually found in that class of society that takes too much pride in its hair to sell it. It takes ten times as long to fill an order for gray hair as for the usual shades of brown. The head of the largest hair house in this city said that he would not undertake to fill a gray hair order to a certainty within six months, as he would have to send to his European correspondents to get the goods. Almost all the live white hair comes from Europe, the Swiss and Italians furnishing a good share of it. They are accustomed to classing hair with their other crops, and to tending it with care, with the final sale of it in view.

Girdles for Girls.

The girdle has grown to be a monstrous fad with the girls, says a New York correspondent of the *Argonaut*. This morning, in an elevated car, I found myself beside an acquaintance who has some pretence to social position. Her slim figure was encircled by a huge silver girdle, from one side of which dangled forty-six little chains. At the end of every chain was a trinket. We fell to talking about them, and I looked them over, while she chatted about the history of every one. There were fourteen Roman coins, a latch-key, pen-holder case, vinaigrette, skating medal, button-hook, glove-buttoner, silver address-tablet, tiny silver bon-bon box, a corkscrew, a miniature scimetar, a chatelaine watch, a small oxidized iron parasol, which, when opened, became a fan, a bullet with which she had killed a bear on her brother's ranch, a card-case, a lock of hair in a locket, two miniatures, a chain purse, a compass, a small paper-cutter, a dozen odd trikets of every conceivable shape, and a double-barreled dog-whistle.

"Where did you collect them all?" I asked.

"Everywhere," she said, with a shrug. "Don't you find them troublesome?"

"Oh, no; they're vastly useful."

"How so?"

"They supply subjects of conversation to men who are a little stupid in the morning," she said, sweetly, as she wandered out of the car at Fourteenth street.

Fashion Notes.

Braided embroidery is again seen upon tailor made costumes.

Narrow flowers are a favorite garniture for skirts made of a light quality of silk.

The Leghorn hat promises to be extensively worn by ladies and children this summer.

Full vests of lace or surah, strapped or laced, are seen on many midsummer costumes.

Sailor hats of felt are brought out for summer wear in the country for boating, tennis, etc.

Some novel parasols are entirely covered with bows and loops of very narrow ribbon.

Ostrich feathers are a conspicuous feature of hats, despite all predictions to the contrary.

Heliotrope toilets are not favored so much as of late, but there are new shot fabrics which show all shades, from peach blossom to snow-drift.

Flowered wash fabrics are to be worn with silk or muslin skirts, made of alternate rows of ribbon and lace either black or white. They may be in basque shape, or full gathered to the belt.

The Limitations of Our Senses.

We cannot see under a certain size or beyond a certain distance, the optician makes no accounting of the photographic dark beyond the violet, and knows naught of the heat dark this side the red; in the world of outward sound about us some notes we cannot hear because they are too high and some because they are too low; we live in a world of odors, of which, to our grave loss, we smell a bare hundredth part of what a healthy dog smells—these limitations we daily act upon, and the use of all instruments of precision rests upon them.—*Century.*

Chamberlin's Pain Balm

Produces the most perfect and lasting form of the celebrated Oriental tint, rose and carmine; they never wash off, and are proof against perspiration, kissing, bathing, etc. Sold by druggists, or sent by mail, postpaid, on receipt of price, 50 cents. Chamberlin's Pain Balm Co., Chicago.

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"Why, Bobby, what's the matter?" "Oh, mamma, I've got the toothache." "Have you heard of Dr. Parsons' Purgative Pills?" "No, mamma." "Well, you must send for a box at once." "Why, mamma, I'm not sick enough to take pills." "Yes, you are, Bobby, for you have the toothache, and Parsons' Purgative Pills are the best remedy in the world for that disease." "Oh, mamma, I'm so glad I'm sick!" Sold by druggists at 25 cents a box.

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JOTTINGS.

—Common Council will meet next Monday evening.

—It is a disgrace to the borough that a thoroughfare like Somerset street should be without light at night.

—Marshal Bedker this morning arrested two itinerant peddler's in the Borough for peddling without a license.

—A special meeting of the Bicycle club will be held this evening at the club house for the purpose of making new by-laws and a constitution.

—Judge John H. Bartine of Somerville will preside in place of Judge McCormick in the Court of Special Sessions in Elizabeth on Wednesday.

—At eight o'clock this evening the Exempt Firemen's Association of this city will hold a meeting in the parlor of Gazelle Engine house.

—The storm of the last four days will be memorable for its great severity and length. It might virtually be considered a succession of thunder and lightning storms, and the indications this morning were that the end had not yet come.

—On account of the rain storm prevailing Saturday afternoon, the game of ball which was to have taken place between the Actives of the Borough, and the Crescents of this city, was postponed indefinitely.

—There was a very small audience in attendance last evening at Reform Hall. Judge Harper presided, and Rev. W. R. Richards and Editor Wm. J. Leonard made brief addresses. The storm interfered with the attendance.

—The rain of Saturday afternoon effectually prevented any athletic sports in this vicinity. The following events were necessarily postponed: the base ball match between the Y. M. C. A. B. Club and the Actives of North Plainfield; the regatta at Cranford and bicycle races at Westfield.

—The will of the late Rev. Jno. Rogers of St. Peter's Church, New Brunswick, has just been admitted to probate in the Middlesex Orphans' Court. The will bequeaths all his real and personal property, amounting to about $10,000 to his niece, Julia Rooney, who resided with him for many years. The insurance policy on the dead clergyman's life, amounting to $5,000, was transferred to St. Peter's Church many years ago.

—Saturday evening Somerset street was very dark, the rain storm very drenching, the walks and roads very sloppy. In Heidelhoff's lane a man sat propped up against the building, so drunk apparently that he was helpless, while three or four boys were rifling his pockets. The boys were from twelve to sixteen years old, and if the saloons had not got all the man's money and valuables, if he had any, the boys did. Passing pedestrians had difficulty in finding their way through the darkness, and the boys got away before they could be identified. It is not known whether the man remained in the drenching rain all night, but it is presumed he did.

Police Court News.

Policeman Grant found Frank Van Camp *in an inebriated condition during the rain* storm Saturday night, and after a little persuasion he convinced him that the station house would shelter him from the storm and he accordingly took him there. Van Camp spent Saturday night and yesterday in the "cooler," and this morning he paid a five dollar fine imposed by city Judge Ulrich for his lodging.

The same policeman also found Frank Callahan in such a condition that he was unable to take care of himself and kindly "took him in." Frank was yesterday sheltered from the rain by the brick walls of the station house and this morning, after severely reprimanding him, Judge Ulrich fined him five dollars. His mother paid the fine.

Firemen's Relief Association.

The State Firemen's Relief Association will hold its annual convention in New Brunswick during September. The local association will tender the delegates a reception the last day of the convention. As is customary, the members of the association in that city are to furnish the ball, music, etc., and in this they are aided by the people of the city where the convention is held. The Relief Association of New Brunswick held a meeting on Wednesday evening, and appointed a committee to make the preliminary arrangements and to solicit subscriptions. Delegates will be present from this city, and the total number present, it is expected will reach upwards of 400, representing some of the best men in every community in the State.

A Mad Dog Shot.

About eleven o'clock Friday evening Special Policeman Flanagan shot a mad dog on Seventh street. The officer's attention was attracted to the dog by its strange actions, and after considerable trouble he managed to shoot it. The animal had chased several young ladies, who were returning home. The animal showed every symptoms of the rabies, foaming at the mouth, etc. A few weeks ago the Council passed an ordinance providing for the muzzling of dogs, and also for a dog pound, but nothing further has been done in the matter.

Relating to Mr. Dixon's Death.

Isaac Smith, who keeps the hotel at Prince's Bay Landing, has this to say about the calamity which caused the death of Mr. M. J. Dixon and his friend, Mr. Ryan:

The party arrived about eleven o'clock last Friday morning, and Mr. Dixon, Mr. Ryan and Mr. Smith at once all talked of going in a life boat together. This idea was afterwards abandoned and Mr. Smith took a separate boat and was anchored only about twenty-five feet away when the thunderbolt struck. Mr. Dixon and Mr. Ryan had left their coats at the boat and donned old suits in order to protect their other clothing. Mr. Dixon sat at one end of the boat on a board with his feet on the gunwale, and Mr. Ryan at the other. They were facing each other and were in this position for the convenience it afforded in throwing into the boat the fish they were catching at a lively rate till the storm suddenly came up.

Mr. Dixon was laughingly chaffing Mr. Smith on his poor luck, when at 2.20 the latter felt himself knocked to the bottom of his boat, as if struck with a club. He says he did not see any lightning nor hear any thunder, and lay at the bottom of the boat over two hours senseless, until revived by the rain, which had been pouring upon him and probably did much toward saving his life. He says upon recovering he felt as if the top of his head was severed with the axe, and shouting for help, swayed his head over his head occasionally to try and relieve the pain, which succeeded in doing only when near the shore. The body of Mr. Dixon was nowhere in sight. Mr. Smith swam toward the first some responsible persons to search for it, but as it was reported that there were many rumsh ers on here the men were afraid that they would be accused of robbing the body, if found, and casting it adrift afterwards. Last night, Jack, a trusty man named Westcott took two other men with him, one colored, and rowed about the spot with grappling tongs. About half-past nine o'clock the body was found and brought ashore. It appears that Mr. Dixon had not been struck by lightning, but was close enough to have his forehead near the hair of his head burned to a deep red color, so that the skin peeled off. His clothes and all the projecting portions of his face were also burned slightly and turned black. Otherwise there are no marks on his body and he was probably stunned and knocked over the side of the boat by the shock, and then drowned. The fishing lines had become entangled in his clothing, and to the boat, and thereby prevented the body from floating away with the strong *tides prevailing and meeting at that point.*

Mr. Dixon's younger brother, William, was on the beach when the bolt fell. The storm had made it impossible to get telegraphic or telephone communication with New York. The news was broken to him and his wife upon the shore all night, watched by the only brother and a few friends.

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Warren Mission.

The last meeting for the summer months usually held in the Mission chapel Sunday evenings took place last night. A large number were in attendance. At the opening, thirty minutes was spent in a service of song, followed by the devotional exercises, in charge of Mr. C. W. Hillman, who took for his subject, "Christians Called to Labor." Before the meeting closed several testimonies and prayers were offered. Mr. Hillman then gave an invitation to any who desired to take the first step in becoming Christians to manifest it, they responded, when the closing prayer was made in their behalf, and the final hymn "God Be With You Till We Meet Again" was sung, the hymn seeming quite appropriate, as this was the concluding meeting till next fall. When the meetings will be continued.

PERSONAL.

Mr. A. Odam of Lyons Farms is visiting relatives in this city.

Mr. C. H. Smith of this city is at the Oriental Hotel, Asbury Park.

Miss C. V. Fish of this city is a guest at the Leadley House, Asbury Park.

Mr. F. L. Taylor of this city is registered at the Peninsula House, Seabright.

Mr. Sylvester Cahill of Cranford is registered at the West End Hotel, Long Branch.

Isaac Scribner of North Plainfield is registered at the Trenton House, Asbury Park.

Messrs. H. L. and Carroll Emerson of this city are at the Coleman House, Asbury Park.

Mrs. W. C. Boone and Miss F. Ford of this city are registered at the Sunset Hall, Asbury Park.

Frank Scherer, formerly of this city, but now of New York spent yesterday with friends here.

Mrs. P. W. Brakeley and family of Dunellen are domiciled for the summer at Sunset Hall, Asbury Park.

The family of ex-Mayor Rockfellow of Park avenue are sojourning at the Coleman House, Asbury Park.

Miss Mabel Vickery of Baltimore, Md., is spending several weeks with Miss Vreeland of Second place.

Mr. and Mrs. George F. Opdyke of Seventh street, returned yesterday from a two weeks' sojourn at Asbury Park.

Among the guests at the Coleman House, Asbury Park, are Messrs. *D. H. Lennox and* L. W. Sewell of this city.

Ernest Knauff of East Front street will lecture before the Art Class at the Chautauque Assembly this summer.

Frank Dexter, the nine-months-old son of Mr. and Mrs. S. D. V. Burr, died at the residence of his parents on West Second street yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Demarest of Crescent avenue, have gone to Saratoga, and Alongh Springs, N. Y., for the months of August and September.

Harry Davis, formerly of this city and night operator in the telephone office, who has recently been appointed linesman at Rahway, spent yesterday with his parents here.

The Misses Lida and Hattie Rockwell of this city started to-day with the excursion given under the auspices of the Unfonial Gazette of Somerville, on the one-thousand-mile tour.

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LATEST DISPATCHES.

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Thermometer Record.

The following is the record of the thermometer for this day and for the corresponding date of last year, as kept at Smith's drug store, corner of Front street and Park avenue.

1887	1886		
6 a. m.....	70	64	Sun rises..... 4 46
9 a. m.....	78	75	Sun sets..... 7 34
12 m	85	79	Moon rises.....
3 p. m	86	74	Moon sets..... 8 05

Weather Indications.

In the middle states and New England, fair weather, with slight thermal changes, followed by rising temperature. On Tuesday in the middle Atlantic states and New England, fair, warmer weather with southerly winds, followed by clondiness near the lakes.

Fatal Accident.

NEW BRUNSWICK, July 25.—This morning a farmer named James Quackenbos residing at Weston's Mills, started for South Amboy with his wife, son and one year old baby in a two-seat carriage. In going down a steep hill the tongue of the carriage broke, upsetting the vehicle, killing the baby and fatally injuring the others.

Official for Oddfellows.

CHICAGO, Ill., July 25.—The transportation committee of the Sovereign Lodge I. O. O. F. announced yesterday that the grand official route from Chicago to Denver and return in September will be the Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific, Chicago to Kansas City; Union Pacific, Kansas City to Denver. Returning via Burlington route Denver to Chicago. Official train will leave Chicago for Denver at 2 p. m. Wednesday, September 14th.

Quarantining Cattle.

OTTAWA, Ont., July 25—It will be a matter of important interest to United States exporters of horses, cattle and swine into Manitoba, the north-west territories and British Columbia, to know that the Dominion Government has impressed quarantine regulations, which preclude absolutely the importation in those sections of the country of any cattle except for breeding purposes, and they only be imported subject to the most stringent quarantine inspection. All horses and hogs imported in future will be subject to twenty-one days' quarantine.

A Locomotive Engineer's Crime.

KANSAS City, Mo., July 25—George H. Whiting, a locomotive engineer, was arrested here to-day by Detective Frank Tuff, charged with wrecking a Missouri Pacific freight train near independence in the spring of 1886, while the great south-west railroad strike was in progress. Whitney is charged with a deliberate attempt to wreck a passenger train, which was frustrated by reason of an extra freight of which Whitney knew nothing, being put on ahead of the passenger. Whitney came here a few days ago from Birmingham, Ala., where he had been acquitted of burglary. He denies all knowledge of the wreck. It is expected that other arrests will follow.

Chicago Carpenters Strike To-Day.

CHICAGO, July 25.—Eight hundred to one thousand carpenters are expected to go out on a strike this morning. The leaders are undetermined what course to pursue. A majority of the German carpenters insist upon ordering out all the men in the trade in this city, but this question is yet to be decided at a special meeting of the Carpenters Council. In their bill of grievances they ask *for the establishment of a minimum rate of* wages per day, overtime and Sunday work; the re-establishment of the apprenticeship system and the right to refuse to work with non-union men.

The Scourge of the Country.

SALEM, Ill., July 25.—Dysentery, cholera infantum and other kindred diseases have for *several weeks prevailed among the children* in various localities of this (Marion) county, and many have died, and in the townships of Raccoon and Haines, south of this city, the fatality has been great. William McLaughlin, a prominent farmer of Tennessee Pocanie, lost two children yesterday. This far the scourge has not visited Salem, and the citizens are taking precautions in behalf of the health of their children. The Mayor has issued a proclamation urging the citizens to cleanse and purify their premises and surroundings.

Collision on the North River.

NEW YORK, July 25.—The ferryboat Fanwood, of the Jersey Central Railroad, on her 8.42 trip from her Jersey slip this morning, about midstream, struck the lighter Canada, in tow of a tug. The ferryboat was crowded with passengers at the time, many of whom were from Plainfield, and as the starboard side of the boat, where the ladies' cabin is located, struck the lighter there was some excitement. The shock, however, was not a severe one. Two of the Canada's fenders were lost and the Fanwood's house lost a little paint.

When the collision occurred no less than ten vessels were bunched at that point in the river. No one was injured.

A Large Fire.

NEW YORK, July 25—Almost half a hundred horses perished in a fire which broke out in Fleischman & Co.'s stable and bakery, Nos. 43 and 45 West Thirteenth street, early this morning.

Ten men employed as teamsters and wagon washers barely escaped with their lives.

The building in which the fire occurred is an old one of three stories, and runs back toward Fourteenth street 125 feet. R. H. Macy & Co.'s establishment is in close proximity, and the rear wall of the burned structure abuts on Rothschild's building. But for the prompt and efficient service rendered by the Fire Department a disastrous conflagration would certainly have resulted. The loss is estimated at about $40,000.

Plainfield's Martins.

Plainfield is one of the two places in this State visited each year by the Martins. The bird house on West Front street, opp osite the Corieil residence, has been occupied by them for many years, and their visits to our city extends over a period of about forty years according to the best information. It is well known what an interesting bird that is, and how much its visits should be encouraged. If other houses were erected for it in different parts of the city we would in a few years have a colony of birds which would be all the more appreciated because of the scarcity of martin boxes, would not be common. It might almost be said that the New Jersey Martin is a bird. It is a grand bird, and its preference for Plainfield shows a good judgment of course.

The following interesting description of the bird, which may be seen for about a month longer here, is taken from the Audubon Magazine, and will be appreciated by many:

The Purple Martin is the largest of the swallow tribe. He is also one of the group of birds, "Not content to be simply consumers of hurtful insects, but from his ready adaptability to changed conditions, and his fondness for living in close proximity to man, the guardian of the poultry yard. No hawk or owl or eagle is daring enough to approach a farm-house where one of these birds is. The courageous and swift-winged species are rearing their broods. If a bird of prey, ignorant of the presence of the martins, should come near to see what opportunity there may be to pick up one of the young chickens that are wandering about the dooryard, the martins discover him at once, and sally forth with angry twitter to drive him off. Should the intruder, Their powerful wings bear them swiftly toward their enemy, who too late, turns to flee. They usually overtake him, and dart down from above, buffeting him savagely. The intruder wastes no time in trying to give battle to his assailants by dodging it, and with all the speed that he can command, hurries to the nearest shelter. When he reaches the woods the martins give up the chase, but if they succeed in driving the marauder from the premises they will follow him for a long distance, keeping up their angry twitter as a warning to any other intruder. Their powerful wings bear them swiftly toward their enemy, who too late, turns to flee. They usually overtake him, and dart down from above, buffeting him savagely. The intruder wastes no time in trying to give battle to his assailants by dodging it, and with all the speed that he can command, hurries to the nearest shelter. When he reaches the woods the martins give up the chase, but if they succeed in driving the marauder from the premises they will follow him for a long distance, keeping up their angry twitter as a warning to any other intruder.*

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THE OHIO REPUBLICANS.

Preparations for a Warm Welcome at Toledo—The Sherman Boom.

TOLEDO, July 25.—Since the Greenback craze swept over Toledo like a storm, no interest has been taken in any political gathering held here like that manifested in the coming Republican convention. The reasons for this are two—the Sherman-Blaine fight, and the royal reception planned by the city.

Delegates, candidates, and distinguished visitors will receive the freedom of the city. Excursions to Lake Erie and the natural gas fields are being arranged. Three thousand dollars have been raised for the purpose of entertaining the city's guests. Sherman and Foraker will come in on special trains and will be met by the Grant and Logan clubs, and will be tendered a reception. Memorial hall, in which the convention will be held, is a scene of beauty. Red, white and blue bunting, old battle flags and banners hang suspended from the walls and ceilings. The headquarters of the Toledo Press club, where newspaper men will be said to be entertained, are being fitted up expensively.

Unless some accident happens, natural gas will first be turned on and burned in this city during the convention. Gangs of men are at work night and day on the pipe lines. Special free trains from Mansfield will run every day with delegations bearing banners inscribed, "Sherman for President" and "Forsker for Governor." These delegations will come in the interest of Sherman and work for his indorsement.

MANSFIELD, O., July 25.—The Richland county convention have chosen Senator John Sherman as leader of the Richland county delegation to the Ohio State Republican convention. The convention also adopted a resolution instructing the delegates to indorse John Sherman as a candidate for the presidency.

A BATTLE RAGING IN KENTUCKY.

Two Men Killed in a Desperate Fight Between a Sheriff and Outlaws.

WILLIAMSBURG, Ky., July 25.—A bloody fight began Saturday in Bell county, Ky., and is still progressing. Two men are known to have been killed and many more will doubtless meet their fate before the battle is ended.

The sheriff summoned a posse to arrest the Turners, living on Yellow creek, in that county, when a fight took place in the flight which ensued George Thomas, of the posse, and George Turner, of the other side, were killed. Reich side has been reinforced, and the fight is raging hotter than at first. George Thomas, who was killed, formerly lived in this town, and his brothers live here still. They received the news of their brother's death by telephone, and left immediately for the scene of the conflict.

The feud, like fearless men and used to the smell of gunpowder as they will prove to be, is in addition to the sheriff's posse. Later developments are anxiously awaited here. This bloody encounter, coming, as it does, so soon after the Craig-Tolliver fight, and a similar feud in a neighboring county, has caused much excitement. There is a general feeling of insecurity, and if this present outbreak is not soon quelled, it is probable that the governor will be called upon to enforce order.

A BOODLER'S ESCAPE.

Boss Tweed's Plan Successfully Worked by McGarigle in Chicago.

CHICAGO, July 25.—A sensation was caused here early yesterday by the discovery that W. J. McGarigle, ex-warden of the county hospital, who was recently convicted of being concerned in the wholesale robbery of the county, had escaped. McGarigle and Engineer McDonald, who had also been jointly convicted and sentenced to three years in the penitentiary, Judge Sheppard had refused to admit them to bail, and they were in custody awaiting the result of a motion for a new trial. Between 8 and 9 p. m. Sheriff Matson took McGarigle to the house of the latter's brother-in-law, where he was to be held with States Attorney Grinnell, between whom and the escaped boodler there appears to have been some private transactions of late. While at his home the prisoner decided to take a bath, and retired for that purpose. After waiting for some time the sheriff became uneasy. He went to the bath room found that his man had fled. The police were at once notified and search was begun, but so far nothing has been learned of the fugitive or whereabouts. There are rumors that McGarigle has been spirited away in accordance with a plan of the states attorney, but for what purpose has not been made clear.

A Fatal Murder.

ALBANY, N. Y., July 25.—A special from Mechanicville, N. Y., to The Press says: "The foulest murder that has ever darkened this section of the country was perpetrated during the rain storm of yesterday morning, the victim being a Hungarian named Thomas S. Michael. The scene of the murder was on the highway to Round lake, about two miles from Mechanicville. Michael left home Saturday morning to visit a sister in Stillwater, and having spent the evening there started for home at 11 o'clock. That was the last seen of him until morning, when his brained and mangled remains were discovered hidden under some bushes. He was stabbed three times under the chin and then was undoubtedly kicked and pounded with a stone, as the back of his head was a mass of blood. Officers arrested a fellow Hungarian named Robinowski, who had boarded with Michael, and found on Robinowski's clothes what appeared to be blood. He threatened to kill Michael the officers held him for the murder.

Fatal Ice Cream.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., July 25.—Two young children, Fred Frischmuth and Nancy Nolan, died yesterday from the effects of eating ice cream which is supposed to have been made of spoiled material. The parents of both children were taken ill after eating and inhaling chloroform, having tipped over a bottle of the substance during the absence of the family.

A Big Floater from the North.

NEW YORK, July 25.—The steamship Arizona, of the Guion line, which reached port last night, brings 306 cabin and 454 steerage passengers, reports having passed a large derelict on July 21 in latitude 46, longitude 47 39. The frigid visitor from the north pole was of peculiarly fantastic design and unusual size.

Another Monument at Gettysburg.

GETTYSBURG, July 25.—A committee of the Ninety-sixth Pennsylvania regiment, First brigade, Second division, Sixth corps, arrived from Pottsville Saturday evening. They have decided to place a monument on their brigade line, in front of Little Round Top, to be dedicated on Sept. 14 next.

DAMAGE BY THE STORM.

HEAVY RAINS AND CLOUD BURSTS IN NEW ENGLAND.

Eighteen Lives Reported Lost in Massachusetts—Trains Suspended Between Woshoeta—Dams Carried Away and Low Lands Submerged.

NEWARK, N. J., July 25.—The violent thunder storms that have prevailed during the past two days have done almost incalculable damage throughout this county. Rain is especially the case on the lands of farmers along the upper Passaic. Here the hay crop is entirely cut off. Added to this the large quantities of water that have fallen have flooded the cultivated lands and destroyed many valuable crops. Houses and trees in all the surrounding towns were struck by lightning, but no special damage is reported.

In Bloomfield, Montclair, and other places small brooks overflowed their banks, and goods stored away in cellars, amounting to several thousand dollars, were destroyed. On the Greenwood Lake railroad several small washouts are reported, but none is said to be of a serious nature. In this city the damage was confined to the overflow of sewers, which made living in basements in certain parts of the city impossible.

DOVER, N. H., July 25.—Since 8 p. m. Thursday until the same hour last night, nine inches of rain had fallen. The Cocheco river is a roaring torrent. At 7 o'clock last night the volume of water rushing over the Cocheco dam was thirty-seven inches and increasing rapidly. Low lands are brought out this region are covered with water. A great part of the hay crop has been spoiled, and several highway bridges are in danger of being swept away.

SPRINGFIELD, Mass., July 25.—A special from Great Barrington reports that eighteen lives were lost by the flood.

GREAT BARRINGTON, Mass., July 25.—The cloud burst of Friday morning caused great damage to property along the banks of Green river, which were overflowed for miles around. Williams' bridge, at Alford, a structure sixty-five feet long and ten feet above the ordinary level of the river, was swept away. Hodlog's grist mill, below the village, was saved only by opening the water gates after the dam had been seriously damaged. On the dam of the Berkshire Heights reservoir a gap about four feet deep.

SPRINGFIELD, Mass., July 25.—At Miller's Falls much damage was done Saturday night and yesterday by the heavy rains. Two passenger trains and one freight, with five carloads of hogs, are stalled on the Fitchburg road, within two miles of that village, by washouts and landslides. A dozen washouts have occurred within twenty-four hours. Trains returning from Ewing, to which place passengers were transferred, narrowly escaped swamping on the banks of Miller's river. The freight train at Miller's Falls has been undermined, one side of it already having settled three feet.

LAKE VILLAGE, N. H., July 25.—The most severe rain ever known in this vicinity prevailed Saturday night. All the mountain streams are swollen, and their roaring can be heard for miles. No trains have been yesterday. There is a washout, twenty feet deep, on the Fitchburg road, near Ewing. The Connecticut river is very high. Highways are badly damaged and many bridges have been washed away.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., July 25.—Torrents of rain have fallen during the past few days. There has been considerable damage done in the country hereabout. The heat is excessive and the death rate unprecedented.

MANCHESTER, N. H., July 25.—The severest storm in this locality in many years has been in progress since Thursday and rain is still falling. Many streets have been rendered impassable by reason of the water pouring through them. In four hours Saturday night 3.04 inches of water fell. On Hall street a culvert gave way, the rushing waters tearing up the street for hundreds of feet and demolishing the car tracks. No cars were run on the horse railroad yesterday. All the streets near Wilson hill are submerged. The Merrimac river is a roaring torrent, and unless there is a speedy cessation of the downpour some of the mills will be unable to run. Serious damage in this direction is feared. The rainfall since Thursday up to 7 o'clock last evening was 7.49 inches.

NEW BRITTSWICK, N. J., July 25.—There have been twenty-four hours' constant rain here. The Raritan river has overflowed its banks from Second Brook to the bay.

BORDENTOWN, N. J., July 25.—The heavy rains of the past two days have caused a freshet in the Delaware river at this place. The water is rising rapidly and is very high.

CHATHAM, July 25.—Saturday morning at 6:30 o'clock one of the severest rain storms ever known passed over some portions of Columbia county. The section between Martindale and Hillsdale, on the Harlem railroad, was visited by several cloud bursts. About one mile south of Martindale a sheet of water several miles long and about half a mile wide washed the fields, taking away the farmers' crops, all the highway bridges in the town, and at two different places took away the Harlem railroad embankment for sixty feet. In two other places about 300 feet of track was washed out. The Harlem train leaving Chatham at 6 a. m. Saturday is still lying between two of these washouts, the track being taken away on either side of them. The company will probably not be able to repair the track so as to run trains for four or five days. One farmer, named Niver, had part of his barns carried several hundred feet.

Fatal Accident on the R. & O.

PITTSFIELD, Mass., July 25.—West Newton accommodation, which left the Boardman and Ohio depot at 3:30 yesterday afternoon, ran through an open switch at the South's siding two miles south, and completely five feet long, in this city, almost completely wrecking the train. Engineer J. J. Moore in jumping landed too close to the engine and was fatally injured. Fireman Harney and Wyman also had an arm and leg broken by flying timbers and received serious internal injuries. Two sisters, Maggie and Katie Gilhooley, just from the old country, were on the train to the street below. The former had a leg broken in two places and was badly bruised, while the other received internal injuries that make her condition extremely doubtful. Four other passengers and the fireman were slightly injured.

Society of the Cincinnati.

NEWPORT, R. I., July 25.—The triennial meeting of the General Society of the Cincinnati of the United States will be held with the Rhode Island society, on Wednesday, July 27, 28 and 29. Among the features of the elaborate programme that has been arranged for the entertainment of the visiting society are an address of welcome by Gen. Horatio Rogers, a commemorative banquet at the Casino theatre, a reception by ex-Governor Wetmore, an excursion to the revolutionary earthworks at Butts' hill and a ball at New port casino.

CROP REPORTS.

The Signal Service Bulletin on Temperature and Rainfall.

WASHINGTON, July 25.—The signal office weather crop bulletin for the week ending July 23 reports that the temperature for the week has been normal or slightly cooler than normal in the New England states, Upper Lake region and the Missouri valley; also where it has been warmer, the notable excesses ranging from 4 degs. daily in the Middle Atlantic states to 2 degs. in those in the Ohio valley. These high temperatures have prevailed over the entire cotton, corn and tobacco regions.

Since July 1 the temperature for the agricultural sections has closely accorded with the average, except over the corn and wheat districts of the Ohio valley and Missouri, where the mean daily excess of heat has been from 1 to 2 degs.

During the week the rainfall has been in excess over New England, the middle Atlantic states and the interior of the south Atlantic and east gulf states, as well as in the greater part of Nebraska. The excess of rainfall has come largely in severe thunder storms, especially in Pennsylvania and Maryland.

While southern Michigan has been favored by a slight excess, the Ohio and Mississippi valleys report for the week a deficient rain fall, varying from one-third to three-quarters the usual amount.

Marked general deficiencies of rainfall yet obtain, amounting to ten inches or more in Iowa, the lower Mississippi valley, Alabama and Georgia. In Iowa this deficiency has steadily increased during the past month, but in the other regions named the deficiency has slowly diminished.

The reports for the week show weather favorable for the cotton crop, except in the Carolinas, where many localities must need the rain yesterday predicted. While the high temperatures tend to rapidly mature the growing crops, they are needful over districts from Kansas and Iowa eastward to Indiana.

The great heat and bad distribution of rain may possibly affect the tobacco crop in North Carolina, where, however, the indications look to occasional rain.

AFTER SECRETARY BAYARD.

The Canadian Government Organ Indulges in Insulting Language.

TORONTO, Ont., July 24.—A special from Ottawa to The Mail says: Either the reported interview with Secretary Bayard at Washington in reference to the Behring's sea matter is a bogus one or else Mr. Bayard has a remarkably short memory. The officials of the fisheries department incline to the former view, but if Mr. Bayard has been correctly reported as saying that no demand for reparation had been made, then it is somewhat singular as to the fate of the dispatch sent from Ottawa three months ago. On April 2, as the correspondence shows, one of the owners of the seized vessels was informed by the deputy minister of fisheries that the case, with documents, had been forwarded to the home government details of his claim to be indemnified for loss consequent upon seizure of his vessel. It seems hardly possible that this claim, sent through the proper channel, has not yet reached Mr. Bayard. Then, on May 16, Lord Lansdowne transmitted a lengthy dispatch to Sir Henry Holland, in which attention is called to the severe, inhospitable and unjustifiable treatment of the officers and crews of vessels seized, in the sea, and the speedy reparation may be made by the United States government.

These strong representations all lead to the belief that the dispatch is not based on facts.

EVANGELIST MNASON'S RETURN.

The People Watching Him, but Cause No Disturbance.

PARK RIDGE, N. J., July 25.—Mnason, the evangelist, whom Park Ridge people recently hurried out of town, and who returned on Saturday, remained in doors yesterday at the residence of his favorite disciple, Mrs. Berry. His coming excited the people here, and a crowd collected Saturday afternoon in front of Mrs. Berry's house. The crowd remained there until late in the evening. Mnason did not show himself. He and his friends held a meeting in the evening at Elder Switzer's house and a crowd gathered before that house. The crowd kept quiet and so did they.

Nevertheless, the people have made up their minds that Mnason shall not remain in Park Ridge. If he does not go away quietly in a day or two the threat made to push him if he returned to Park Ridge will doubtless be carried out. Elder Switzer is tired of having Mnason around, and has wrote a letter to him yesterday, in which he declared that he considered him (Mnason) a fraud, and thus he did not want him to attend any more meetings at his house. Hitherto Switzer has been Mnason's backer. Mnason's hair and beard, that were cut off with a pair of scissors when he was sent out of town, are beginning to grow again.

The Volunteer's Good Work.

MARBLEHEAD, Mass., July 22.—The Priscilla left for New London yesterday to prepare for the coming cruise of the New York Yacht club. At 6:45 a. m. Gen. Paine's new yacht, Volunteer, weighed anchor and started after the Priscilla, which was a mile out. The Volunteer carried mainsail, jib and foretopsail, and the New York sloop was under four sails and working topsails. What appeared to be Gen. Paine's desire to have a brush with the Priscilla soon attracted a great number of the islanders. The yachts were lost to sight soon after 7 o'clock, but when last seen the Volunteer had set her working topsail and was on the same tack as the Priscilla. Small fell to variable about noon, and the breeze died out. At 2:30 the Volunteer was sighted and at 4:30 came to anchor. She had followed the Priscilla for twenty-five miles. Gen. Paine is well pleased with her performance, as is also Mr. Burgess. The Volunteer sailed for Boston this morning.

The Championship Record.

The standing of the Leagues and American Association clubs to date is as follows:

NATIONAL LEAGUE.		AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.	
	Won. Lost.		Won. Lost.
Detroit	42 20	St. Louis	34 20
Chicago	39 25	Baltimore	32 21
Boston	36 26	Cincinnati	44 32
New York	32 26	Louisville	42 28
Philadelphia	34 34	Brooklyn	37 31
Pittsburg	25 39	Athletic	33 29
Washington	20 39	Metropolitan	31 37
Indianapolis	19 47	Cleveland	27 37

Steamers Arrived.

NEW YORK, July 25.—Arrived, steamers Arizona and City of Montreal; from Liverpool; Tower Hill, from London; Jah Breyhol, from Antwerp; Waling, from Barnacle, Hamburg, and Liverpool Leading, from Rotterdam and India, Mediterranean ports; City of Para, from Aspinwall.

Suicide With Bad Fatson.

NEW YORK, July 25.—Gertrude Beverly, aged 17, of 207 West Forty-seventh street, was rebuked by her mother for staying out late. She took rat poison and died after much suffering.

PACIFIC COAST CHAT.

QUEEN KAPIOLANI'S RETURN TO THE HAWAIIAN ISLANDS.

A Proposed Pacific Cable—Real Estate Boomin' at San Francisco—The Vanderbilts and Garretts on Pleasure Bent. The California Wheat Market.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 25.—Queen Kapiolani's arrival here on her return to her island kingdom was not attended by the eclat which marked her departure from that route to Europe. She was not in any mood to receive attentions even if any had been proffered, but she was not put to the trouble of refusal. She arrived in the night and left the next afternoon. All her time during this short interval was utilized in getting ready for her embarkation on the steamer Australia. It was with a feeling of great relief that she placed her foot on board the vessel for the last stage of her voyage homeward. What she will encounter on her arrival at Honolulu is known only to San Francisco with the information. Matters have, in all probability, been compromised on a peace basis.

The present complications in Hawaii have a wide significance to this coast. The whole Pacific coast to the advantages which would accrue to us, and indeed to the whole United States, from the construction of the cable to Honolulu and thence to Australia. Commercial relations between the United States and the Hawaiian group have become so intimate that telegraphic communication is universally recognized as desirable. A cable to the Hawaiian Islands would not probably attract private capital, without the promise of aid from the government, but a cable to Australia would. A cable connection with the Australian telegraphic system would open a new field of commercial enterprise, and the people of the several islands are a continent in territorial extent. At present a message from San Francisco to these islands traverses nearly three-quarters of the globe. The group of islands, of which Australia is the principal, constitutes the country of the future. Whether a cable over this route would pay the first year, or even second year, is a matter for conjecture, but it certainly would pay in the end with back interest on the necessary investment. The project of a cable line between Australia and New Zealand has been receiving earnest attention in both colonies for some time. Mail service between the United States and the Australian colonies is at present a matter of considerable interest, especially as there is a movement under way to have the colonial mails delivered in San Diego, and from that point transmitted by the southern route to the east, so as to be in time for certain ocean steamships. By this route it is believed that mail can be landed in about thirty-one days from Sydney. The Canadian Pacific is also making a strong effort to get the transportation of the Australian mails, but the San Diego route, backed by the American route will probably win.

At real estate offices in this city business is on the rush and agents, without exception, carry long lists of city property to sell. It is curiosities that it is expected to traverse the Pacific coast from Oregon to New Mexico during the coming winter is mainly responsible for this encouraging condition of the real estate market.

Three sons of Robert Garrett, president of the Baltimore and Ohio railroad, who are now in this city, are enjoying life in a manner to which few American boys are accustomed. They came here in a private car last week after a leisure trip throughout Utah and Nevada. Mr. H. Fenn had charge of the trip, and in the capacity of tutor has been instructing them in American and Mexican geography from the window of their palace car. The names of the boys are John W., Harrison W. and Robert Garrett, jr. The young Garretts will make a complete tour of the states before returning east, and it is said that a trip to Oregon is among their plans.

Elliot F. Shepard, son-in-law of the late W. H. Vanderbilt, and family, of New York city, who have been visiting various points of interest in California during the past three weeks, left for home last Friday morning, from which point the party proceeds to Alaska. They will spend ten days sight seeing in Alaska, when they will return to Portland and start for home over the Northern Pacific, probably stopping at Yellowstone park.

A sudden upward jump in wheat occurred at Saturday's session of the call board, in the discomfiture of the short interest. Operations all through the week were of a spasmodic character. Reactions followed each advance, but the decline was not equal to the rise, so that the market steadily advanced, and the first sale of seller 1887 contract was at 81.97 per cental, but it only took a minute or so to bring the figure up to 83 per cental, at which it closed strong under sales of 1,500 tons. This is the highest price reached this year.

Governor Zulick's Appointments.

TRENTON, N. J., July 25.—Governor Zulick says there is great excitement among the alleged clam-bawling suits instituted in the interest of a ring of territorial officials. The attorney general, Governor Zulick's resignation and others are said to have purchased up claimable titles and then instituted suit to eject the holders of the property. The people are sorely ring-ridden by the governor's appointment's thereupon. The people demand that Governor Zulick remove three of his territorial appointments. The situation is getting very interesting. Bangs is to be arraigned by the populace. The entire Democratic press condemns the governor in the strongest terms on account of his especial favors to territorial officials. The Trenton Times says: "If Governor Zulick does not advise the resignation of the territorial official ring he will be the most unpopular governor who ever was chosen. Other parties who came to his assistance killed eleven more.

Converted to Georgeism.

NEW YORK, July 25.—Rev. Dr. Howard Henderson, of the fifty-first street Methodist church, in his sermon last night declared himself a convert to Henry George's views, which, he said, were consistent with Christianity.

The International Chess Tournament.

BERLIN, July 25.—In the international chess tournament at Frankfort Bardeleben defeated Schultzki, Blackburn defeated Burn, Mason defeated Mackenzie, Fernack defeated Bird, and Weiss defeated Zukertort.

PATRIOTIC BOULANGER

Making Friends by Refusing to Adopt Unconstitutional Measures.

LONDON, July 25.—Paris advices report that Gen. Boulanger has gained many friends by the statement in La France newspaper, that he refused to lead a coup d'etat. The paper undoubtedly speaks as the mouthpiece of the general. It also publishes the names of nearly 100 French statesmen who were in the conspiracy. The publication of the article has caused a great sensation among the Parisians, as it is recognized as the culmination of hostilities between Boulanger and his enemies. It will no longer be possible for the anti-Boulangists to accuse the general of playing a bombastic part, unless they accept his challenge to have the government order him to give the names of those concerned in the alleged attempt to violate the constitution. It is the conviction that he has the proofs of his assertion at hand which is winning him many adherents. Even in London it is admitted that Boulanger is almost universally regarded as a true patriot. To unprejudiced observers here his loyalty in refusing to take advantage of the opportunity to demand retention in control of the army, and his subsequent quiet acceptance of a command in exile from Paris, have been appreciated as the act of a true soldier. Boulanger declined to accept the persistent assertions of his eulogists that he would eventually prove his disinterestedness, and show ability as a statesman from the constitution. But if the La France article proves to be well founded, it would seem as if these predictions were soon to be verified. The question of trial for treason, or for violation of constitution will result. If Gen. Boulanger comes out of this affair with credit, and is recalled to the war ministry, his seat there will have a security that it lacked before. Boulanger will enable him to carry through the policy of revenge with which he is credited by Germany, if he really desires to do so. The importance of the La France episode may thus prove to be great.

Now There May be a Duel.

PARIS, July 25.—M. Cassagnac published a flat denial of the story that eighty-four generals proposed a coup d'etat to Gen. Boulanger, and challenged La France to publish the names. La France asked Gen. Ferron's permission to publish the names. After denying the story, M. Cassagnac printed an article headed, "Coward! Liar!" the result is that M. Laur, admitting himself to be author of the original letters referring to the matter, has challenged M. Cassagnac to fight a duel.

JAY GOULD'S RAILROAD TIES.

Employes Said to be Interested in Overcharges for Them.

ST. LOUIS, July 25.—The Globe-Democrat prints an article which says that in a recent trip over the southwestern roads Mr. Gould made discoveries which are said to have greatly surprised him and caused considerable uneasiness among some of his trusted officers.

Notwithstanding the shrewdness of Mr. Gould, the article says, there were in his confidence some persons who were making lively work with him. In his private car

SCIENCE AND PROGRESS.

AN INSTRUMENT THAT MAKES RANGE FINDING AN EASY MATTER.

A Form of Serpent Which Plays an Important Part in the Indian Traditions of America—Curious Facts About a Rare and Beautiful Bird.

After infinite labor and expenditure of much time Dr. Guillemard, the English explorer, while taking observations in Kamtschka and New Guinea, succeeded in securing alive two or three specimens of that most rare bird, seleucides nigricans, the twelve wired bird of paradise. In his illustrated work entitled "The Cruise of the Marchesa," recently published, Dr. Guillemard describes this bird.

TWELVE WIRED BIRD OF PARADISE.

The splendid plumes, whose prolonged and wire like shafts have given the bird its English name, are of a rich golden yellow, and the pectoral shield, when spread, shows to advantage the tipping of metallic emerald. These creatures feed on the fruit of the pandanus, with an occasional crelwach as a relish. In devouring the insects, which they do by throwing them in the air and catching them again, they display the wonderful grass green coloring of the inside of the mouth and throat. One bird that was caught learned readily, but the least fall of temperature affected him, and he died before Dr. Guillemard got beyond the tropics with him.

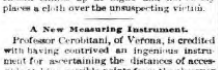
The natives of New Guinea will often search a month in the forest to find the usual roosting place of one of these birds. Having found the tree, the hunter conceals himself beneath it, and having noted the exact branch chosen climbs up at night and noiselessly places a cloth over the unsuspecting victim.

A New Measuring Instrument.

Professor Cerobitani, of Verona, is credited with having contrived an ingenious instrument for ascertaining the distances of accessible and inaccessible points from the observer and from each other—in a word, an easy method of range finding. The apparatus consists mainly of a pair of telescopes mounted on a stand and fixed on a tripod for use. The telescopes are both brought to bear on the object, and a reading is then taken on a graduated scale of the instrument, which, compared with a set of printed tables, gives the distance. Distances can be measured between far off objects, and, by means of a sheet of paper fixed on a drawing board, a rough plan of the country under measurement can be made. In the same way the distances of ships at sea or of moving objects on land may be determined. Thus the contrivance appears to be well adapted, not only for land surveying, but particularly so for military purposes. It is stated to have been already adopted in this latter connection by the German government.

The Serpent Symbol.

The occurrence of the serpent symbol, or serpent myths, among many tribes of American Indians is a fact which ethnological students, in a recent issue of Science, note notes as a peculiar form of serpent which plays an important part in the traditions of the northwest American natives.



THE SISIUTL, A SERPENT SYMBOL.

The curious animal this characteristic symbol, or sisiutl as it is termed, represents a double headed snake with a known face in the center. It is known to the Selish tribes of the Gulf of Georgia, and to the neighboring tribes of Kwakiutl lineage. It is the crest of one of the gentes of the Kwakiutl, who paint it on their house fronts. The beam which supports the heavy rafters of their houses is carved so as to represent the "Sisiutl," as it is called by the Kwakiutl, and the drums, chairs and other implements of the gens have it for their ornament. A beam of this kind is in the museum at Ottawa, Ont.

The traditions referring to the Sisiutl are very numerous. One of the most remarkable is that of Quanqilisa, the son of Gold, descended from heaven and met the Sisiutl. He killed it, skinned it, and took out its eyes. The latter he used as a means for his sling, the former as a belt, and both served him to accomplish many exploits.

Fresh Water Pearls.

The cultivation of fresh water mussels has become an industry of considerable importance in Saxony and other parts of Germany. The pearls are generally inferior to those of the genuine pearl oysters, but occasionally a gem of two, excellence is produced. Some very fine pearls of a gold verge exhibited at the exposition of Berlin. The Venetians carried on the branch of trade to a considerable extent during the Middle Ages, and controlled it until 1850, when the cleaning of Saxony undertook it at the suggestion of Moritz Schmidlein, a draper of Oelsnitz, and appointed Schmidlein royal pearl fisher." On his death he was succeeded by his son, and the business has continued in the family until the present day. Under the superintendency of the forestry department, in whose care are the waters of the region.

The Old Theory in Regard to Fire.

The old theory in regard to fire, according to Dr. Richardson, ran thus: "The idea was formerly that the air should be confined as completely as possible, for lack of air, but that there should also be given it the bulk of warmth, since animal smoke and heat may be considered as the life of the fire. Hence the ancient chimney, a wide and consequently clear orifice, a corresponding of the fire in a large hearth, flaming and smoke it is almost impossible to use the fire, and the flames of a fire have to be forced to direct their course by means of screens. A building once cleared of its smoke, and of a good draft, will burn . . . fire. That this plan is successful by the fact that in new large cities it is by each fire is very much less than

To Apply Watch Oil.

Watch oil ought to be conveyed to the wheels only with an absolutely clean rushlight, and this is performed by the watchmaker in the following manner: He takes the glass tube, but this cannot be kept clean, and it is also easily cleaned, as stated, and was formerly confined to all workmen to use such exclusively.

PHYSIOLOGY AND HYGIENE.

Diet for Complaints Incident to the Warm Weather Months.

Mr. Gant, of London, complains that wheaten flour is not only the safest form of nourishment, but if this disease is in its first stage this diet will often relieve it so effectually as to preclude the use of medicine. Flour for this use is prepared by tying about a pint of it very tightly in a cloth, which is then put into boiling water and boiled three hours. Upon emptying it the glazed crust of the flour will be found in a mass on the outside of the ball. Remove this and the inside will prove a dry powder which is very astringent. Grate this and wet a portion with cold milk. Boil a pint of milk, and when it is at the boiling point stir in as much of the wet mixture as will thicken it to the quality of pancake batter. Stir in a little salt and let this be the article of diet until the disease disappears. Mutton broth, which is also very astringent, may, however, be taken occasionally used to afford a little change of food.

A small quantity of wild cherry brandy, a very little tea, thoroughly boiled rice, beef juice and toast and water in the usually accepted dietary for complaints incident to summer.

Thirst in Infants.

Now that warm weather prevails it should be remembered that infants require water to drink as well as milk. It does not follow that because their milk is a liquid it is capable of satisfying thirst. On the contrary, according to Popular Science News, being warm as it is drawn from the breast, it causes thirst after it has remained in the stomach for some time, the same as other food. It is this sense of thirst which causes healthy, breast nourished infants to often cry for long periods of time after freely nursing. It is claimed that there are many cases of indigestion due to insufficiency of the child's gastric juice, which would be greatly benefited, if not cured, by allowing the child occasionally a drink of decidedly cool water.

The Infectious Period of Disease.

An English medical journal gives the duration of infectiousness in a number of diseases: Measles, from the second day for exactly three weeks; small pox, from the first day, under one month, probably three weeks; scarlet fever, at about the fourth day, for six or seven weeks; mumps, under three weeks; whitlow, under three weeks. Science, in commenting upon this statement, doubts whether any one can fix the exact period during which any of these diseases may be communicated, as in the case of measles. Some excellent authorities believe that even before some of these diseases make their presence known, persons appear may contract them.

A Tiresome Habit.

Many people innocently get into the habit of repeating questions that are asked them, and of asking others to repeat what they have said. One's experience with such people is usually something like this: "How long have you been in New York?" "How long have I been in New York, did you say?" or "I think it will be warmer to-morrow." "What did you say?" "I think it will be warmer to-morrow." "What did you say?" "I think it will be warmer to-morrow." "What did you say?"

LITTLE LAUGHS.

A man always thinks he is on the wrong track when he sits down on one.—Irish Weekly Times.

It is easier that Queen Victoria did not confer the Order of the Bath on some of Buffalo Bill's Indians.—Pittsburg Chronicle.

Yen Pien Lee, the Yale Chinaman, is from Fragrant Hills, China. Fragrant Hills is probably the place where the dead animal man of Pekin runs his glue factory. Cities are endless, aren't they, be in China or America.—Louisville Courier-Journal.

This is the season of year when we are thrown into the society of the man who rocks the boat for fun if he goes out with you for a run on the lake or river. He never gets to be over 30 years of age, and generally participates in a double funeral. Beware of him.—Albany Journal.

Customer—Isn't it a trifle large, Lovit Levi—Lauch, mine frent? Gracious! If you goops dot sparing coat on, mit your wife sees it, your bosom vill schwell mit pride so dot she'll hef to set dem buttons forvarts.—New York Mercury.

"I can't come now, maw," said the high school girl, when her mother called her to assist in some household duties; "and wish you wouldn't interrupt me again. I want to finish 'The Model Daughter; or, a Happy Marriage,' and then I must commence work on my graduating essay, 'The Duty Children Owe to Their Parents.'"—Norristown Herald.

We are filled with astonishment at the report that a Boston boy recently spelled "hazardous" "hasardess," and defined it as "a female hazard." But the Bostonians are weak if you take them away from their native Greek.—Pittsburg Chronicle.

"I want to be an angel," sang a female voice in a side room, and thereupon a heartless wretch in an adjoining apartment broke forth with: "Ahimmie, get your gun, get your gun, gun, gun."—Detroit Free Press.

What are the wild skeeters saying,
Sister, the whole day long?
Ever with buzzing and humming
The air seems filled with their song.
Why come the pesky old critters
A-bitin' poor sinners like me?
I'm a mass of big lumps, A. Mirin,
From my head to the pat of my knee.
—New York Journal.

Check is the tight rope upon which crafty men often cross the chasm of ignorance to success.—Washington Hatchet.

Politics makes strange bedfellows. And the bedfellows do not sleep. They lie awake watching one another.—Baltimore American.

It is used as an argument, either for temperance or the bicycle, that no bicycle rider ever comes home drunk on his bicycle.—Picayune.

Father of Fair One—We close up here at 10 o'clock. Brassheaded Beau—That's a good idea. I keep fellows out who don't know enough to get inside earlier.—Tid Bits.

Literary Lodger (to new servant)—Oh, you are the new servant; and what might your name be? "Anner, sir." Literary Lodger—Hannah or Ann? Servant—Taint neither, sir; it's Anner, with two hatches.—Fun.

The Death of W. H. Skinner.

"Bill Skinner is dead," said a man coming into the office of a Dakota newspaper.

"Moses and thunder!" yelled the editor, beginning to jump around the desk, "that old thief hasn't died, has he? I began to think the old fossil would live forever! He owed me four years' back subscription, but I am willing to lose it just for the satisfaction of knowing that the lowing old hypocrite has gone where he will get to hat he deserves. Besides, if I went out and said a word about it, the old woman and the boys would chase me off the place with a pitchfork. Got to give him an obituary, though, I s'pose."

Then he sat down and wrote:

"It is with a heavy heart and lagging pen that we make the anouncement that William Hornito Skinner is no more! For many years he has been a leading citizen of this place; a man honored, respected, large hearted, able; a man who touched nothing that he did not adorn. This usually happy community is plunged in the deepest gloom by the sad event. But what is our loss is heaven's gain. Rest in peace! He was a kind husband and an indulgent father."—Dakota Bell.

He Got "Inside Figures."

Scene in a real estate broker's office two years hence. Enter man with money to invest.

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Broker—Well, I'll give you inside figures. Considering the town's an old friend, I'll let you have as much of it as you care to take at $1.35 a quart.—Merchant Traveler.

A Detroit Arab.

"Where are you going, my little lad?"
"To see de bow-wall match, sir," he said.

"Have you got a ticket, my little lad?"
"Naw! I don't need one, sir," he said.

"How will you see it, my little lad?"
"I'll slide to de fence top, sir," he said.

"Here's a dime to get in with, my little lad."
"Oh! dis will keep smokers out, sir," he said.

And the little Arab scampered away.
Nor stopped in a "thunkee, sir," to say.
—Detroit Free Press.

Why She Wasn't There.

First Omaha Girl (just home from school)—It was too bad my friend Clara was not at the entertainment last night, wasn't it? It was beautifully written and she had a perfectly lovely gradu-ation dress.

Second Omaha Girl—What was the title of your friend's essay?

"Those Beasts of Men."

"She ought to have read it and let some of the beasts of men know what we think of them. Why didn't she?"

"Well, you see the night before commencement she eloped with one of them."—Omaha Herald.

Bad Luck in St. Louis.

Omaha Man—I thought you went to St. Louis to start a fine museum?

Showman—I did, but all my savings were swept away by the loss of one curiosity.

"A freak?"

"Not exactly. I imported a South African king at great expense and got everything started, when the man suddenly died."

"Consumption?"

"No; sunstroke."—Omaha World.

Taking Him at His Word.

"Whar'd yo' git dat load er lumber, Br'er Jimson?"

"Down ter de Drakin' Balm co'ner."

"Dear, Br'er Jimson! Why, has dey tored de buildin' down?"

"Oh, no, sah! Hit's dar yit, but I hearn Parson Howland say dat de pews was free, so I rit up 'arly dis mornin' an' went down dar an' ripped up sev'er'l 'em an' toted 'em ostoon."—Youkers Gazette.

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JOTTINGS.

—The members of the Star base ball club (colored) are endeavoring to arrange a game of base ball with a Long Branch club.

—The two peddler's arrested in the Borough yesterday for peddling without a license, each paid a $1.90 fine imposed by Mayor Cooley.

—A meeting of Amoskeag Council, Order of American Firemen, will be held in the parlor of Gazelle Engine House at eight o'clock this evening.

—Sixteen carrier pigeons were liberated from the 9.25 train at the depot this morning. After circling around for awhile they started in the direction of New York.

—Shortly after one o'clock to-day a small boy who was riding horse-back on Front street was thrown to the pavement, but escaped without serious injury.

—A number of young men will start from Laing's Hotel Thursday morning and spend the day on the mountains. A clam bake will be a feature of the day's sport.

—Yesterday afternoon a middle-aged man who was under the influence of liquor assaulted a colored man on North avenue and upon being threatened with arrest made himself scarce.

—About fifteen feet of the platform at the Evens railroad station caught fire about four o'clock this morning from the sparks of a passing locomotive. Mr. Meader the station master, succeeded in extinguishing the fire before any serious damage was done.

—A crowd of men made the night hideous in the vicinity of North avenue, about midnight last night by their loud talking, singing and shouting. The police have secured the names of the offenders and a repetition of the offense will lead to the arrest of the guilty parties.

—The trial of James Emmons for fast driving was set down for this morning before City Judge Ulrich, but when the hour arrived it was found that it was impossible for the defendant to be present as he was being treated in a New York hospital and presented a certificate to substantiate his statement. The counsel entered a plea of non volt for the defendant and Judge Ulrich suspended sentence.

Justices' Fees.

Quite a pleasurable sensation appears to have been caused among the Justices of the Peace all over the State by the decision of the Court of Errors and Appeals on Saturday in the case of Justice Lane of Jersey City, which makes illegal the fees Justices collect fees in advance for issuing warrants.

Justice William Lane's case has been in litigation for two years. Previous to that time he was indicted by the Hudson County Grand Jury and fined for charging and receiving illegal fees. The claim was made that he had no right, according to the statute, to charge fees for issuing warrants. This practice had for many years prevailed up the north of Passaic in the northern counties of New Jersey and every effort was made to secure a conviction. Emphatic emphasis was given to this by one of the able arguments of Charles H. Winfield, but without avail, and after a protracted trial Lane was convicted by the Hudson County Court of Quarter Sessions and fined $50. This did not discourage him, as many other Justices looked anxiously on what was properly a test case, and an appeal was taken to the Supreme Court. There again he was beaten for that court sustained the decision of the lower one.

Then the case was taken to the Court of Errors and Appeals, which handed down last week a decision that the action of the Supreme Court should be reversed. It declares that a justice may charge for warrants issued by him, in case the complainant is too poor to pay the fees; he may compel the Justice to issue a warrant upon making an affidavit setting forth the cirumstance which prevent him from paying the fees in paper. Thus the long-disputed question is settled.

Other cases which are pending throughout the State similar in character will be ended. The fees which may be exacted are not stipulated, so that it is a question of bargaining, and as Justices are men of business and only human, *the weight of gold will be felt.*

One Justice says: "I am not prepared to say that the decision will increase the value of the Supreme Court or the office of Justice, but it certainly exonerates Justices who have claimed exorbitant fees. The decision will make a Justice more powerful. Constables also will be benefited by it.

"I expect to see justice shops start everywhere. Where a Justice attended to his work conscientiously and honestly, the system is an excellent one, but of course there are evils connected with it. It is a victory for us, however."

Another Justice says: "I think the decision is a good thing. It will do away with an immense number of petty cases. It is based upon section 106 of the criminal code, which upon the face of it contemplates the prepayment of the justice's costs. The good effect of this decision will be seen in the diminished number of cases before the next grand jury, and it will save justices the trouble of doing an immense deal of work for nothing. I am satisfied that since I have been justice I have issued more than fifty warrants for which I never received a cent."

And another Justice says: "This decision will result in less signing for trial, so that judges will not get their costs in petty cases whether the accused is convicted or not. It will also have the effect to reduce court expenses and be beneficial all around."

A Plainfielder's New Invention in Cycles.

An ingenious Plainfielder, Mr. T. W. Moore of corner of Fifth and Peace streets, has invented what promises to be a novelty in the line of tricycles which we herewith illustrate, as it promises to become the machine of the day.

From an elaborate description we have read, it is evident that Mr. Moore's invention has many visible improvements.

Among the improvements are the low seat, and the arrangement of compactness by which all danger of "headers" is obviated; the treadle-lever, giving great power and ease of motion; the anti-friction rolls, and the basket arrangement securing a lady comfort and convenience when out riding. The machines all have two small wheels in front, and one large wheel behind, answer for either a tricycle or bicycle, and are designed for use of both sexes and of families.

Below is one for girls, and called, as it certainly is,

THE BLOSSOM.

Below is the machine arranged for the family, with the family thrown in, for a picnic. In fact it is called

THE PICNIC.

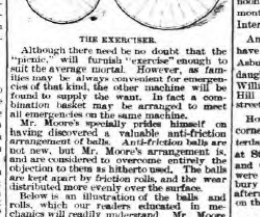
But if any of our readers don't think it is much of a picnic for the pater-familias to be the truck-horse, and have the family depend entirely upon the power of his pedal extremities, then the accommodating Mr. Moore comes to his rescue, with what is herewith illustrated and is known as

THE EXERCISER.

Although there need be no doubt that the "picnic," will furnish "exercise" enough to suit the average mortal. However, as families may be always convenient for emergencies of that kind, the other machine will be found to supply the want. In fact a combination tandem may be arranged to meet all emergencies on the same machine.

Mr. Moore's specialty prides himself on having discovered a valuable anti-friction *arrangement of balls. Anti-friction* balls are not new, but Mr. Moore's arrangement is, and are considered to overcome entirely the objection to them as hitherto used. The balls are kept apart by friction rolls, and the wear distributed more evenly over the surface.

Below is an illustration of the balls and rolls, which our readers educated in mechanics will readily understand. Mr. Moore dubs it



THE KEEPER-ER-GOING,

and attaches much importance to it as an improved means to reduce friction on machinery generally.

We wish Mr. Moore all the success his ingenuity merits, and it seems to have considerable merit in the present instance.

Exempt Firemen Meet.

The exempt Firemen's Association of this city held a meeting in the parlor of Gazelle Engine House at eight o'clock last evening President Timsworth presided. After the transaction of routine business the committee appointed to draw up a constitution and by-laws to govern the Association, submitted a copy, and it was adopted. The following officers were then unanimously elected for the ensuing year:

President—A. Timsworth;
Secretary—J. B. Martin;
Treasurer—C. W. Rogers.

One member from each of the various fire companies was appointed to constitute a Board of Trustees. They are as follows:

From Gazelle No. 1—S. C. Ryder; No. 2—H. J. Martin; No. 3—Charles Sebel; Abel—A. Saltzman; Zephyr Hook and Ladder Co.—S. J. Robinson. The meeting then adjourned.

PERSONAL.

Mrs. A. C. Vail of this city, is stopping at South Weymouth, Mass.

Rev. A. H. Lewis is spending a short vacation at Spring Lake Beach, N. J.

Miss L. Wood of Central avenue has returned from her visit to Asbury Park.

Miss Lizzie Cousein of West Second street is again at home from a visit to Asbury Park.

Messrs. A. Grant and S. Westing of this city, are guests at the Resort House, Point Pleasant.

Miss Lizzie Summers of Easton, Pa., is on a visit to her cousin Miss Julia Fields of West Third street.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Lewell and daughter of this city are registered at the St. James Hotel, Point Pleasant.

Addison Laing formerly of this city, but now of Brooklyn, N. Y., is on a visit to friends in the Park section.

William Williams of Madison avenue, accompanied by his sister started to-day for a week's recreation at Asbury Park.

Mr. and Mrs Edward Gilmore and daughter have returned to their home on West Second street, from a short stay at Asbury Park.

Among the guests registered at the Grand Central Hotel, Asbury Park, are Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Rushwell of East Second street.

Rev. J. B. Van Meter, pastor of the M. E. church in this city, left yesterday for Maryland to join his family, who are summering there.

Messrs. T. W. Moore, Jr., Edmund P. Rushmore and John Mann of this city are among the guests at the Clarendon Hotel, Ocean Grove.

James McCarthy, formerly of this city, but now of Brooklyn, N. Y. is spending his vacation at the residence of his parents on Plainfield avenue.

William C. Brett of East Ninth street will be at Manhattan Beach Hotel, Manhattan Beach, Long Island, for two weeks. He intends to start next Saturday.

Mr. W.S. Angleman of West Second street, started this morning for Pine Hill, N. Y., to assume charge of the Sentinel, a weekly paper published at that place.

The residence of Mr. J. W. Johnston of corner La Grande Avenue and Broadway is being much improved in appearance by an addition being added on the west and south sides of the house.

The funeral of Susie B., the youngest child of Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Martin, who died Sunday at Cedar Brook infantum, took place from her parents' residence, Mercer avenue, this afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. James Slevin and family of Franklin place started to-day for Point Pleasant, N. J., for a few weeks vacation. They will stay at the Land's End Cot tage on the shore.

John Mullen, the youngest son of John and Mary Mullen, died at the residence of his parents on East Fourth street yesterday afternoon from cholera infantum, aged three months. The funeral took place this morning. Interment was made in St. Mary's cemetery.

Among those that for the past few weeks have been stopping at the Metropolitan Hotel Asbury Park, are Mr. and Mrs. Jackson and daughter, Carrie, of Crescent avenue, Mrs. Williams, Miss Carrie Strenll of Prospect Hill and Miss Minnie French of Chatham street, this Plainfield.

Hon. Jacob Kirkner, wife and family, of corner Eighth and Division streets, started yesterday afternoon for their summer residence at Stamford, in the Catskills. Miss Carrie and George Kirkner for the last two weeks were guests at the Metropolitan Hotel, Asbury Park, but returned home Saturday afternoon to accompany the rest of the family on their trip.

The Right to Swing Wires.

[It also applies to Plainfield.]

"Can an electric light company string its wires on a telegraph pole in front of a residence as a support for its poles without the permission from the owner?" is a question which many citizens of the city desire answered. City council Coult, Newark, was asked for his opinion on this point, by a reporter and he replied as follows:

"That a telegraph, telephone, electric light or any other company has no right to string wires on telegraph poles, or in any way molest the property of private individuals without permission of the latter is a settled fact. In regard to molesting trees and using them for the benefit of the companies, two things must be considered. The streets are of two kinds. The first are owned by the city and come under the exclusive control of the Common Council. If the Common Council says to a company, "You may put those trees to whatever use you may desire in order to facilitate your work," the property owners must abide by the decree of Council.

"The property owner's domain extends to the center of the street, and he or she shall say whether or not telegraph poles shall be erected thereon, or the trees used for any purpose calculated to that for which they were designed them. The laying of horse car tracks, gas and water pipes is considered a work to benefit a street, and the Common Council has power in the premises. Electric light wires and cables, telegraph and telephone wires are foreign to the purpose for which the streets are opened and without full privileges from owners of property such companies can not legally go on with their work.

"In New York men rent houses, sub-let them and then use the roofs to telegraph and other companies, to string their wires upon. The scheme I understand is a profitable one and I am not sure but that it is practiced in this city."

A Narrow Escape.

A young man driving a butcher wagon recklessly turned at the corner of Front and Somerset street at noon to-day and narrowly escaped running over a small boy who was crossing the street at that time. Reckless driving is becoming a nuisance in this city and something should be done to effectually break up the dangerous practice.

Some drivers seem to be ignorant of the fact that the law requires them to look out for pedestrians, who are in the act of crossing any thoroughfare, and that if they neglect to do so and should injure anybody they lay themselves liable to a suit for damages.

LATEST DISPATCHES.

THE NEWS controls the service of the American Press Association and the United Press, and is the only paper published in this section that possesses a Telegraphic News Franchise.

Thermometer Record.

The following is the record of the thermometer for this day and for the corresponding date of last year, as kept at Stelle's drug store, corner of Front street and Park avenue.

1887		1886	
6 a. m.	72	63	Sun rises	4 46
9 a. m.	79	74	Sun sets	7 34
12 m	84	79	Moon rises	
3 p. m.	86	85	Moon sets	8 05

Weather Indications.

For Wednesday, in New Jersey, eastern New York and eastern Pennsylvania, and in New England, warmer, fair weather.

Kilrain and Smith to Fight.

LONDON, July 26.—Jem Smith, the English champion, and Jack Kilrain of Boston, signed articles to-day to fight to a finish on January 3, within one hundred miles of Windsor.

Arguing for Sharp.

NEW YORK, July 26.—The argument for a stay of proceeding in the case of Jacob Sharp, the boodler was commenced this morning in the Court of Terminer and Oyer before Judge Potter. Burk Cockran appeared for Sharp. The Application for a stay was based on two grounds; in sufficient and unfair evidence.

Defrauding Storekeepers.

CHICAGO, July 26.—The new $2 silver certificates with Hancock vignette are being raised and circulated as $10 certificates. Friday night two women of suspicious appearance passed one of the false notes upon Charles Bellman, a fruit dealer at No. 122 North Halsted street, and an attempt to pass another was made at neighboring grocers. No arrests have been made.

Drowned While Bathing.

GALENA, Ill., July 26.—John H. Thomas, Walter Hobbie and Clinton Thomas, three young men of a party from Hazel Green, Wis., who passed through Galena for Crooked Slough, near the mouth of the Galena river, to go into camp, were drowned yesterday afternoon at 5 o'clock at Smith's ferry by being drawn into an eddy while bathing. A large party has gone to search for the bodies.

A Fall in Stocks.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 26.—There was a heavy decline in Comstock shares yesterday and the market closed with something like a panic. Consolidated California, with millions in sight and dividends for some time assured, shared in the general crash. The margin stocks are expected to come in and further depress the market. This state of affairs and the unparalelled condition of the wheat market, which threatens to entail losses of many millions on some people very soon make the feeling in speculative circles gloomier than it has been for a long time. Meanwhile the speculations in real estate increase and promises soon to become a craze. No information from the mines justifies the decline in stocks, as the leading properties are all known to be looking well.

A Wholesale Arrest.

CHICAGO, July 26.—About eighty chinamen were brought before Justice Lyon yesterday charged with playing "bung loo" and smoking opium. The Justice fined them three dollars each for gambling and in consideration of the unusually light sentence said; "The class of gambling for which these defendants are here is not serious, as it is practiced wholly among themselves. No white man can play it and would not be allowed in the game if he could. As to the opium question, I understand a work is on hand that no sale of the drug was made to whites, and as the smoking is a positive necessity to some of the poor wretches here I will order the return of the pipes."

The immunity from any penalty for opium smoking was a piece of great good fortune to the chinamen and when returning to their basement dens on Clark street they shade haste to light their pipes again, where later many of them were seen lying on the wooden benches stupified and senseless from the drug.

Mr. Blaine's Views.

CHICAGO, July 26.—A special cable from *Bridge of Erne* to the News says: G. D. Peters, the celebrated Moorgate Iron-Monger, called at Kilgraston to-day and had a brief chat with Mr. Blaine. Mr. Peters has heavy land and other interests in Canada. Though he is an Englishman, the progressive annexation of Canada to the United States is his hobby. He was anxious to get Mr. Blaine's views on the subject, but Mr. Blaine was extremely shy. He listened attentively till Mr. Peters was through and then ended the interview in characteristic way. "It is the same old story," he said, "We don't need Canada and we don't want her. Yes, I have no doubt she would like to join us but it's just as I asked MacDonald once, what are you going to give us in return for what we give you.

Mr. Peters considers the matter more than MacDonald, so the matter dropped.

Will They Celebrate?

TO THE EDITOR OF THE NEWS:—It has been asked if the grocery clerks of our city are enthusiastic enough, over their triumph in the early closing movement, to celebrate its first anniversary on the first of coming August. I for one would favor this being done. I have on several occasions heard some of the boys say that we ought to have some kind of a celebration, but no one makes the move to do it. Now, I would suggest that the Plainfield band be engaged for the evening and each grocer assembled. A CLERK.

The Great Outpouring of People to Honor a Manly Man.

The relatives in this city of the late Michael J. Dwyer, who was killed by a stroke of lightning while fishing on Saturday last, left this day, attended the funeral services over his remains, which were held this evening in the Bedford street M. E. church, corner of Bedford and Monroe streets, New York, in the presence of the largest congregation ever seen in that large and commodious edifice.

The church has a seating capacity for 1,200 people, but fully that number thronged the aisles in the galleries and body of the church, while probably 1,000 people thronged the two streets on the front of which the church is located. The pastor is Rev. John Cookman, D. D., who took part in the services.

The New York Tribune and the World both place the number of people at the services at 5,000, while all agree that it was a great gathering of the friends of deceased.

The church platform was literally hid behind the numerous floral tributes from relatives and friends, including employees. Among these was a large floral clock in imitation of an old-fashioned clock, with the hands on the dial pointing to twenty minutes past twelve, the hour of death; the hour being known by the watches of the fishing party stopping at the instant of the lightning flash. At the base of the clock were the words in violets "The hour has come." Another grand floral tribute was a large full-rigged ship, in flowers, which was pictured as sailing in all its glory, the sea of life, when wrecked by a flash of lightning.

Rev. Dr. Reed of Brooklyn, a retired Baptist minister, who was pastor of the McDougal Street Baptist church eighteen years ago, when he married Mr. Dixon and Miss Emma Demarest, the latter and her family being his parishioners, was present and delivered a fitting eulogy to the memory of deceased.

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Funeral services at her late residence, 92 West Second street, Wednesday, July 27th, at 2.30 p. m.

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The Experience of Mr. and Mrs. Houser in the Mountains of Sullivan County.

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"It will have to wait until I kill the two I've run against out here in the road."

He soon dispatched these two and went back and killed the one on the cellar steps. He then went into the cellar and on the stone floor by the side of a cider barrel he found another rattlesnake. He killed that one and made a thorough search of the cellar, but found no more. On going back to the field he found that his little son had killed *a big rattler during his absence.* Mrs. Houser has not entered her cellar since the discovery of the snakes, and cannot be induced to do so.

HE WAS DEPRIVED OF SLEEP,

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Schelee tried to get into Malone's room, but the latter had put a bedstead against the door, as there were no locks.

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This letter informed her that the pension had been granted and the draft for $1,787 drawn, and told her to call upon his brother, Dr. Olin F. Harvey, in this city, who would give her the money. Again he was on hand to get the money. Harvey must have known when here that the pension had been granted and the draft drawn, and had perfected a scheme to have the money put in his sister's, Miss E. Harvey, in this city, and through her he evidently intended to get possession of it. But the letter mailed in this city shows that he had an accomplice in his scheme, though who it was there is nothing to show. Dr. Olin F. Harvey merely took temporary custody of the draft and other papers connected with the pension at the request of his brother.

Two Suicides by Strychnine.

GENEVA, N. Y., July 26.—Mrs. Fred Van Epe, who since the death of her husband had resided with the family of Chauncey Sheffield, two miles west of this village, committed suicide yesterday by taking fifteen grains of strychnine. Grief at the death of her husband is supposed to have been the cause. She was only about 30 years old.

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Made Good from Uncle Sam's Overflowing Treasury.

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AN ALLEGED SCHEME

Of Knights of Labor Officials to "Capture" the Order.

PITTSBURG, PA., July 26.—*The Chronicle-Telegraph* published a story yesterday afternoon to the effect that a gigantic scheme is being planned to control the Knights of Labor throughout the country. It is said to have for its object the control of the order under the present administration, and is in the interest of District Assembly No. 49, of New York. Master Workman Powderly and General Secretary Litchman. According to a Knight of Labor who is not committed to the scheme, it is proposed to have delegates go to the general assembly with sufficient money for admission. This will be accomplished by establishing classes consisting of nine members in every city in the country. These classes are to be made up of the most influential Knights available and will be really branches of 49's assembly.

Fighting the Crimes Act.

DUBLIN, July 26.—A National League convention was held at Nenagh yesterday, which passed quite a large number of *priests being present.* Resolutions were unanimously passed committing the league to the policy of open defiance of any practice who should testify in a court under the crimes act, and declaring that if the league were proclaimed its members would use every available means to continue the meetings of the organization, in fields, streets, or houses, at any hour of the night, or at any other time when the holding of a meeting should be possible.

Into an Open Switch.

HUDSON, Wis., July 26.—The southbound passenger train on the Chicago, Wisconsin division of the Chicago, St. Paul, Minneapolis and Omaha railway ran into an open switch at Cumberland station yesterday. Engineer John Donahue, of Hudson, and Freman Webster, of Altoona, were killed, and Baggagemaster Murphy injured. The engine, express and baggage cars were wrecked. A freight train had been sidetracked to await the passage of the passenger train and the freight hands failed to close the switch.

Nanticoke's Death Pits.

WILKESBARRE, Pa., July 26.—By an explosion of gas at shaft No. 1 of the Susquehanna Coal company at Nanticoke yesterday three men were fatally burned. They are Anthony Breski, married, and with a family; George Phillips, single, and Edward Gorber, married, and with four children. This is the mine in which forty-seven men and boys lost their lives in December, 1883, and whose bodies were never recovered. The explosion was caused by the gas being ignited by a blast of giant powder.

Saved from Drowning.

SOUTH NORWALK, Conn., July 26.—Miss Fanny Wilson, a daughter of Mr. G. E. Wilson, narrowly escaped being drowned last evening. She was bathing at Dorlon Point, when suddenly slipping into a hole she sank from sight. A young man on shore who witnessed the accident hastened to the rescue and succeeded in reaching the drowning woman as she was sinking for the last time. She was carried home, and two hours later had almost wholly recovered.

"Fever Weather" at Key West.

KEY WEST, Fla., July 25.—Seven new cases of yellow fever have developed since Sunday, but no deaths have occurred. These the weather bureau officials say, in each case, weather is not favorable to health, frequent showers falling during the day, when the sun is shining brightest and hot. It is what is called here "fever weather," although from the small number of strangers now attacked the disease may be said to have run its course.

Settled Out of Court.

NEW YORK, July 26.—It is learned that Mrs. Deems, daughter-in-law of Rev. Dr. Deems, has asked and obtained her husband's forgiveness, acknowledging that her allegations against him and his family were untrue. She consented to place herself under medical treatment for the cure of the morphine habit. If cured, it is said, the couple will again *live together.* Meanwhile the husband has the custody of their 6-year-old boy.

The Thistle Coming Over.

LONDON, July 26.—The yacht Thistle left Gourock yesterday for New York in the teeth of a northwest gale. Mr. Bell, the owner, and a group of friends were in the harbor to see her off. The vessel was loudly cheered as she swept by Gourock pier under her storm rig. Her crew numbers twenty-one men. Her owner and her designer will join her at Liverpool for New York on the steamer City of Rome during the latter part of August.

Banker Van Heyst Appears.

NEW YORK, July 26.—Joseph Van Heyst, the Hand banker, whose wife recently fled to this country with Jules Van Heyst, $0,000 florins of Van Heyst's money and his 9-year-old child, arrived here on the Aurgusta. He is at the Hotel Bartholdi, Paris, where the fugitives were last heard from. It is said that he does not care much about securing his wife, if he can but recover the child and the money.

Raphael's Masterpiece.

CHICAGO, July 26.—The "Virgin and the Book," the reputed masterpiece of Raphael, seized by special treasury agents Dec. 7, 1885, on a decision for duties, was released yesterday morning, through Judge Grosscup, and returned to its owner, Honore Keiffer. The latter has Baltimore connections, sells and tokens, sporting, &c., furnishes, but Chicago critics say no longer continued it are satisfied that it is no original.

Chicago's Missing Boodler.

CHICAGO, July 25.—The police are vigorously hunting for William McGarigle, the escaped boodler, but as yet have not able to ascertain his whereabouts. Many rumors are abroad in connection with McGarigle's flight, but none of them seem to be worthy of credence. His bondsman is P. J. Lehman, the well known merchant of this city.

WANTED EVERYWHERE.

INVITATIONS STILL COMING, AND MORE TO COME.

The St. Louis Committee Overjoyed Over the President's Acceptance of the Invitation to Visit Their City—Probable Tour in the Northwest.

WASHINGTON, July 26.—The St. Louis delegation were so overjoyed with the result of their visit to the president yesterday, when he positively agreed to visit their city on October 15, that they could not felicitate informally, but held a meeting at Willard's hotel last night, gathering as early as 9 o'clock, and congratulated and congratulated themselves until a late hour.

In the absence of Mayor Francis, the chairman of the delegation, who, upon invitation, took dinner with the president and Mrs. Cleveland at Oak View, John G. Moffat, presided over the meeting. Ex-Lieutenant Governor Campbell and State Senator George R. Castleman officiated severally the efforts of Grand Army leaders to prevent the president's visit to St. Louis. Mr. Castleman, in criticising these efforts, referred to unpatriotic, disloyal disparagers who endeavored to aid themselves by injuring others, but who had only afforded Missouri another opportunity to extend a hearty and unpartisan invitation to a worthy chief magistrate of the nation. Numberless telegrams were sent by the delegation to mayors of cities in Missouri and to others announcing the unqualified success of the mission to Washington.

It begins to look now as though *President* Cleveland will start the latter part of September for an extended tour in the northwest, covering the Dakotas. The Kansas City delegation are expected here in a day or two with an elaborate invitation signed by thousands, urging the president to be present at their National Agricultural exposition this fall. *He will probably accept this,* now that he has promised to go to St. Louis, and besides will be present and urged to go as far in the north-west as Minneapolis. His presence in these cities is subordinated, as indicated in his response to the St. Louis deputation to-day, to a positive promise to be in Atlanta by the middle of October.

The Austrian Postal Thief.

NEW YORK, July 26.—Filemon Zelewski, who was arrested on board the incoming steamer Champagne on Saturday night, charged with absconding with 151,725 gulden for Austria, equal to about $75,000, from the Austrian government, was arraigned before United States Commissioner Lyman yesterday and remanded. Zelewski was a clerk in the postoffice at Vienna, and stole the amount stated therefrom.

The Last of the Mystery's Dead.

NEW YORK, July 26.—The last two bodies of the twenty-five unfortunates who were drowned from the ill-fated Mystery, in Jamaica bay, on Sunday, July 10, were recovered by United States Marshal Hart. They are Mary Beatter, 17 years of age, of No. 452 Atlantic avenue, Brooklyn, and George Craig, 9 years old, of Canada. The latter's mother was rescued by the colored hero, Robinson.

Jockey Jameson Dying.

CHICAGO, July 26.—Jameson, the steeplechase jockey, who was hurt by falling off the Canadian Pacific Mile W. J. race at the West Side track, Saturday, is in a dying condition. Until yesterday it was supposed that he was but slightly injured, but to-day it is that his skull was fractured, and a surgical operation only served to leave him unconscious.

They Mourn His Loss.

MALDEN, Mass., July 26.—Oscar D. Brett, a builder and contractor, left this city suddenly a week ago, and it is alleged by those doing business with him that he took $5,000 in cash and left numerous creditors and bills here amounting to $10,000. It is reported that he owes one lumber dealer $5,000, besides a number of other creditors.

Objected to Inoculation.

PHILADELPHIA, July 26.—The seamen on the steamer Parmnoor, from China, objected to being vaccinated on arrival. The harbor police went down to enforce the law, and arrested one man who refused to let the physician operate on him. He will be locked up five days and inoculated.

Avoiding Prosecution.

BOSTON, July 26.—By order of Herbert H. Tainer, the former Harvard student who was arrested in Canada for forgery and who swindled various Harvard square dealers, has been in Cambridge lately settling up with his son's creditors in order to avoid prosecution.

A Quartet of Babies.

MEMPHIS, Tenn., July 26.—Mrs. Richard Greenlaw, residing near the corner of Vance and Dunlap streets, gave birth to four children. The mother and babes are doing well, and the physician states that the quadruplets are remarkably healthy and well developed.

Charged with Malpractice.

BIDDEFORD, Me., July 26.—Miss Mary Hall, wife charged, R. G. Stevens, a physician of good standing, with malpractice, died at her home yesterday, and a warrant for the arrest of Stevens on a charge of murder has been issued.

Over Five Score Years and Ten.

HAVERFORD, Pa., July 26.—The aged Bath Chevalier died here, aged 112 years. He was the oldest man in this part of the state.

CONDENSED NEWS.

Owing to a landslide twenty-one freight cars went over an embankment near Cochecton, N. Y. *No fatalities.*

The president is in daily receipt of scores of applications for the position made vacant by the death of Judge Lamar.

During the past twelve months 483,116 immigrants arrived in this country, of whom 96,041 were from Ireland and 47,524 from Italy.

The financial losses by the recent heavy storms throughout the New England and Middle states have been very heavy.

At Davidson, N. Y., three cows died of hydrophobia and a dog and a horse suffered by drinking water from a stream near which the first case of the disease had been buried.

Hon. John C. Lord, once a prominent Democratic politician of western New York, died at Elmira, aged 71.

A priest of the cathedral denies a statement attributed to Bishop McGlynn that the propaganda tried to alienate American church money. The doctor, in reply to Col. Hinton, says that the latter party is neither a priest nor connected with it.

Pope Leo has issued a letter positively affirming a demand for temporal sovereignty as a condition of making peace with Italy.

Many Liberal peers of great *Britain* have signed a protest against the administration of the coercion bill in Ireland.

District Assembly 49 had a peace festival at Coney Island. Speeches were made by Dr. McGlynn, Henry George and John Mc-Mackin.

SPORTING MATTERS.

Record of Events in the Diamond Field and on the Turf.

Yesterday's ball games: At New York—Boston, 11; Detroit, 4. At Philadelphia—Washington, 5; Philadelphia, 2. At Pittsburg—Pittsburg, 7; Indianapolis, 0 (10 innings). At Detroit—Detroit, 15; Chicago, 7. At Baltimore—Baltimore, 5; Cleveland, 4. At Brooklyn—Brooklyn, 4; St. Louis, 2. At New York—Metropolitan, 3; Louisville, 2. At Philadelphia—Athletic, 4; Cincinnati, 3. At Rochester—Rochester, 4; Buffalo, 3. At Syracuse—Buffalo, 6; Syracuse, 3. At Wilkesbarre—Wilkesbarre, 6; Jersey City, 3.

HARTFORD, Conn., July 26.—Gruber, the Hartford member, who went to Detroit, left here last night and will probably pitch against New York on Thursday.

NEW YORK, July 26.—Brighton Beach race course: First race, three-quarters of a mile; Adolph first, Change second, Mollie Thomas third; time, 1:17¾. Second race, three-quarters of a mile; Red Buck first, Stowaway second, Blanche third; time, 1:17¾. Third race, three-quarters of a mile; Paymaster first, Thriftless second, Neptunus third; time, 1:18¾. Fourth race, three-quarters of a mile; Moquis first, Sight Unseen second, Highland Mary third; time, 1:20¾. Fifth race, handicap, one mile; James A. and Waukesha ran a dead heat for first place, Chanticleer third; time, 1:46¾. Sixth race, one mile and a quarter; Compensation first, Nellie Palmer second, Bazaro third; time, 2:16¾.

BOSTON, July 26.—Closing day of the 2:40 and 2:23 classes which were started on Saturday at Mystic park were completed yesterday. St. Elmo won in the 2:29 class, his fastest time being 2:24½. Jay Gould, Rex won, his fastest time being 2:24½. The weather was fine, but the track was slow.

Marine Intelligence.

NEW YORK, July 26.—Arrived, steamers Devonia, Glasgow and Moville; Lisbonnense, Para; Alpha, Hamburg; Niagara, Rio; Anna; Cheshire, Jacksonville; Chesapeake, Savannah; Wilkesbarre, Boston; Agun, Boston, Barks Brazos, Bilbos; Yarra Yarra, Bremen. Arrived out, steamers Helvetia, from New York for London, has passed Dover; City of Chester, from New York for Liverpool, has passed Brow Head; State of Nevada from New York, at Glasgow.

A Horse Killed by Electricity.

MONTGOMERY, July 26.—Governor Seay met with a peculiar accident yesterday afternoon. He and his private secretary, J. K. Jackson, were driving down the main thoroughfare of the city when one of the guy wires which support the overhead cable of the electric street railway broke and fell to the ground, striking the governor's horse. The wire became entangled, was charged with electricity, and the horse, becoming entangled, was shocked and burned to death in a few minutes.

American Cattle Excluded.

OTTAWA, Ont., July 26.—A new order in council prohibits the importation of meat cattle from the United States, Manitoba and the North west and British Columbia, except for breeding purposes or in transit from one point to another in the United States.

Trying to Agree.

BEVERLY, Mass., July 26.—A meeting between the manufacturers and cabinet committees yesterday failed to bring about a settlement of the labor troubles. Another meeting will be held to-day, and it is thought a settlement will soon be made.

"Is that All?"

YOUNGSTOWN, O., July 26.—Ebenezer Stanyard, the murderer of his sweetheart, Alice Hancox, was sentenced by Judge Johnson to be hanged Nov. 18. When sentence had been pronounced, the prisoner simply asked: "Is that all?"

Probable Prosecution of Editor O'Brien.

DUBLIN, July 26.—The Irish executive has advised the prosecution of William O'Brien for his speech at Loggarcurran Monday, in which he is alleged to have incited the people to defiance of the crimes act.

Judge Lynch in Texas.

KAUFMAN, Tex., July 26.—An infuriated mob took Crawford Benson, a negro, aged 19, from the county jail at 11 o'clock Sunday night and hanged him near the jail for attempted outrage.

Gen. Sheridan Yachting.

COTTAGE CITY, Mass., July 26.—Gen. Sheridan is visiting the harbors and coast of Martha's Vineyard on the yacht Day Dream, as guest of the owner, Dr. Ricketson.

Found Guilty of Matricide.

PITTSFIELD, Mass., July 26.—Thomas Kinsella, of Adams, Berkshire, was yesterday found guilty of killing his aged mother last March. Sentence was deferred.

No Such Mistakes in the Gould Family.

NEW YORK, July 26.—George Gould says there is no truth in the story of a loss of $1,000,000 to the Mount Pacific railroad by overpayment for ties.

TRADE BULLETIN.

New York Money and Produce Market Quotations.

NEW YORK, July 26.—Money closed at 1 per cent. The lowest rate was 4½ and the highest 6 per cent. Exchange closed steady; posted rates, 4.86½@4.87; actual rates, 4.85¾@4.86 for sixty days and 4.88½@4.89 for demand. Government closed firm; currency 6s, 128 bid; 4s, coup., 122¾ bid; 4½s, coup., 104¾ bid.

The market was dull and featureless up to 1 o'clock. About that hour, however, the bears began a raid on the Pacific Mail, Richmond and Terminal, and a few other unprotected stocks. The first named was hammered down 2¾ per cent, by 7 o'clock, Richmond and Terminal 1¾. The rest of the list declined ¼ to ¾ per cent. The bear clique drew out in better shape, the result of sober covering by the shorts. Pacific Mail and Richmond and Terminal recovered part of the decline, and closed only fractionally below the figures of Saturday. The closing prices were generally lower, some being fractionally higher and others lower to a similar extent.

General Markets.

NEW YORK, July 26.—FLOUR—Closed dull and unchanged; winter, wheat extras, $3.15@3.60; Minnesota do., $3.15@4.40; city mills, $4.60@4.90; Ohio extra, $3.15@3.90; Southern flour closed steady; common to choice extra, $3.30@3.90.

WHEAT—Options were moderately active, with prices ruling lower, closing weak at below heavy and ¼ to ½ lower. Spot lots closed steady and unchanged. Spot sales of No. 1 red winter, July, 79½@79¾c; do., Aug., 79½@79¾c; No. 2 red winter, Aug., 79½c; bid; do., Sept., 80@80¼c; do., Oct., 80¾@81c.

CORN—Options were active, while prices were irregular, closing weak at below heavy and ½@¾c lower. Spot sales were firm, but dull, and closed ¾@¼c higher. Spot sales of No. 2 mixed at 57½c; No. 2 white, 58½c; No. 2 mixed, Aug., 57½@57¾c; do., Sept., 57¾@58c; do., Oct., 58¾@59c.

OATS—Options were dull and heavy, closing ¾@¼c lower. Spot lots closed weak and ¼@½c lower. Spot sales of No. 1 white state at 39@39½c; No. 2 do., 39@39½c; No. 2 mixed, Aug., 35@35½c; do., Sept., 35½@35¾c; do., Oct., 36@36½c; state, 36@39c.

HAY—Quiet and steady.

PORK—Quiet and steady; new mess, $16.25@16.75.

LARD—Aug., $6.30; Sept., $7.09.

BUTTER—Quiet; state, 10@18c; western, 10@18c.

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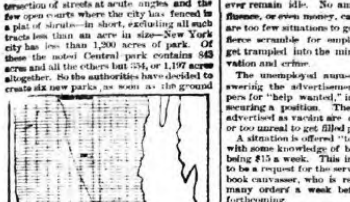
GOTHAM'S PARKS.

THEY COVER 1,197 ACRES, BUT MORE IS NEEDED.

For This Reason the Park Board Has Decided to Increase the Number of Small Parks in the Metropolis by Six. Some of the Present Parks.

Excluding the little triangles left by the intersection of streets at acute angles and the few open courts where the city has fenced in a plat of ground—in short, excluding all such spots less than an acre in size—New York city has less than 1,200 acres of park. Of these the noted Central park contains 843 acres and all the others but 354, or 1,197 acres altogether. So the authorities have decided to create six new parks, as soon as the ground



MAP SHOWING PRESENT PARKS BELOW CENTRAL.

can be obtained. And there is the rub. Land on Manhattan island is a monopoly—indeed the most thoroughly monopoly in the world—as the city council proves by its slipshod methods of transferring, and demand for land steadily increases. So every foot secured for park purposes would be at the cost of more dollars than would ever pay it off.

Central park has more than twice the area of all the others. Their size is as follows: Riverside, park and drive, 178 acres; Morningside, 31; High Bridge, 23; Battery, 21; Mount Morris, 20; Manhattan square, 19; Tompkins square, 10; Washington and City Hall, 8 each; Madison square, 7; Bryant and Fourth avenue, 5 each, and East River, Stuyvesant and Union, 4 acres each. All the little triangles, as aforesaid, contain less than an acre each, and most of them but a few

WASHINGTON SQUARE.

rods. And, despite the fine and impressive array above, one may toil or tramp for hours in the icily settled sections of the city and not see a break in the solid masses of brick, stone and mortar, especially on the east side.

But the park commissioners resolved at their last meeting, to open six new parks at least, and now the matter awaits the action of the board of street openings, whose function it is under the law to locate the parks, "condemn" the property for public purposes and obtain the title. So far this board has made but two selections, all on the west side of the city, so the inference is that they will make twice as many on the east side, where the need is more than twice as great. The places selected are only such as could be thrown open to the public with very little delay. In the meantime labor is progressing rapidly on the great

CITY HALL SQUARE.

aqueduct and tunnel, which is to more than double the present water supply of the city. When it is completed, the new conduit will be [illegible] ground nearly all the way from Croton lake to the Harlem river, and [illegible] rock, the leakage [illegible] be almost nothing, and [illegible] supply will suffice for the [illegible] of New York [illegible] day.

The Nut That Baw Bagge.

[illegible] Vogel [illegible] experiments to [illegible] trouble data in [illegible] whether living worms [illegible] a [illegible] worm [illegible] to resist [illegible] tested a pound, [illegible] the length of a little finger, [illegible] it. It moved swiftly a very few inches. So also with [illegible] which [illegible] to a struggle, when [illegible] worm [illegible]. Professor Möbius, [illegible] decided that the specimens were only example of the [illegible] worm of fresh—Hydrocaris indica—often found in the small streams of the [illegible] Only a few instances of the [illegible] of the same in the white of the egg have been recorded.—Allgemeine Medicinische Central Zeitung.

OUT OF A JOB

[illegible] Experience of a Reporter.

[illegible] New York, July 18.—In a city like New York, the greatest center of, [illegible] in the world and, for its size, the most densely populated of all cities, there are thousands out of work, day after day seeking employment and finding none.

It is the inevitable result of artificial systems of labor that a large population must ever remain idle. No amount of genius, influence, or even money, can find work. There are too few situations to go round, and in the fierce scramble for employment thousands get trampled into the mire of poverty, starvation and, worse.

The unemployed sumes himself by answering the advertisements in the daily papers for "help wanted," in the vain hope of securing a position. The so called positions advertised as vacant are either too desperate or too unreal to get filled privately

A situation is offered "to an energetic man with some knowledge of business," the salary being $15 a week. This invariably turns out to be a request for the services of an ordinary book canvasser, who is required "to take" so many orders a week before the salary is forthcoming.

There is no business in life so easy to succeed in as book canvassing, according to the man who sells his time at the office desk. The victim who through force of adverse circumstances or criminal want of judgment ventures to canvass books finds out very soon that the difference between glitter and gold is a very tangible thing.

The circular beginning "Cæsar was a rock canvasser, Napoleon was a book canvasser, and Grant peddled books when he wasn't fighting, etc.," has sent many a bright youth to an untimely grave.

There is, of course, work an increasing number of so called "employment agencies" that daily spread a tempting array of vacant situations going a-begging for men to fill them. How the pupils of the unsolicited youth, seeking a position, must water at such a list to choose from. He can be an "office manager," or one of the "thirty-two cashiers, bookkeepers and stenographers" that "all hotelkeepers" wanted, not to mention the "floor walkers, clerks, typewriters, stenographers, draughtsmen," etc. But when he comes to make those apples of Sodom he is apt to make a wry face.

Your correspondent, when in a restaurant a few days ago, met an intellectual man on the employment list. All his efforts to obtain a position met with disappointment. He stated that it was impossible to obtain a position of any respectability without the most extensive influence or money to buy it.

"Take my own case," said he. "I am the graduate of a university and have been an editor, an insurance agent and for some years had charge of a post office. Often, I am a first class correspondent, can keep accounts and hold the very highest references from all my former employers, and find it impossible to obtain a position. I neither chew nor smoke, gamble nor steal; swear nor drink, yet nobody, it seems, wants to give me employment. I am [illegible] to any kind of work, and having a wife and three children to support, you may guess I am very hard off.

"I have replied to hundreds of advertisements and am [illegible] I get one reply to every ten letters I write, and even then there is always some technicality that defeats me.

"An insurance company told me my application was accepted, in a list of seventy two candidates. If the first name didn't get the position they would give it to me. The first man got it.

"A [illegible] firm told me if I were only acquainted with the dry goods trade, I could secure the position of correspondent advertised. They gave it to a dry goods man."

"Have you tried any of the employment agencies?" queried the correspondent.

"Yes, sir," he replied, "but I found them to be swindles, devised to prey upon the unfortunate.

"I called upon a firm that advertised seventy two positions vacant, and told them I would work for $5 a week. The manager stated that he could possibly obtain me a first class situation if I would only register my name and pay the fee of $5.

"I paid the money and told the manager I didn't want him to look around specially on my behalf, but simply wished one of the seventy two positions vacant.

"'Well,' he said, 'call to morrow and I'll fix you in a good job.'

"I called, but he stated that the employer to whose good graces he wished to consign me had informed him that he was so well satisfied with the man he had sent over prior to my arrival that he wouldn't make a change. 'But,' said the manager, 'what objection have you to take a $1,000 position as cashier?'

"'None whatever,' I said; 'where is the job?'

"'Call in to morrow,' said he, 'and I'll fix you.'

"'Why not send me over now? I inquired.

"'Well,' he said, 'I must first communicate with the employer to appoint an hour for the interview. You call here at 12 noon to-morrow and I'll send you over to the man himself.'

"So saying he gave me a melodramatic squeeze of the hand to inspire confidence in him.

"I called the next day, as arranged, but found the manager unaccountably absent from his office.

"I remonstrated with the only other employe visible and he youth simply shook his head and said he knew nothing about it. 'Call in during the evening again and you'll likely catch him in,' was his only consolation.

"My place of abode was five miles off, consequently each time these devils lightly asked me to 'call back again' meant a journey of ten miles and a loss of three or four hours' time.

"I called the following morning, bright and early, and waited until the manager arrived, and asked the meaning of the deception he was practicing on me. I wanted to know why he couldn't give me one of the seventy two positions he had on hand.

"'Is your business a swindle?' I inquired.

"He finally admitted, after three days' lying to me, that he advertised situations as vacant so as to induce employers to inquire for help, and was thus acting on my behalf.

"'No sir,' I said, 'you put out the bait to still further bleed men who are already in misfortune. You are a swindler, sir.'

"'Get out of my office,' he shouted; 'get out!'

"This experience ended my connection with the employment agencies.

W. R. BRADSHAW.

Rapidity of Tree Growth.

Cultivated in groves, the average growth in twelve years of several varieties of hard wood has been proved to be about as follows: White maple reached 61 feet in diameter and 30 feet in height; ash, leaf maple or box elder, 1 foot in diameter and 20 feet in height; white willow, 18 inches and 40 feet; yellow willow, 18 inches and 35 feet; Lombardy poplar, 10 inches and 40 feet, blue and white ash, 10 inches and 25 feet; black walnut and butternut, 10 inches and 20 feet.—Arkansas Traveler.

INDIA'S SIMPLE TOOLS.

DESCRIPTION OF THE ONLY PLOW USED IN THE COUNTRY.

Why the Modern Plow Cannot Be Introduced—Cattle of India—Drilling Seed. The Puroohs and the Koorpee—How Grass Is Cut.

One great fact which strikes a European observer in India is the absence of tools. Not only are steam plows, thrashing machines, elevators and all the modern appliances completely unknown, but the Indian cultivator is quite unprovided with many of the simple tools which have been in use in England for centuries, and which are English laborer regards as absolute necessaries. To begin with the most typical of agricultural implements, the plow: It consists of two pieces of wood, and a long beam, which is fastened by a yoke to two bullocks; the other an upright at right to its foot near the beam, so that the beam slopes up from the ground to the shoulders of the oxen. The upright is about three feet long, and is shod at the end with a thick wooden shoe pointed with iron. This instrument, complete, costs about 1 shilling, and is practically the only plow used in India. With such a plow it is, of course, impossible to turn the earth over; the plowshare merely scratches the ground, and thus loosens the soil to the depth of about four inches. Here on each furrow, too, a piece of unloosened earth must be left on account of the shape of the shoe, which is a wedge. However, since oxen and plowmen both cost very little, the operation of plowing can be repeated frequently, and so finally the soil is thoroughly well moved, though not beyond a depth of four or five inches.

INTRODUCTION OF PLOWS.

With regard to better plows, the government of India, and more especially the northwest province and Oudh, does all it can to facilitate their introduction. We have an agricultural department which has established a model farm at Saugor. This department has also caused to be constructed several carts and of light plows specially suited to the needs of the country. These plows are shown at the exhibitions, and are held out as models for provincial towns, and sometimes a neighboring land owner is induced to buy one; but they are not extensive, according to European notions, but it is difficult to see how a more effective plow that costs a shilling.

However, when the plow has been used, there is still a great difficulty to overcome before them is sown. The seed must be as much as possible consistent with moderate cheapness only the stronger cattle are able to draw them, so that a pair of bullocks can only be used far seeing enough to purchase good seed and feed them well, are able to use drilling plows at all. Now the immense majority of Indian cultivators are extremely poor, and averse to devising or adopting improvements, not only are they content to follow the methods of their ancestors, but they regard alterations as almost impious.

That the cattle in India should be poor is not to be wondered at, for their food consists almost exclusively of chopped straw and fallen leaves. It is hardly necessary to remark that there are no cruft cutters on an Indian peasant's holding, so all the straw has to be chopped by hand. The instrument used is a heavy knife, and the man or woman, crouching on the ground, chops the straw on a block of wood.

The method of drilling seed employed about here is extremely simple, and at the same time ingenious. A basket in the shape of an inverted sugar loaf, with the tip cut off, is fixed to the bottom of the plow, so as to point directly down into the furrow. The peasant holds the plow, and his wife walks beside him dropping handfuls of seed into the basket. The tapering shape of the basket causes the seed to drop out gradually, so that the drilling is fairly even. The lines, however, are not very regular, for the Indian plowman is not very successful in his efforts to attain a straight furrow, nor would an English plowman be successful with such a plow.

PUROOHA AND KOORPEE.

Of other agricultural or garden instruments the two most important are the puroha and the koorpee. The former is a sort of mattock or short handled, big bladed hoe. The blade is nearly as large as that of an English spade, and slightly crooked. The man stands facing the unbroken ground, as in using a pickax, takes a chop at the ground, scoops up a spatful of earth, and swings it behind him. This method of digging has its advantages where the surface of the ground is hard, but for stiff, moist ground the English spade is distinctly better. A tool exactly like the puroha is used in Italy for digging or hoeing among the vines.

The koorpee seems, in the eyes of an Englishman, to be more suited for use as a toothpick than as a garden tool. In shape and size it is not unlike a carpenter's chisel, but it is used much as a garden trowel would be used in England. An Indian gardener, as far as I have been able to observe, seldom digs the ground. He sits on his haunches and prods the earth with his tiny trowel. The same instrument is used for cutting grass. The grass cutter, squatting on his haunches and shuffling along, seizes with his left hand a tuft of grass, and tears it off by pressing it against the edge of the koorpee. Of course, in this process a good many of the roots are torn up, but the grass cutter does not mind about that; the grass is sure to grow again when the rain falls.

Another method of cutting grass is with a sort of scythe. The Indian scythe, or sword, as it is called, is merely a straight blade of steel, or steel edged iron, about a yard long. The mower wraps some string or cotton round one end of the blade to form a handle, then squats on his haunches and slashes away. English people, as might be expected, are not contented with these primitive methods for cricket patches or tennis lawns, and wherever English residents are there also are mowing machines to be found. The native method of cutting corn is as primitive as other Indian agricultural operations. The sickle used is barely one fourth of the size of an English sickle. The laborer always on his haunches—takes, not an armful, but a handful of stalks in his hand, and saws them off with his sickle.—Harold Cox.

A Toll Taking Device.

An automatic toll taking device has been invented, to be attached to telephones at public or pay stations. The mechanism in the telephone box is so arranged that the telephone will not operate until a coin of certain size and weight, dropped into a slit in front, acts upon a switch lever, thereby making electrical connection between the transmitter and the line wire. The act of hanging the receiving telephone after use in the place provided for it drops the coin into a till and reverses the switch lever, thereby breaking the electrical connection and "setting the trap" for the next user.—Home Journal.

Police Taught Shorthand.

The London police are being taught shorthand to enable them to put on paper quickly the results of their investigations and examinations. There are numerous occasions on which a policeman would be glad to be able to take a rapid note of some incident which he witnessed or conversation that he heard.—The Argonaut.

THE CURIOSITY SHOP.

[illegible] Feuds.

[illegible] Lincoln-Douglas [illegible] contest in 1858, each of the [illegible] rounded quarrel to their adherents, [illegible] politics, mostly connected [illegible] slavery versus freedom [illegible] territories. Among the questions [illegible] Douglas was the following: [illegible] the people of a territory [illegible] the wish of any citizen of [illegible] exclude slavery from [illegible] the formation of a state constitution?"

Mr. Lincoln's friends told him that if he asked the question it would make Douglas senator, as he would undoubtedly reply in the affirmative and thus neutralize the adverse effect of his expressed deference for the Dred Scott decision, which was unpopular at the north.

"It may make him senator," replied Lincoln, "but it will prevent his being president."

Lincoln was right. Douglas, in his reply, declared that such exclusion of slavery was possible. In this he offended the south. Then came the split in the democratic party in 1860, giving the victory to the Republicans and making Lincoln himself president.

The Sponge.

Few people who use a sponge in bathing know that they are dosing themselves with animal matter. Many of the sponges were thought to be vegetables, but they are now known to be animals. They are fixed to rocks at the bottom of the ocean, and are gathered by divers. When taken out a sponge is a dark colored, jelly like substance, resembling a beef liver, with a framework of tough fibers, forming a great many large and small holes. When dead and dry the live animal fibers are covered with the jelly like substance. Its construction is adapted to permit the water to wash through it, from which it obtains its food.

When the sponge is secured it is usually buried in dry sand till the jelly part decays, after which it is put into a wire cage and left in sea water till it is washed clean. The finest sponges come from the Mediterranean.

The Glass Bottle.

A very common article, but not one in a hundred who uses it knows how it is made.

The glass blower gathers sufficient melted glass on the end of the blow pipe, and blowing gently, rolls the expanding bubble on an iron table, till it is about the required size. Then it is put in a mold, or rather the mold is put about it, for the mold is in two equal perpendicular halves, with a hinge which enables the blower to clasp it about the glass. He now blows again through the pipe, so that the soft glass fills the impression of any marks or letters there may be on the mold. By touching a cold iron or a wet stick to the neck it breaks off from the blow pipe and is ready for the finisher.

A Singular Ornament.

The Cuban and Mexican ladies use the Senoi, or fish bone, as an ornament. They buy them from the Indians who catch them, drawing them by means of a burning coal on the end of a stick. The ladies shut them up in a box with sugar, and feed them on bits of sugar cane. They also have to bathe them often to keep them alive. When they wish to use them they sew them up in little satin bags, which they pin on their skirts or twist in in lace neckerchiefs or girdle. Sometimes they put a long pin through them under the chest—it doesn't seem cruel—and stick them in their hair with other ornaments, such as humming birds or diamonds.

What is Neurasthenia?

It is nervous exhaustion. It is more common in the United States than any other country. Physicians say that from the equator north, and from the arctic regions south, nervous diseases reach a climax in the temperate zone, the zone in which Europeans call home. Neurasthenia is a comparatively modern disease, and is supposed to arise from the increased activity, the nervous strain under which the American people live. In Europe nervous diseases classed under this head are but little known; but our people are every day becoming more nervous, and their organizations more delicate. It is partly due to our climate, but principally to American enterprise.

What Became of the Hero of Fort Sumter.

Maj. Anderson, after the surrender of Fort Sumter, was appointed a brigadier general in the regular army, and sent to command the department of Kentucky. The state was then in doubt whether to become Union or nonunion. Gen. Anderson was averse to action which was liable to irritate its population and found himself constantly between two fires. The unpleasant responsibility of his position and his ill health induced him to turn over the command to Gen. Sherman. Anderson never took an active part in the war afterward. In 1870 he went aboard in search of health, but failed to find it. He died Oct. 26, 1871.

Did Halleck Arrest Grant?

After the capture of Fort Donelson, Gen. Grant went to Nashville (where he had sent Nelson's division), as he says in his memoirs, for the purpose of conferring with Gen. Buell, whose advance also occupied that city. Halleck reported to McClellan, then commander in chief, that Grant was absent from his command, which was "in a worse state of demoralization than the Army of the Potomac after Bull Run." McClellan gave his consent to Gen. Grant's arrest, but it does not appear that the arrest was ever made. After some correspondence between Grant and Halleck, the matter was dropped.

Whereabouts of Jenny Lind.

Jenny Lind—Mme. Otto Goldschmidt—the first great vocalist that ever came to America, is now 67 years old. She is settled in England, where she has resided since 1856. Otto Goldschmidt, whom she married, was the musical director of her orchestra when she sang in America. Recently she had charge of a choir and the female voices have had the benefit of Mme. Goldschmidt's training. She is also conducting one of the Royal College of Music she was appointed one of its professors, but has recently resigned.

"Witness My Hand and Seal."

In the early days only a few scholars and priests knew how to write. It was then customary to sign a document by smearing the hand with ink and impressing it upon the paper, at the same time saying "Witness my hand." Afterwards the seal was introduced as a substitute for the hand, and was often placed beside the hand mark, the two forming one notarity days.

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Bathing Costumes—Eye's Figure Excites Remarks.

Bathing costumes seem to be similar this year to what they have always been. In passing you occasionally see a pair in odd shades like baby elephants' breath or mushroomed shrimp pink, with embroidered soft shell crabs on them, but they are mostly black.

The oddest thing I saw in stockings yesterday, I think, was an artificial foot.

The "Wild Woman of the Cheshire" is still on exhibition at the museum. Girls who are a little inclined to be wild will do well to see her. They would never be wild any more.

Then I bathed. I feel quite proud of my suit, because it does not lag at the knees. This, I presume, is because the capacity of a bathing suit for lagging is comparatively limited, and as nature seems to lag everywhere else it cannot find time to lag at the knees.

Leaving my clothes, my conscientious scruples and my teeth in charge of my valet, I madly sailed out to meet my doom. If I had been going out to meet anybody else but a mosquito I would have dressed differently. I heard several low, wealthy people say, "Get onto the gun wiper going out to monkey with the tide." One glorious looking being, with her bathing trousers rolled up at the bottom so that they could not get wet, said, in a tinkling voice: "There is a man who ought to have a sailor tied to him. He will never drown, but if a land breeze springs up pretty strong he will drift a long way out to sea."

After I had inhaled all the salt water that I thought was good for me, I retired from the surf. I then dressed myself and strolled along the strand. There is no charge for strolling along the strand. The poorest man in New York, armed with a large, warty club to keep off the lunatic men, may stroll along the strand with perfect safety.

Presently I came upon a young woman who was sitting by herself, gazing out to sea and weeping. At first I thought she was crying because some one had stolen her clothes while she was in the surf, but I soon saw that I was wrong.

She had her bathing suit on, and was sobbing and stabbing large holes in the sand with her toes.

"Pardon me," I said, with the air of a man of the world, "has your train gone away and left you, or have you swallowed one end of a breaker, as I did?"

"Please do not make game of me, sir," she said, at the same time shrinking back. "It is nothing that could in the least interest you. Go away."

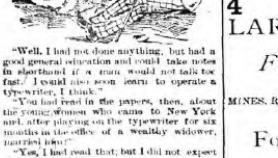
"No," said I, huskily, "I cannot go away until the next boat, and I would be tickled almost to death if I could participate in your sorrow. I have no card with me, but I am connected with the press, and it would be better to give the story to me and let me get your exact language than to have it garbled by the other papers. Where do you reside?"

"I reside at present in New York," she said, gulping down a sob three sizes too large for her, "and I am utterly alone."

"Well, why don't you girls in New York who are utterly alone have a reunion this summer at the Polo grounds? I have not been in New York very long, but since I've been there it seems to me that you and the other utterly lonely girls have taken the town. What brought you to New York may I ask?"

"I came there to obtain employment, and it's all as strange and so harsh and so heartless there." She then took off her silkiz bonnet and wept it almost full.

"What kind of work had you been accustomed to?"



"Well, I had not done anything, but had a good general education and could take notes in shorthand if a man would not talk too fast. I could also soon learn to operate a typewriter, I think."

"You had read in the papers, then, about the young woman who came to New York and after playing on the typewriter for six months in the office of a wealthy widower, married him?"

"Yes, I had read that, but I did not expect to do so myself."

"I am glad you did not, for you would have been disappointed, perhaps. The opportunities for a young woman to obtain a situation in the office of a middle aged capitalist whose wife is consumptive and trying to draw in a hectic flush are getting to be rare, and though you might win the esteem of such a one and fill him to rest by knocking a few low, throbbing notes out of your typewriter, yet I would advise you not to depend on finding such a situation a fact."

"Then what is all be your advice?"

"You say you never stenographed very much?"

"No, but I studied it at school and can make all the characters after I think a little while."

"You think you could take down in shorthand the address of a deliberate talker—his postoffice address, I mean?"

"Oh, now you are giving me. Of course I cannot write shorthand very fast, but I would be willing to learn."

"What salary would you expect while learning?"

"Oh, I would not demand a large salary at first, but I would try, oh, so hard, to learn rapidly."

"You never tried other work, did you, such as plastering, piloting on a steamboat, train dispatching, boat tossing, surveying, butchering, stone cutting, roughism, searching for the north pole, weighing hay on a railroad company, catching elephants for the trade, braking on a passenger train, acting as the foreman of a grand jury, breaking colts, dealing faro, grinding scissors, jumping off the Brooklyn bridge, selling lightning rods, running for sheriff, tending bar, robbing trains, lumbering, chiropodizing or shewmaking?"

"No, sir, I couldn't do any of those."

"Then, if I were you, I would go home. I would abandon New York to its fate and return to my parents. There you might teach school next winter, perhaps, and do well.

"With your knowledge of stenography you might success fully teach it, no doubt, but you could not practice it. A business man who was in a hurry would hesitate about employing you if he thought you would have to go to the 8 think of your trunk for your book every time you struck a hard word."

Last night I took down to the pier at that instant I saw that my steamer was impatiently waiting for me, and so, bidding my unknown friend adieu, after telling her to be careful not to breathe any of the night air, which is so prevalent at Coney Island this year, I tore off my tag with a well bred air that would have looked mean any one, and was soon lost to sight.—**New York World.**

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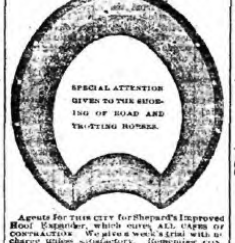

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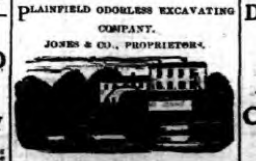

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JOTTINGS.

—Be careful of the diet of the little ones this weather.

—This evening a german will be given at the Hotel Netherwood.

—A little soap applied to the hinges of a door will prevent their creaking.

—Men were engaged to-day scraping the surplus mud off of the macadam on Park avenue.

—A young man named Neal, paid a three dollar fine imposed by Justice Nash yesterday *for jumping on coal trains.*

—It is rumored that the hoopskirts for ladies' dresses are coming into fashion again, and that the bustle will be displaced.

—Richard Day's stable's seem to be the favorite place for owners of horses who come to town for a day or two. Mr. Day also has first-class rigs for hire.

—Shoes have actually become so cheap and so generally worn, that it is rare nowadays that a boy gets an opportunity to squeeze mud between his bare toes.

—In our advertising columns will be found a notice that the property belonging to the estate of the late Ferdinand Schimmers will be sold at auction to-morrow.

—The case of Robert Simpson vs. Mayor Cobley and Marshal Becker, which was to have taken place before Justice Wadsworth yesterday afternoon was adjourned for one week.

—Old people say that the climatic conditions of this latitude have undergone a very material change during the last forty years. They say we have more rain and heavier winds nowadays.

Avis Amelia, the only child of Alfred and Josephine McKown, died at the residence of her parents Monday evening from cholera infantum, aged four months and eighteen days. Funeral to-morrow.

—A little ammonia or borax in the water you wash your hands with and, that water just lukewarm, will keep the skin clean and soft. A little oatmeal mixed with the water will whiten the hands. These preparations will also cure the hives and prickly heat.

—Women voted in New Jersey from 1776 to 1807, and the "old inhabitant" says that they were not to blame when they left. In those days there were no such "loves of bonnets" to grace the female head as are now to be had.

—An exchange says: A good remedy for overheated horses is a concoction made up of a pint of water, an ounce of chloride of ammonia, an ounce of sweet spirits of nitre, one drachm tincture of aconite. A tablespoonful should be administered every hour or two.

—The tax rate for Rahway will be a trifle less than last year, presumably 2.79, against 2.90 in 1886. The taxation for city purposes is on $49,350 an increase of $1,350; for State School, $6,142.16 a decrease of $235.46 and for County $14,598.50 a decrease of $2,53.37.

—One of the best edited weeklies that comes to our desk is the Hunterdon County Democrat of Flemington. We have never had the pleasure of meeting the gentleman who edits it, Robert J. Killgore, the editor and proprietor, but in his paper we recognize a *thoroughly* wide-awake newspaper man.

—Frank Leslie's illustrated weekly newspaper published a series of cuts of Chautauqua in last week's issue, and included therein excellent portraits of two distinguished citizens of Plainfield—Rev. Drs. Vincent, and Hurlbut, to whose intelligence and energy the success of largest educational society of its kind is due.

—It is important to keep celery growing steadily. If stunted by a dry spell or very hot weather it is very subject to disease, which is seldom troublesome when the celery can be watered and kept growing in dry weather. It is hardly worth while to remark that there has been no necessity for carrying water this season. The season is a moist one.

—The temperance people of Plainfield are taking unto themselves comfort over the statement of the Atlanta Constitution, which is a carefully considered article on the results of a year of prohibition in that city declared that the article has been successfully introduced the test of experience. Prohibition does prohibit, just as effectively as the laws against gambling and theft prohibit those offenses. Nor has prohibition injuriously affected the business of the place. It makes interesting reading and a valuable study.

—The Colorado potato beetle is a greater pest to the farmers and truck-growers of Somerset, Warren and adjoining counties this year than for many years past. Some patches are almost completely destroyed by these pests. Many are freely using Paris green as a relief. Boys and men are going over the patches daily catching and destroying the bugs. Many boys, since the schools have closed, find employment at this business, and besides being boarded they make fair wages. The rain seems to have increased rather than diminished the bugs. Some large potato growers are well nigh discouraged over the outlook.

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Stoney brook which has its source in the Valley beyond the Second mountain, a short distance south-west of Feltville, over-flowed about six o'clock this morning, unable to carry off in its usual channel the volume of water drained into it from the mountain.

The brook continues along south westerly on the north-westerly side of the mountain, toward Washingtonville, where it turns *into Somerset street Notch, and flows* southeasterly into North Plainfield, and thence south-westerly.

At Washingtonville there were two bridges close together, both of which were swept away. The most have been after four o'clock this morning, from the following circumstance:

Gustav Utzinger of Manning avenue, a North Plainfield salesman, started homeward Sunday about four o'clock this morning. He is said that there was a party in the cab with him, but this is not certain.

That he arrived at Stiles bridge, which is about two miles beyond Washingtonville is shown by the tracks of the vehicle. At Stiles' bridge all trace is lost, and it is supposed that he attempted to drive through the water believing it was not deep, and was swept away with his horse and cab.

Persons in the neighborhood say that the freshet at that time was twenty feet deep, and rushing furiously.

The stream, however, which he crossed was not Stoney brook but a small stream beyond, is almost due north into the swamp near Sterling, the swamp draining the Passaic river.

Later in the day however he turned up all right.

The Stoney brook freshet continued its work of devastation. The people of Washingtonville were thoroughly alarmed, and efforts were made to warn people along the stream of the danger.

At Washingtonville, on the Craig Spencer property, resided the three daughters of the late Craig Spencer, who was a brother of H. Newton Spencer, Collector of North Plainfield township. These daughters are young women.

They were driven to the second story of the house, and the first floor being submerged in the water.

Young Demler, son of the proprietor of Demler's Hotel of Washingtonville, with neighbors went to their rescue, and the party had to go waist deep in the water to reach them. They were rescued.

In the center of Washingtonville Moses H. French, the miller, had a large garden under a high state of cultivation. The garden, together with the soil to the depth of a foot or more were swept away.

The freshet next after the Washingtonville bridges and Mr. French's garden, swept away a portion of Codington's mill dam, to the south of the village and towards North Plainfield.

The next bridge on route is on the L. B. Boice estate, Somerset street, and is known as the Wadley bridge, named so after a former owner of the Boice property. This was swept down the stream about a fourth of a mile to the Lewis property, which adjoins the Boice property.

It also tore up a considerable portion of the macadamized walk put down opposite the bridge, and on the Miles' property.

Stoneybrook south of the first mountain branches off to the southerly side of the mountain, and along Washington Park. The grounds of the residents on the northwesterly side first of Rockview avenue terminate in the brook.

It appears that a portion of the dam gave way. This dam at Stiles' still gets its name from having been owned years ago by a miller named Stiles. The dam is a wooden one, and death run by his son-in-law, a man named Baldwin, who is also dead, and since then the place has been suffered to fall into neglect, and was looked upon as simply an old landmark.

The giving away of this dam released a great volume of water, which rushed through the valley in a mighty torrent, roaring and hissing and carrying everything in its path.

The mill is on the stream which enters stoney brook at Washingtonville.

Wilson dam is on stoney brook, just before the brook, and Miles brook unite. This dam also gave way and the water was in like manner precipitated into the roadway alongside, and at this point rushed over the grounds of the Spencer girls.

The dwelling occupied by the Spencer girls whose first names are Carrie, Hattie and Minnie, is on low ground at an angle where the brook makes a turn and is met by the other brook, the name of which no one in the neighborhood knows, but Stiles brook, which is supposed to be called to distinguish it.

There is a bridge over the junction, stream and also over stoney brook at the place referred to, and it was these bridges which were among the first destroyed.

The two streams swept with their united force over the grounds of Moss French, the miller, on the opposite side of the road from the place occupied by the Spencer girls, carrying away his fences and from one to three feet of earth of his garden of about an acre and filling it fastened with stone. Mr. French puts his damage at $1,000, but it is doubtful if $1,000 will put the garden, fences, trees, roadway and crops in a good condition as before.

Next to the Spencer girls' homestead is the house of the girls' uncle, William Spencer, and next in line is the Washington ville school house, and then Moses H. French's house. These three places escaped without any damage.

The next in order came George Stewart's place. Mr. Stewart's home is on the north side of the mountain, close to the road, and is occupied by himself and daughter, Miss Nellie, a pleasant young woman. On the opposite side of the road Mr. Stewart has his barn, one side of which is on the shore of the stoney brook. The brook at this point runs parallel with Somerset street, and in continuation for about a quarter of a mile.

The waters of the brook overflowed the road at this point and carried away some five cords of wood which Mr. Stewart who is known as "heavy weather," had piled on the roadside, and drowned about fifty feet which he had in the barn. The top timbers on the road is all washed away from there on into North Plainfield, a distance of a mile. Mr. Stewart estimates his loss at $100.

Demlers Hotel, which is next to Stewarts escaped any damage, but the Wilson Stone crusher is covered by debris.

Wetsmpke Falls, just below which the crusher is located remained firm, but the waiters tore away the roadway along side to a depth of about twenty feet, and from ten to twenty feet in breadth, making travel in the vicinity exceedingly dangerous. Many tons of rock on the mountain were scattered in all directions, and his loss in this respect will probably reach $500.

Just below the falls on the shore was a heavy stone cart which had been carried over into the gorge among the rocks by the freshet. The constable who has charge of McDonough's property does not appear to have been much damaged, although the large flume which supplies water to the turbine water wheel which gives the power, was somewhat wrenched and twisted although it is nearly two feet in diameter.

Further down the falls was a light farmer's wagon, up in the branches of the trees, where the stream had forced it.

Next in order came Edgewood, the elegant property of Mr. R. F. M. Chase, which being on the side of the mountain escaped damage, excepting the macadamized sidewalk which he had on Somerset street, in front of his property. This was tore up for about two hundred feet, from one to two feet deep.

Mr. Chase knew nothing of the damage until this morning, when he started for the depot behind his team of handsome bays. He immediately got his gardeners, coachman and other workmen at work relaying a new walk. His loss is estimated about $200.

He says that he was awakened by feeling his house shake and hearing a strange sound from Codington's dam, on Stoney brook, which is on the opposite side of the road. He inquired of his wife as to what she thought was the cause, but they did not think anything strange was the matter, and soon fell asleep again.

The cause of the trembling of the earth was the falling away of Codington's dam. The people of Washingtonville were much interest from Somerset street, and the volume of waters was so great that it tore away much of the embankment covering a surface of about twenty feet. If the reader will stop here and consider what an amount of earth this is, it will give some idea of the power of the flood.

The Coddington's had their ice house on this bank, but so firm were the foundations, being of stone and about twenty feet deep, that they withstood the flood and saved the ice. About thirty feet south-east of the ice house, next to their grist mill, which was well filled with grain, over which mud was washed by the flood, of course destroying it. The Coddington's loss is estimated at from $3,000 to $4,000. They had a large force of men put to work promptly this morning making a roadway for their ice wagons and they expect to be delivering ice to-morrow as usual. This is creditable enterprise.

Next below Coddington's place, comes that of Gotlieb Fritz, next that of Adam Fritz, his son, and next the estate of *L. B. Boice*, upon which Clarence Rice resides with his wife and children. He resides on high ground, which descends to the brook, and is connected to Somerset street by a bridge.

About two o'clock this morning he was aroused and started with a lantern toward the brook to look after his cattle. He found Lewis Coddington, his wife and children in a house occupied by them on the estate cut off by the flood. The house is located by the side of the brook, and the flood had swept away the crop.

Adam Fritz, with the Coddington brothers, worked until near daylight to rescue the family. They were compelled to throw ropes to Fritz and Coddington, who were across the house, while the men held them on the other side. Mrs. Coddington, with her children, were drawn to the ropes were drawn across the stream, Mr. Fritz hazarding his own life to rescue them, by venturing out into the stream as far as possible, holding the rope until on his *strong* arms he carried over the children to a place of safety. He was feared would be carried with him and washed away.

The flood then tore across the street to the small land Miles property, tearing up the side walk and covering the fields with debris.

The Miles property extends several plots. The first in order from the mountain is occupied by Mr. F. W. Miles, the next by Jacob Miles, the next by William Miles, sr., and the next by William Miles, jr.

It was reported that the lightning had struck Mr. F. W. Miles' house. This was not the fact, but Miles property, f

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A SEVEN-YEAR-OLD NURSE

Murders Her Infant Charge and Throws the Body Into a Well.

COLUMBIA, S. C., July 26.—Two families of colored people named Hudson and Typing are neighbors to each other in the county. The two mothers went off on an all day visit the other day, leaving their children together. The oldest child was Georgiana Hudson, aged 7 years, who had under her care Mrs. Typing's baby, 1 year old. When the mothers returned at dark they were informed by the other children that Georgiana had killed the baby and tried to kill a boy 5 years old.

The girl had become enraged at the baby because it cried, and getting a stick she beat it over the head and rubbed sand in its mouth, eyes and ears until it was dead, and then she threw the body in a well. She then turned upon the brother of the murdered infant with a door latch and beat him almost to death, and attempted to throw him into the well, but was not strong enough. She testified that she would have killed the boy if possible. Her mother testified that Georgiana was incorrigible. She is small for her age. She is now in jail.

THE CHICAGO BOODLERS.

What it Cost a Butcher to Secure a Contract for Furnishing Meat.

CHICAGO, July 27.—In the boodlers' trial in Judge Jamieson's court yesterday James Kee, one of a firm of dealers in milk, was the first witness. He testified to having secured contracts with the county at different times by the payment of money to Fred Bipper, and stated that for the same purpose he had at one time paid McGarigle $1,000 and at another $1,400. Fred Bipper was the next witness. He stated that he had been in Chicago seven years, and for the past seven or eleven years had been in the wholesale and retail meat business, and commenced to furnish supplies to Cook county in 1881. He then related how he was first compelled to pay the "boodle" commissions for his contracts each year, giving the names and amounts paid. In 1884 and 1885 his contract cost $10,000. His testimony caused a sensation.

The Coke Syndicate.

PITTSBURG, July 27.—The coke operators held a lengthy and important meeting yesterday. The demands of the furnace men for a reduction in the selling price of coke, a sliding scale of wages for their workmen, the scarcity of railroad cars and the drumming up of business was also part of the subject, but were the problems under discussion. The operators find their business in such shape that they are already debating the necessity of shutting down a portion of their ovens. The question of reorganizing the syndicate was discussed, but no definite action taken.

Freemasons in Court.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., July 27.—The trouble between Hiram lodge and the Grand Lodge of Masons has finally been dragged into court. The various Masonic bodies occupying Masonic temple, which is leased by Hiram lodge, decided recently to change their quarters, and subsequently announced their intention of removing certain furniture at the same time. The Hiramites secured an injunction restraining the several lodges from taking away any of the furniture, and this action has caused some excitement in Masonic circles.

Accidental Shooting.

OCEAN BEACH, N. J., July 27.—Mrs. J. R. Ritheleen, wife of a prominent Lutheran minister, was shot and probably fatally wounded by a 12-year-old boy named Zip yesterday afternoon. Mrs. Ritheleen was in the act of hanging clothes on the line, the boy's rifle came crashing through the side of the house and buried itself in her head. She was about to become a mother. The shooting was accidental. The boy has not yet been arrested.

The Knights of Pythias.

ITHICA, N. Y., July 27.—At yesterday's session of the Grand lodge, Knights of Pythias of the state the following officers were elected: Alson S. McNab, of Rochester, unanimously elected grand chancellor; D. J. Auchmoody, of Rondout, vice grand chancellor; John C. Delamar, New York, grand prelate; Hasbe Hasbe, New York, grand master of exchequer; John J. Acker, Albany, grand keeper of records and seals.

Capt. Hendricks Exonerated.

BROOKLYN, July 27.—The coroner's jury in the case of the drowning of twenty-seven persons by the capsizing of the yacht Mystery in Jamaica bay, July 16, exonerates Capt. Hendricks of the charges of carelessness or intemperance, but recommends that yachts be required to carry boats and to have men enough on board to properly handle the sails in emergencies.

Elected by a Majority of Three.

CHAMBERSBURG, Pa., July 27.—The court has decided that the election board of the First ward erred in not counting the Prohibition vote at the last election, and that Zacharias (Dem.) is therefore elected district attorney by a majority of three, instead of Plough (R.), who was given a majority of two by the board, and has held the office since January.

The Cattle Disease.

TRENTON, N. J., July 27.—Dr. Dimond, the government veterinary surgeon who was sent here to investigate the prevalence of pleuro pneumonia, will destroy the entire herd of seventeen cattle on George W. Rolfe's farm. Mr. Rolfe will be paid $30 per head. Dr. Dimond says the epidemic is not to widespread as has been reported.

Reaching a Great Age.

WOLFSBOROUGH, N. H., July 27.—Mrs. Nancy Bilgerly, a resident of this village, completed her 104d year yesterday. She is feeble in health, but quite vigorous as regards her mind. She can relate incidents in her early life, but fails to retain in her memory occurrences of later years.

The Chief Mormon Dead.

SALT LAKE, Utah, July 27.—John Taylor, president of the Mormon church, died at 7.55 Monday evening. The funeral will be at noon on Friday. The body will lie in state. There will lie in state in that building from 7 to 11.30 a. m. The public will be permitted to view the remains.

Trying to Save Brooks.

ST. LOUIS, July 27.—Mr. Samuel N. Brooks, of Hyde, England, father of Hugh Maxwell Brooks, alias Walter H. Lenox Maxwell, the famous chloroformer of C. Arthur Preller, arrived here to-day to make a last effort to save his son from the gallows.

NOT WELCOME AT HOME

HE DESERTED HIS WIFE AND CAME BACK WITH ANOTHER.

Which Caused the Good Citizens of Keyport, N. J., to Indulge in Vigorous Expressions of Disgust—Left Town for His Own Good.

KEYPORT, N. J., July 27.—The citizens of Keyport stand fast for two things—the Keyport oyster and the Keyport girl. The oysterplains why Mr. William G. Fairchild—called Willie for short—got such a breezy reception in Keyport Monday night. The reception which began with an arrest, expanded into a tin pan serenade and narrowly escaped growing to the portentous proportions of tar and feathers.

Willie is the 25-year-old son of Samuel P. Fairchild, an inspector of mills in this city and one of the leading men of Keyport. The Fairchild residence is a big brick structure, with a cupola and several fall grown bay windows. It is one of the most pretentious homes on First street, the finest of the entire borough. Several years ago Willie went in for banking. He took a subscription paper around and raised the necessary capital, and even in the elections for president or cashier of something, but was defeated. In 1886 he was married to Miss Nettie Maynard, a young lady of exceptional prepossessing charms. Rumor has it that the wedding was unwelcome to him, but at any rate he had not been a husband a week when he stripped out and left his bride forlorn. Heads broke, Mrs. Fairchild took one of the leading boarding houses in the place, which stands a stone's throw from the paternal mansion, and there she has it yet.

Willie went to the west, bought a sombrero and became a ranchman and cowboy. He is very proud of this latter proceeding, and while he was absent left the bank he had brimmed hat with a *killing air*. He is six feet high, but rather slender, and would not make a bashful foe one of Buffalo Bill's bucking horses. Still, Willie is a cowboy from Texas and a terrible creature. In spite of this fact Keyport sympathizes almost to a man with the sorrows of the deserted bride, and for years and years for the good slaven or twelve years had been in the wholesale and retail meat business, and commenced to furnish supplies to Cook county in 1881. He then related how he was first compelled to pay the "boodle" commissions for his contracts each year, giving the names and amounts paid. In 1884 and 1885 his contract cost $10,000. His testimony caused a sensation.

Meanwhile Mrs. Fairchild's father, Mr. Maynard, hearing that the young man was likely to visit his old home, had a warrant prepared for his arrest on the ground of desertion. It was placed in the hands of Constable James M. Walling. Monday afternoon a dispatch warned the constable that the Willie was on his way to Keyport on the steamer Minnie Cornell, which was due at about 6 o'clock. The constable was on hand. So was Willie, with a handsome brunette, supposed to be his former widow and alleged second wife. So was a crowd of citizens. When the boat landed the constable informed the young cowboy that he would have to give a bond if he did not wish to be placed in the lockup.

"But I don't need a bond," said Willie. "I have papers in my pocket that show I'm all right."

"No, you don't," said Constable Walling. "This warrant calls for a bond, and no western divorce will do the business."

The crowd cheered at this and expressed a longing to throw Willie overboard. So Willie was compelled to go along to a lawyer's office. There his father signed a bail bond of $500 and an agreement to produce him when necessary, and the Fairchilds adjourned to the shelter of their mansion, and that after dark that house, for the first time since the people could remember, was illuminated, high and low.

"For his bigamous wife," said the angry citizens, "let's give him a coat."

The more peaceably inclined argued against violence.

"We'll, let's give him a serenade."

Agreed! In a short time about forty boys and men, the latter including many solid citizens, assembled in front of the dark red house and the cupola. They were armed with horns, drums, tin pans, kazoos, bull fiddles and various other instruments of torture. At a given signal the chorus struck up, and for an hour the dark red house got a wrathful blast that fairly made the timbers rattle. For ten minutes it stood the blast. Then, one by one, the lights of the grand illumination went out, until the building was in perfect darkness. But still the din continued. The cowboy did not appear to accept his invitation. The western widow, like Brer Rabbit, lay low. Finally the serenaders blew themselves out and left.

Early yesterday morning Willie and the lady with his father left for New York. The Maynards are collecting evidence of a second marriage. If they get it and Master Willie shows his face in the borough again he will be arrested for bigamy.

Rescued by a Horse from Drowning.

DETROIT, Mich., July 27.—At Higgins' lake, Roscommon county, Mrs. Charles H. Pettit and her little daughter, aged 3 years, were boating, when the child fell into the water. The mother, in her anxiety and fright, upset the boat, and, as they were alone, the chances were they would both be drowned. Such would have been the case had not their horse, an intelligent French pony, which had been turned loose to graze on the shore of the lake, come to their rescue. It swam out to them, and when they had shown his face to the bank it again struggled back to shore, a tired, but heroic pony. The animal is inclined to be balky, and he never would pull anything but a light load, but he is a prime favorite now.

Tragedy at a Wedding.

BRAZIL, Ind., July 27.—A wedding in a settlement of Austrian miners at Carbon ended in an all night, drunken carousal, which broke upat an early hour in the morning with the shooting in which John Morgan was fatally wounded. Four others were severely used. John Ross was shot in the head and is reported to be dead. Two or three others were also badly hurt. John Morgan died fatally. Dr. J. E. Nutt was found on the street at daybreak with his skull crushed with a coupling pin. He is yet unconscious and may die. Constable Ben Hamilton and Policeman Osborn left for Carbon yesterday morning with warrants for the arrest of Thomas Edward and John Morgan, Thomas Rosser and John Ryan. All but John Morgan had skipped.

Was She Murdered?

MALDEN, Mass., July 27.—There is considerable excitement here, occasioned by a strange story printed in a Jacksonville, Fla., paper to the effect that Mrs. Lewis, of this city, who died suddenly at that place, was the victim of foul play by a woman who accompanied her. It is said that the girl was poisoned by her father's mistress, the latter hoping to get more influence over Lewis. The girl was buried here, but her father would not allow her casket to be opened. It is intimated that the facts in the case will be given to legal authorities. Lewis had trouble with his wife, last winter and left her.

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A PAIR OF JOKES

On a Bungalowing Tour Are Captured at New Haven.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., July 26.—George Stacey, aged 15, and John Brogan, 13 years, were arrested in a boat on the Quinnipiac river yesterday morning while endeavoring to steal a lot of lumber. It developed that the boys lived in Boston, and had recently escaped from the Palmer reformatory. Stacey was sent to that institution for stealing $17.50 when he was but 7 years old.

From Palmer the pair went to Stafford, Conn., where they entered Heton's grocery and stole all in cash, and the same day broke into Bartlett's hardware store, securing two revolvers, two knives and a watch. At Willimantic the knives were sold for sixty cents and the revolvers thrown away.

Reaching Lord's Island Sunday morning the boys broke into the railway depot and relieved the cash box of its contents—fifty-three cents—and then went to Keyport. The same night, however, the young burglars moved on to East Haven and tried the depot there. They secured seventy cents, all that could be found.

At 3 o'clock yesterday morning they effected an entrance into the store of James Clarke, on Meadow street, opened the safe and took out sixty-two cents. Then Mr. Clarke's Kohn's store on Congress street was then entered by means of a transom. Here the boys got a complete outfit in the way of clothing, pocketing apparently in disgust themselves when they were arrested. The police have telegraphed to Palmer for information.

A DANGEROUS CURRENT.

Two Men Drowned in a Susquehanna River Regatta.

WILKESBARRE, Pa., July 27.—At the new bridge structure across the Susquehanna river, at this place, two distressing and fatal accidents occurred yesterday. Charles May, carpenter, was floating some timbers down the river to the trestling, when he fell off. The current is very strong, and despite the desperate efforts of the unfortunate man to grasp the timbers again, he was carried struggling down stream and drowned before the eyes of his fellow workmen. He was a married man, 40 years of age and leaves a large family. C. H. Corey, a photographer of this city, who was boating with his daughter and another lady, collided with the scaffolding and his boat upset. Corey was drowned, but the ladies were rescued by persons searching for May's body.

Fell with the Roof.

NEWPORT, Ky., July 27.—Yesterday afternoon the weight of material used in repairing the smoke stack caused a roof to give way and six men employed in the work were precipitated to the ground about twenty feet, the material of the chimney falling upon them. Those injured are the following: George Murray, scalp wounds; Joseph Louys, head and face badly cut and bruised; J. J. Schaefer, hand, arm and head badly hurt; John Collier, bruised; M. Flannery, hip badly broken; T. Nelcers, forehead cut. All those injured were taken to their homes. M. Flannery is thought to be more hurt than any other, and will probably die.

The East of Aberdeen Rejoices.

DUBLIN, July 27.—The Freeman publishes a report of an interview held by its representative with the Earl of Aberdeen, in which the latter is represented as saying that he was much improved by his sojourn in the *pathy with the causes of Irish autonomy* evinced by the people of the British colonies in America. He returns to Great Britain, he says, with a feeling in favor of Irish autonomy for Ireland deepened and intensified, and finds cause for rejoicing in the indications of a steady and rapid growth of British public opinion in the same direction.

Crops in Western New England.

SPRINGFIELD, Mass., July 27.—The Republican this morning publishes statistics showing the following condition of crops in western New England: Hay, quantity increased; quality deficient. Oats and rye have suffered from floods. Corn, good condition and crop large. Corn growing is largely taking the place of tobacco cultivation in the Connecticut valley. Potatoes, up to a scratch. The potato bugs are more numerous than ever before. They nearly spoiled early potatoes, but the late crop may do well. Apple crop small. Fruit crop generally good.

The Church and the Knights.

BALTIMORE, July 27.—Cardinal Gibbons was seen by the *Baltimore Sun* Monday evening in which it was stated that the pope had decided that there is no ground for papal interference with the Knights of Labor. His eminence would not say anything from Rome on that question. He did not think the holy father would condemn the Knights as an organization so long as they kept aloof from anarchism, did not place themselves in antagonism to the rights of others, and continued to accomplish good for the working people.

Powderly with the Miners.

WILKESBARRE, Pa., July 27.—A Knights of Labor convention at Nanticoke is being presided over by Master Workman Powderly. The object is to take action looking to the enforcement of the law passed by the last legislature, compelling coal companies to pay their employes every two weeks. Many large companies have ignored this law. An effort will also be made to effect a reconciliation between the Knights and the Miners' and Laborers' Amalgamated association. To aid in accomplishing this is Mr. Powderly's chief mission at Nanticoke.

Stabbed by Her Stepdaughter.

WICHITA, Kan., July 27.—Mrs. Joseph Demitt, a wealthy lady of this city, was probably fatally stabbed Monday night by her stepdaughter, Mollie Demitt, of Hot Springs, Ark. Despite the daughter's pleadings Demitt by his first wife, and, upon her coming to Wichita, Mrs. Demitt refused her admission to the house. Monday evening Miss Demitt, accompanied by a young man, drove up. The door was open and Mrs. Demitt coming to the door, drew a knife and stabbed her twenty times in the breast, face and arms.

Shocking Acts of a Brutal Husband.

EAST TAWAS, Mich., July 27.—Mrs. Walter Tracy is playfully slapped her husband's face in the presence of a neighbor the other day and he resented it. He struck her in the face several times, kicked and knocked her down. The wounds in injuries may prove fatal. Travis is in jail, charged with "crime less than murder." The injured woman was taken to a neighbor's house, and the brutal husband then killed the dog, tried to make the dog eat it, and failing, nearly killed the dog for disobedience.

5,000 Chicago Carpenters on Strike.

CHICAGO, July 27.—All carpenters in Chicago working more than eight hours a day, or for less than thirty-five cents an hour, or upon a contract where non-union men are employed, received formal instructions last night to strike this morning. It is estimated that nearly 5,000 men come within the conditions specified. The decision to order a strike was due to a refusal of the master carpenters to arbitrate.

WORK OF THE STORM.

RAILROAD TRAINS DELAYED BY WASHOUTS.

The Rescue of a Family from a Submerged House Near Great Barrington, Mass.—Thirty Families Washed Out by the Rain at Reading.

NEW YORK, July 27.—Fourteen people were overcome by the heat yesterday. The highest mercury was 92 degs. At 10 o'clock last evening a remarkable thunder storm came up, but did not cool the air to any extent. With the storm came a hurricane which did considerable damage in people down town. The arrival of the bolt was marked by an explosion resembling the discharge of a cannon. At Hudnut's pharmacy, in the Mendel building, a ball of fire ignited in the air near the soda water fountain, to the demoralization of the clerks and customers. An ambulance on the way to the hospital with a woman suffering from hydrophobia was struck by the lightning, and the driver and surgeon were both partially paralyzed. The woman was uninjured.

BINGHAMTON, N. Y., July 27.—The tracks of the Erie at Red Rock, south of here, and those of the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western were washed out yesterday. The Erie is badly damaged by the flood, and at the present writing all through traffic is stopped. The town of Deposit is flooded. The rains of Monday night and yesterday morning caused the creeks to rise rapidly. All the small bridges have been swept away, and big streams are flowing through Main street, preventing access to many stores, and doing much damage. The water is two feet deep all around the depot and railroad buildings. Much further damage is feared.

READING, Pa., July 27.—Yesterday's storm caused several bad washouts on the Reading railroad, near Shamrock. Buildings were flooded, crops ruined and two barns were struck by lightning and burned. Trains are delayed. A washout of several hundred feet is reported near Macungia. The Methodist church at Lititz was badly damaged by lightning. Thirty families were driven from their houses in the lower part of this city by the flooding of a culvert.

The passenger train on the East Pennsylvania railroad, due here at 9 o'clock, after leaving Alberta, barely escaped disaster, the tracks and embankment giving way behind it. Fifty feet in one place fell away. Had the sick of time, for another landslide ahead of him would have precipitated his train. Other washouts are reported on the main line of the Reading railroad to the north and toward Philadelphia.

SUSQUEHANNA, Pa., July 27.—The rainstorm here was the most destructive ever experienced. The trunk of the Erie road for 1,000 feet has been washed into the Susquehanna river at Red Rock, four miles west of here, impeding traffic. The Jefferson branch is completely cut off. Numerous landslides. Bridges have been washed away and highways and roads destroyed. Several houses were carried down the creeks. The loss in this immediate vicinity is $10,000.

ATHENS, Pa., July 27.—Murray creek overflowed its banks yesterday morning and made its way through the buildings at Mr. Green's landing. Trees, stumps, bridges and fields of grain were swept before the flood. J. A. Weller's farmhouse and barn, and O. W. Thurston's barn were washed away.

GREAT BARRINGTON, Mass., July 27.—An incident of the storm was the rescue of John Stoddard's family from their house in the Green river valley. The torrent rushed down on the north side of the house, flooding it, and the family took refuge in the upper stories, where they were in great peril. The house was accomplished by a neighbor. One of the men lowered the other down the ravine toward the house by means of a rope, which was then thrown over a limb of a tree on the other side of the torrent. This being fastened the two men crossed the ravine hand over hand, and reaching the house finally rescued the entire family. The house still stands in a tottering condition, with part of the foundation washed away.

GREENFIELD, Mass., July 27.—Another break in the roadbed of the Fitchburg railroad, between Erving and Orange, occurred Monday night, and the transportation of passengers is wholly stopped. The road is under the management of the Mason house *until a transfer can be made.*

AUGUSTA, Me., July 27.—There are several bad washouts on the line of the Maine Central railroad, between Vassalboro and Winslow, one of which is sixty feet long and fifteen feet deep. Four trains were stalled here yesterday morning, and 250 travelers are staying at hotels at the expense of the railroad.

CHATTANOOGA, Tenn., July 27.—A dispatch from South Pittsburg says William Mason was killed during a thunderstorm yesterday afternoon. He took refuge with his mule team under an oak. The tree was struck by lightning, and the falling timber crushed Mason and one of his mules to death.

CITY OF MEXICO, July 27.—A renewal of the heavy rains which the sewers were getable to take care of causes apprehension for the safety of the city in case Lake Texcoco should overflow the low lying country between *it and the city. The lake has risen* to the level of the city.

The Charges Sustained.

WASHINGTON, July 27.—Secretary Lamar yesterday gave a personal hearing to C. E. Behle, a special pension examiner, whose recent dismissal he revoked in order to give him an opportunity to explain the charges made against him, which were sustained by the affidavits of five responsible citizens of Cincinnati, alleging that on the 31 of July, at a meeting of a German literary society in Cincinnati, he used opprobrious and insulting language about the president. The secretary did not acquit Behle of the charges of these charges, and he therefore concluded that Behle not only used the language, but that he applied it to the president upon the occasion named. The secretary has, therefore, revoked his order suspending the dismissal of Behle.

The Children of the Poor.

FALL RIVER, Mass., July 27.—The death rate of the city has increased alarmingly during the past week. Nearly all fatality among children whose parents belong to the poorer class. Eighty-eight cases of cholera infantum have resulted fatally since June 1, none of the victims being those of a neighbor of the day and he resented it. He struck her in the face several times, kicked and knocked her down. The wounds in injuries may prove fatal. Travis is in jail, charged with "crime less than murder." The injured woman was taken to a neighbor's house, and the brutal husband then killed the dog, tried to make the dog eat it, and failing, nearly killed the dog for disobedience.

Whipped His Wife to Death.

COLUMBIA, S. C., July 27.—Pickens Bryant, of Hampton county, has been jailed for killing his wife. On Monday he gave her a terrible beating, taking off the skin in many places. She lived only a few hours and died in great agony. Threats of lynching have been made.

NO CRIME IN IRELAND

THE TORY GOVERNMENT CAN FIND NO USE FOR COERCION.

Vigorous Young Spurins Appointed, with Instructions to See That Every Peasant Arrested Is Found Guilty—Mgr. Persico's Mission.

LONDON, July 27.—Now that the government has put itself with a considerable flourish of trumpets in the unenviable position for every offence hitherto known and bringing into the category of crime many acts which have rested as perfectly legitimate and proper, it is beginning to be dreadfully in the discovery that the number of persons who can be coerced even by that sweeping act is fabulously small. Indeed, the absence of crime in Ireland, and the difficulty at the present time is causing a feeling of wonderment among the Dublin Castle and Downing street officials, and has put them completely out of countenance. Either if it isn't possible that the government has been the victim of woful misrepresentation in regard to the condition of Ireland.

However that may be, it will not do for the government to back down now, and crime must be found in Ireland or the Tory party must go to the wall. In this view the government has appointed the Irish magistrates, shelved the old and inactive squires and appointed vigorous young fellows in their place, with special instructions to see that the violation of the crimes law is permitted to go unpunished. These instructions mean, of course, that they shall none out of every case against the newly appointed magistrates and shall see to it that every person arrested is found guilty. After all the worrimeat and exasperation the government has succeeded in doing is to pass the bill, it is still more exasperating to find that there is nobody to coerce and no crime to punish.

It is now expected that the recommendation of the lord lieutenant of Ireland that the National league be forthwith proclaimed and suppressed will be acted upon, since it is plain that the league is organizations is engaged in acts that even under the law especially enacted for the purpose of destroying the league can be construed into crimes, and that the government, in search of a way to create public opinion to the extent of gratuitously crushing or attempting to destroy a body against which no charge of flagrant violation of the law can be brought. Whatever may be done in the inforcement of the act will be done quietly and on a comparatively small scale, for the reasons given, at least.

Mr. John Morley will probably give notice within a very short time of *the issuance* of a Liberal address condemning the acts and policy of the government, and the subject will in this way be thoroughly ventilated.

A fair idea of the manner in which the government's proclamation of the Irish coercion bill is received may be gained from the fact that when the placards announcing the proclamation were posted in Limerick the corporation of that city met and enacted sweeping resolutions declaring the proclamation to be an attack upon the rights of free speech and political organization, and as such deserving of public condemnation.

Mr. Gladstone's address to the Liberal and Radical Union council at Memorial hall next Friday is expected to be a scathing denunciation of the government's Irish policy, as was Mr. Balfour's application of the crimes act in Ireland has furnished the world with another version of the fable of the mountain in labor and the ridiculous mouse. The torrent rushed himself of the circumstance to heap sufficient ridicule upon the ministry to laugh them out of court. Mr. John Morley will preside and the principle business transaction that will be launched upon the Tories.

Mgr. Persico, having practically completed his work of inquiring into the condition of Ireland, will return to Rome about the middle of August. It is asserted that the report of his investigation, which he has forwarded to the pope, is drawn upon the same lines as those upon which Cardinal Gibbons' memorial to the holy father was based, and it is surmised that the pope, after reading it, will be thoroughly convinced of the fruitlessness of endeavoring to make the Irish Catholic clergy from taking an active part in Home Rule politics and anti-eviction demonstrations.

CONDENSED NEWS.

David Mitchell, a well known New Haven sawdealer, aged thirty-five years or more had carried on business in that city, died yesterday.

George R. Thomas, cashier of the Second National bank of Utica, N. Y., is dead.

A company with $10,000,000 capital has been organized in St. Paul to build a new railroad to Lake Superior.

At Shenandoah, in Siberia, two men were killed and twenty others injured by the explosion of twenty-two boilers belonging to a blast furnace and iron works. Six houses and a factory were destroyed by a fire which broke out after the explosion.

A drunken police officer at Chattanooga, Tenn., attempted to murder a fellow officer with his revolver.

President Cleveland is to be invited to Philadelphia and Chicago.

The new $2 silver certificates, with Hancock vignette, are being raised and circulated as $10 certificates in Chicago by two suspicious looking women.

The German government has completed the cleaning of the forts around Cologne. The infantry will be armed with repeating rifles by Oct. 1.

The work of changing the tracks of the Union Pacific railroad between Omaha and the Union Pacific railroad to the standard grade was accomplished in a few hours.

Capt. James M. Murray, the first chief of police of Jamaica, N. Y., died on Monday night. He was a captain on Lake Chautauqua for many years.

About eighty Chinamen were brought before Justice Ford, Brooklyn, charged with playing bunco loo and smoking opium. The *justice fined them $3 each for gambling.* He explained the light sentence by saying that no white man was found in the party engaged, therefore, a minimum of Chautauqua resulted.

George H. Patch, military editor of The Boston Globe and ex-commander of the department of Massachusetts, G. A. R., died yesterday, after a brief attack of pneumonia.

Mrs. Heyst, who fled from Holland with Van Heyst, was arrested in Fredericksburg, court at Easton, Pa. She claims that her marriage portion was as large as the sum she took with her.

Mr. Ferdinand Jn Austrian gold coin and bank bills which Filemon Zalewski, the embezzler, brought here from Vienna, was turned over to the Austrian consul at the request of the latter.

The argument for a stay of the sentences in *the case of Jacob Sharp, pending the hearing* of his appeal, was begun before Judge Potter in New York.

Dr. McIlvan, in an article contributed to The North American Review, points out perils to America in the fact that efforts are being made, chiefly by the Catholic church, to prevent foreign born people assimilating with the native type, and in the hostility of that church to the public schools.

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IN BURNSIDE'S MEMORY.

A Bronze Statue Unveiled at Providence.

The equestrian statue of Gen. Burnside was unveiled at Providence, R. I., July 4, with appropriate ceremonies and a parade of all the military organizations of the state. Among the visitors from other states Gen. Sherman was conspicuous. The statue is a worthy one—worthy of all the enthusiasm Rhode Island could muster for the occasion. It is at once simple in design, massive and very impressive in general effect. The statue

THE BURNSIDE MONUMENT.

is of bronze, one and a half times life size, and stands on a pedestal of granite sixteen feet high. The proportions are so true that, though the figure of Gen. Burnside is nearly nine feet long, it seems in harmony with the immense horse, and the beholder does not at first view realize the size of the figures. The general is represented as upon an eminence with his face turned to the left, attentively watching the movements of different troops, and this idea is borne out by the field glass in his hand. The skill of the artist is shown in the vivid, lifelike attitude of the horse, which seems tremulous with repressed action, though all the feet rest upon the ground; the ears are pricked up and the nostrils dilated, as if scenting the battle. It cost about $40,000 which was raised by the state, the city of Providence and private donations. It is the production of Mr. Launt Thompson, of New York city.

An interesting fact concerning the statue is revealed by an inspection of Mr. Thompson's method of work. In early life a student of medicine, he paid especial attention to anatomy, and when he abandoned medicine for sculpture his early training came into use. In the clay modeling of the Burnside statue the man was mounted upon the horse nude, the anatomy of the form being almost as well developed as if the nude man was to be the completed figure. Then the figure was clothed as if it was a live man, though in different order and by different means. The hat, gauntlets, boots, outer garments, sash, etc., were all put on separately. The horse was also treated in a similar manner. The horse was cast in eight sections, the man in six and the plinth in one. The sections of the model of the horse for the foundry were: The head and neck to junction of the shoulders, the fore part to junction of the saddle, running round the saddle and following the fall of the hind part of the body, the tail and each of the four legs. The horse is dovetailed into the plinth, so to speak, projections in the hoofs fitting into the corresponding hollows in the plinth. The sections of the man were the head and neck, to the junction of the latter with the shirt collar; each hand to the junction of the gauntlets with the coat sleeves; the body above and to junction with the sash; the lower part of the body and legs in two sections, each section including a leg. The coats and all flying accessories, like sword, tassels, field glasses and cases for the same, etc., were cast in separate pieces.

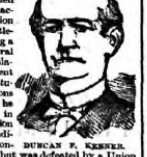
Gen. Sherman was the chief figure of interest in the procession, seated in a barouche, drawn by four white horses. The Rhode Island militia was under command of its regular officers, the grand army of the Republic and veteran divisions under their respective officials, while the line generally was directed by Col. Isaac M. Potter as chief marshal. Of the 10,000 men in line, 3,500 were veterans of the war. Governor Davis opened the exercises with a brief address; Rev. Joseph J. Woolley, of Pawtucket, offered prayer, and then Gen. Lewis Richmond, formerly of Burnside's staff, unveiled the statue with a few appropriate words.

Circumstances Alter Cases.

A boy who can't be induced to go to a store a quarter of a mile away on an errand can be hired to walk five hours on a stretch if it is only called a walking match and the proprietor puts up a silver quarter as a prize.—Detroit Free Press.

Duncan F. Kenner.

Hon. Duncan F. Kenner, the noted politician of Louisiana, died at his house in New Orleans on the 3d instant, aged 74 years. In the middle era of his life he was a power in his state, and down to near the close of life was active and influential in business. He was born in New Orleans, his parents being from Virginia, road law in the office of Hon. John Slidell and worked in active political work with that gentleman. After being a member of several successive legislatures and president of the constitutional conventions of 1845 and 1853, he took ground in favor of secession and was a candidate for the convention of 1861, but was defeated by a Union man. After the state seceded, however, he was elected to the Confederate congress, in which he was chairman of the important committee on ways and means. Near the close of the war Jefferson Davis selected Mr. Kenner for a diplomatic mission to France and England; but he went too late to accomplish anything. After the war he remained aloof from politics most of the time, only appearing on one great emergency. He was a man of great wealth and an active promoter of racing and breeding fine stock. He died quite unexpectedly of a general collapse of the vital powers.



DUNCAN F. KENNER.

Clever Scott Is Out.

An old negro that was preparing to remove his household chattels, and who desired, as the representative of a certain class of negroes always does, to create the impression that he possessed valuable goods, looked shyly at several acquaintances, and then called one of his children, said: "Tell yer mudder not for ter fill my pussonal trunk wid dat silverware. De Lawd knows I does want dem railroad folks ter be chargin' me mighty little baggage."—Arkansaw Traveler.

Gas Going Out of Use.

Gas is going out of use in Boston because the best rooms are never lit by it now. It is at length acknowledged that the effects of it are too damaging for health, and, worse still, for delicate furniture, hangings and pictures.

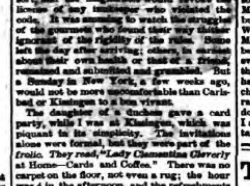
YOUNG FOLKS' COLUMN.

A MOST NATURAL AND EASY MODE OF SWIMMING.

Philanthropist, Stephen Girard—Derivation of Words Relating to Money That Are Both Instructive and Entertaining.

As Philadelphia is where an elaborate celebration of the anniversary of the birthday of the philanthropist, Stephen Girard, is to be held this year, it may be well to acquaint our younger readers with a few of the many incidents of this good man's notable life.

Stephen Girard was born in Bordeaux, France, about the year 1750. He came to Philadelphia for the first time in 1769, and it is told that he was obliged to borrow $5 to bring him into that city. He died in December, 1831, an old man, almost 82 years of age. During his long life he advanced step by step upward, beginning at the early age of 17 as a cabin boy in a ship, then a cook, and from thence upward to steward, mate and captain, until he became a very successful mariner and merchant. Having no children of his own, Mr. Girard left at his death the immense fortune of nearly $6,000,000 for the founding and maintenance of a college for boys, now known the country over as "Girard college."



THE PHILANTHROPIST'S GIFT.

In the midst of his prosperity it is told that Mr. Girard never lost his fondness for young people and canary birds, all of whom he liked well, but those of the latter he fairly doted on in "the Neck." A writer in Domestic Monthly tells how every day in his yellow gig Mr. Girard drove down there, and then took off his coat and went to work. Rich though he was, he did not disdain manual labor, but found pleasure in the recreation, as well as profit from his farm.

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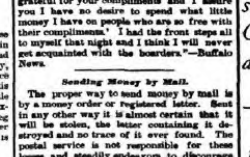

ONE WAY OF SWIMMING.

The swimmer who wishes to imitate these canine evolutions must keep his hands in front of his chest, as shown in the cut, and strike out with each hand and foot alternately, the right hand with the left foot, and vice versa. The hands strike downwards towards the chest, the palms depressed, and a little hollowed. The legs strike out as usual, except that the motion is alternate, first one leg being used and then the other. Remember always to inhale the air when the head is highest out of water.

Pluck and Luck.

Pluck and luck are wonderfully different affairs, says Young People. Luck is a delusion. We cannot learn by luck; we cannot acquire anything worth knowing by it; it is all imagination. Pluck is a quality of character well worth possessing.

The boy or girl who waits on luck for success will wait long. On the other hand, all who have pluck will either succeed or make a dignified and excusable failure. It is not pleasant to fail of success in anything that we attempt, but better far something good attempted, even if it be not achieved, than the idle, aimless waiting for a shower of good fortune that may never fall. Life is not a lottery where dispensing favors without any regard to the deserts of the winners. Life's best prizes are worked for, struggled for, toiled for and all the sweeter when secured by reason of the toil and struggle that has won them. Easy won, little worth, might well be a proverb. We do not generally appreciate what it has cost us nothing to secure. Let us not be afraid of effort and pain, but cheerfully put our shoulders well to our load in life. Having set some good aim before us, let us work with heart and brain, and, above all, with pure, and patience, for the object we desire. We may be disappointed, but success even if the coveted prize be not grasped, and in all things the old couplet is worthy of remembrance:

"If at first you don't succeed,
Try, try again."

Thought.

Thought is to the soul what the forge is to the sword-blade. Both bend and both shape. In the forge-fire, hot I am and of fervent flame, and, during, can I bid my memory rove,
Or turn my soul's eyes from the face I love?

The second clear blast may wear out my life,
The low-toned voice whose treasured words have been
Sweet music to me; but my heart can know,
I dare not dream, lest it should seem too fair;
The bitter truth, a thing too like despair.

My thoughts are traitors: I should feel its clasp,
That clear right hand that was so brave and true,
That held a strength within its earnest grasp,
Making a weapon of its tenderness more;
The traitor thoughts bring it back to me,
The peace, the undeserved love that comforted me.
—H. Martin.

RIGIDITY OF THE RULES

Against Invalids and High Livers Who Visit Carlsbad or Kissingen.

Every one indeed accepts the regimen prescribed, and submits to it more or less unreflectingly. At many of these places the doctors dictate to the healthy as well as the sick. "You cannot, even at dinner, take either soup or cheese or salad, or fruit, butter, or whatever it is that is forbidden. The prosperity of the spa depends upon its success as a healing resort, and the Prussian Government avoids trouble because of any intolerance who violated the code. It was amusing to watch the struggles of the gourmands who found their way to the Kursaal, or the Redoute, in the days before left the day after arriving; others, to curious about their own health or that of a friend, remained and submitted and grumbled. But a hundred to one in New York, a few weeks ago, would not be more uncomfortable than Carlsbad or Kissingen to a bon vivant.

The daughter of a duchess gave a card party which I was at lately, which was piquant in its simplicity. The invitations alone were formal, but they were part of the frolic. They read, "Lady Emmeline Cleverly at Home—Cards and Coffee." There was no carpet on the floor, not even a rug; the hour was 4 in the afternoon, and the refreshments were literally limited to coffee and the plainest of cakes. The guests mingled in ordinary clothes; but the company consisted of some of the highest nobility of England. They laughed at each other, and even poked fun at their own awkwardness at work. Rich though he was, he did not disdain manual labor, but found pleasure in the recreation, as well as profit from his farm.

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The swimmer who wishes to imitate these canine evolutions must keep his hands in front of his chest, as shown in the cut, and strike out with each hand and foot alternately, the right hand with the left foot, and vice versa. The hands strike downwards towards the chest, the palms depressed, and a little hollowed. The legs strike out as usual, except that the motion is alternate, first one leg being used and then the other. Remember always to inhale the air when the head is highest out of water.

Pluck and Luck.

Pluck and luck are wonderfully different affairs, says Young People. Luck is a delusion. We cannot learn by luck; we cannot acquire anything worth knowing by it; it is all imagination. Pluck is a quality of character well worth possessing.

The boy or girl who waits on luck for success will wait long. On the other hand, all who have pluck will either succeed or make a dignified and excusable failure. It is not pleasant to fail of success in anything that we attempt, but better far something good attempted, even if it be not achieved, than the idle, aimless waiting for a shower of good fortune that may never fall. Life is not a lottery where dispensing favors without any regard to the deserts of the winners. Life's best prizes are worked for, struggled for, toiled for and all the sweeter when secured by reason of the toil and struggle that has won them. Easy won, little worth, might well be a proverb. We do not generally appreciate what it has cost us nothing to secure. Let us not be afraid of effort and pain, but cheerfully put our shoulders well to our load in life. Having set some good aim before us, let us work with heart and brain, and, above all, with pure, and patience, for the object we desire. We may be disappointed, but success even if the coveted prize be not grasped, and in all things the old couplet is worthy of remembrance:

"If at first you don't succeed,
Try, try again."

The Arkansas Grocer is Known.

A female, blind, deaf and dumb, and hard worked, by her family to support them, has given a public exhibition of the truth of the speaker. I remember the day when Thomas Jefferson—peace to his ashes—was held up to ridicule as an infidel, because he dared to think, to read, to investigate, to form opinions of his own.

Its Interviewers Jay Gould and Indulges in Some Mental Reflections.

It had been a long, long time since I last had Jay Gould and I called upon the interviewer to exercise his functions. Time dims the happy past. Ten years of patient toil and earnest endeavor on my part, ten years of philanthropy on his, have been filled away in the dark backward and abysm of time. Both of us have changed in that time, though Jay has changed more than I have. Perhaps that is because he has been thrown more in contact with the people than I have.

Still, I had changed a good deal in those years, for when I called at Irvington yesterday Mr. Gould did not remember me. Neither did the watchful but overestimated dog in the front yard, answer his business.

Carefully concealing the fact that I had any business relations with the press, I gave my card to the person who does duty as doors for Mr. Gould, and, apologizing for not having dropped in before, I took a seat in the spare room to wait for the grand financial magnate.

"I believe that I have never had the pleasure of meeting you before, sir," said the great railroad swallower and amateur philanthropist, with a singular railroad irony.

"Yes, sir, we met some ten years ago," said I, lightly running my fingers over the keys of the piano in order to show him that I was accustomed to the sight of a piano. "I was then working in the rolling mill at Laramie City, Wyo., and you came to visit the mill, which was then operated by the Union Pacific Railroad company. I do not remember me because I have purchased a different pair of trousers since I saw you, and the cane which I wear this season changes my whole appearance also. I remember you, however, very much."

"Well, if we grant all that, Mr. Nye, will you excuse me for asking you to what I am indebted for this call?"

"Well, Mr. Gould," said I, rising to my full height and putting my soft hat on the brow of the Venus de Milo, after which I seated myself

THE INTERVIEWER.

opposite him in a dogeye western way, "you are indebted to me for this call. That's what you're indebted to. But we will let that pass. We are not here to talk about indebtedness, Jay. If you are busy you needn't return this call till next winter. But I am here just to converse in a quiet way, as between man and man. To talk over the past, to ask you how your conduct is and to inquire if I can do you any good in any way whatever. This is no time to speak pieces and ask in a grammatical way, 'To what you are indebted for this call.' My main object in coming up here was to take you by the hand and ask you how your memory is this spring! Judging from what I could hear, I was led to believe that it was a little inclined to be sluggish and atrophied days and to keep you awake nights. Is that so, Jay?"

"No, sir; that is not so."

"Very well, then I have been misled by the reports in the papers, and I am glad it is all a mistake. Now, one thing more before I go. Did it ever occur to you that while you and your family are all out in your yacht together some day, a sudden squall, a quick lurch of the ice scrapers, a tremulous movement of the main brace, a shudder of the spring boom might occur and all be over?"

"Yes, sir. I have often thought of it, and of course such a thing might happen at any time; but you forget that while we are out on the broad and boundless ocean we enjoy ourselves. We are free. People with morbid curiosity cannot come and call on us. We cannot get the daily newspapers, and we do not have to meet low, vulgar people who pay their debts and perspire."

"Of course, that is one view to take of it; but that is only a selfish view. Supposing that you have made no provision for the future in case of accident. Would it not be well for you to name some one outside of your own family to take up this great burden which is now weighing you down—this money which you say yourself has made a slave of you—and look out for it?

"If you have not thoroughly considered this matter I wish that you would do so at an early date. I have in my mind's eye just such a man as you need. His shoulders are well fitted for a burden of this kind, and he would pick it up cheerfully at any time you see fit to lay it down. I will give you his address."

"Thank you," said Mr. Gould, as the thermometer in the next room suddenly froze up and burst with a loud report. "And now, if you will excuse me from offesting my time, which is worth $500 a minute, against yours, which I judge to be worth about $1 per week, I will bid you good morning."

He then held the door open for me, and shortly after that I came away. There were three reasons why I did not remain, but the principal reason was that I did not think he wanted me to do so.

And so I came away and left him. There was little else that I could say after that.

It is not the first time that a western man has been treated with consideration in his own section, only to be disowned and cast from when he meets the same man in New York.

Mr. Gould is below the medium height, and is likely to remain so through life. His countenance wears a crafty expression, and yet he allowed himself to be April fooled by a genial party of gentlemen from Boston, who visited the central branch of the Union Pacific railroad by bidding back all the freight for two weeks in order to have it on the road while Jay was examining the property.

Jay Gould would attract very little attention here on the streets, but he would certainly be looked upon with suspicion in Paradise. A man who would fail to remember that he had $7,000,000 that belonged to the Erie road, but who does not forget to remember whenever he pass his own hotel bills at Washington, is the kind of a man who would pull up and pawn the pavements of Paradise within thirty days after he got there.

After looking over the above statement carefully, I first called upon, in justice to myself, to state that Dr. Burchard did not assist me in constructing the last sentence.

I do not wish to crush capital with labor, or to further intensify the feeling which already exists between the two, for I am a land holder and taxpayer myself, but I say that the man who goes out after up with the common people seems to be summoned to explain something and shake the moths out of his memory will some day, when the grass grows green over his grave, find himself confronted by the same kind of a memory on the part of mankind.

I do not say all this because I was treated in an off hand manner by Mr. Gould, but because I think it ought to be said.

As I said before, Jay Gould is considerably below the medium height and I am not going to take it back.

He is a man who will some day sit out on the corner of a new laid plank with his little pink railroad maps on his knee, and ask "Where am I?" and the echos from every mussy corner of miasmatic oblivion will take up the question and refer it to the judiciary committee; but it will curl up and die like the minority report against a big railroad land grant.—New York World.

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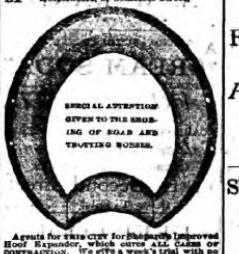

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—The ice man is the one upon whom society now invariably smiles.

—The weather man made a fearful mistake about the weather yesterday.

—The regular weekly meeting of the Reform Club will be held this evening.

—One of the signs of coming better times is a drop of $500 in the price of elephants.

—The fool killer takes no summer vacation. The eaters of unripe fruit keep him busy all summer.

—The small boy is now in the heighth of his glory, as the penny whistle has once again come to town.

—The official investigation of the Mt. Holly water is likely to do away with its use as a beverage for a while.

—The sewers under the Liberty street railroad bridge are unable to carry off the surplus water in that vicinity.

—It is against the law to shoot robins at any time. Bear this in mind. The penalty in this State is a very heavy one.

—The Crescents defeated the High School nine in a game of base ball on the Park avenue grounds yesterday afternoon.

—To-morrow the excursion given under the auspices of the Warren Mission chapel to Asbury Park and Ocean Grove will take place.

—Jones & Co. were engaged cleaning out the sewer at the corner of Front street and Park avenue yesterday afternoon. The sewers were clogged up with dirt.

—It is reported that a man while standing on the bank of the brook at Grove street, during the storm Tuesday evening, lost his footing and narrowly escaped drowning.

—Tea drinking has been found to be so injurious to the nerves, that a society has started that an effort is being made to start an anti-tea movement, similar to the temperance agitation.

—A regular meeting of Winfield Scott Post, No. 73, G. A. R. was held in Grand Army Hall on East Front street last evening, at which business of a routine nature was transacted.

—Work is reported brisk at the Central car shops at Elizabeth, and Tuesday morning about a dozen mechanics from the Hampton Junction shops were put to work, principally in the boiler and blacksmith departments.

—On Tuesday, August 30, Engine Co., No. 2, will hold their annual excursion to Oriental Grove on Long Island sound. The steamer General Sedgewick and a barge have been chartered to convey the excursionists to their destination.

—A man named Cass Teller was arrested by Policeman Grant last night on a charge of drunk and disorderly. This morning City Judge Ulrich gave him the choice of paying a five dollar fine or spending 30 days in the county jail.

—Exchanges report that under the regime of the new postmaster at Plainfield, business has so fallen off that his salary has been reduced $100. Before he got control Plainfield kept steadily going ahead, while other localities fell behind. Now the case seems to be reversed, while in other places it is going ahead, even New Brunswick receiving a gain of $100.

—G. A. R. men have been notified to look out for an alleged "old soldier" who has been operating in the State, representing himself as a pensioner and from a soldiers' home, and about to leave for Germany. He has numerous papers and documents referring to his record, which he shows to the party from whom he seeks aid. He also claims that he will receive a pension the following day.

—So many of our carriers go on the Warren Mission excursion to-morrow that we have been unable to provide enough substitutes on short notice to supply their places. Efforts will be made to reach all our subscribers without interfering with the boys taking one day's pleasure. We give this notice so that in case any of our readers do not receive their paper on time they will kindly notify the boy so that he may supply them.

—Here is what the Jersey City Argus says upon an old grievance of the little folks, and it says it in commendably emphatic words: "A three-year old boy was locked up at St. Augustine, Fla., a few days ago, for stealing four plums from a garden. The man who preferred the complaint, and the justice who made out the complaint, should both be horsewhipped. The Burlington woman who threw pepper in the eyes of a little child who sat down to play on the stoop of the woman's house, should be treated to a dose of her own medicine, rubbed in by a good strong hand. If there should be any sort of brutality which should be severely punished, it is that which is wrecked on little children. That they are not all angels we are willing to admit, but they sin through ignorance in most cases, and even when their offenses come of natural perversity their helplessness should protect them from anything like violence."

—St. Joseph's Benevolent Association will hold a meeting this evening and complete their organization.

—Sherbert Syrup is a delicious drink with or without French ice cream at Field & Randolph's, 21 West Front street, as elsewhere advertised.

—During the past week Pope the dry good man, has been selling edgings for a cent a yard. Now he has something else as cheap, as per his announcement to-day in our adv. column.

—At Mr. F. H. Miller's residence on Carlton avenue, there is a night-blooming cereus which has borne blossoms twice during the present month, a circumstance considered very rare.

—A party of picnickers composed of about thirty North Plainfielders started this morning for the mountains, when they arrived there the principal thing on the program was a clam-bake.

—A number of people from Plainfield, in spite of the mud between here and Boynton Beach, went to that place by stage drawn by four horses yesterday morning at about 8 o'clock, returning at 8.30 p. m.

—The case of Lawrence Drake vs. Albert Christi, is to come up for trial before Justice Austin at ten o'clock Saturday morning. The complaint alleges that Christi wilfully ran into and wrecked Drake's wagon.

—The hop at Hotel Netherwood was well attended last evening. Among the guests were a number of prominent Plainfield people. The order of dancing included many of the latest fads, and the affair broke up at two o'clock this morning.

—A popular hair renewer, sold at one dollar a bottle, has recently been analyzed by the American "Doctor." It is found to contain sand a half a pound, and contains "sixty grains of sugar of lead, sixty grains of sulphur, a little glycerine and water, with a drop or two of perfume." The sulphur combines with the lead, forming a dark sulphate which slowly darkens the hair and poisons the user.

—One of the men solicited to join the proposed new Plainfield military company gives a different reason than that published for the failure to effect an organization. A fine lot of young men to the number of eighteen or twenty, had been induced to join. Two respectable machinists from Scott's Press Works made application for membership. Several meetings were held, it is said, and objections were made to their admission, simply because they were mechanics. Our informant says that although he is an employer, he did not consider himself any better than the mechanics who were objected to, and who were on an equal footing as members. He and others like him withdrew, and the company seems to have stranded.

—Articles of incorporation were recently filed in the Union County Clerk's office at Elizabeth of the Cumberland Mining and Manufacturing Company. The incorporators are Jacob Kirkner, President of the Board of Education; Fire Commissioner William H. Brewer, Dr. J. T. Fritts, Seymour G. Smith and William C. Kello. The capital stock is placed at $200,000. The objects of the company are stated to be: "Mining and Lumbering, the buying and selling of real estate, the developing and improving of mineral and lumber lands; the preparing for commercial uses iron, coal and other minerals and lumber, and the conveying of the same to market." The company owns large tracts of lands in Kentucky and Virginia, and propose to begin forthwith the work of developing the same.

About Libel Suits.

The Newark News, than which there is no brighter newspaper in New Jersey, in commenting upon the epidemic of libel suits which has recently broken out in this State, makes some very truthful remarks. It says:

Honest newspapers never, without cause and sufficient grounds, detract the character of man or woman. Having committed an error of misstatement, journals of the character described, conscious of the value of a good name, are ever ready to correct that which has been unconsciously printed. But there the line should be drawn. The crooked bully and the derelict bravado, backed by his jackal, the shyster lawyer, should never be permitted to crush truth with the threat of a libel suit. The frequency with which such proceedings are begun, and the everlasting torture that "libel suits" have worked successfully, and that in the small towns and in the rural districts continues to be potent in shutting up the press.

After deprecating as the worst feature of the epidemic the institution of libel suits by one editor against another, the News further says:

It is not violent to declare that at least one-half of the libel suits that now encumber the dockets of the various courts of the State are based on frivolous complaints. It is probable that on motion one-half of them would be promptly ruled from the docket by the Judges before whom they are brought, instituted with the purpose of extorting either money or a disclaimer, most of such suits will not reach the scrutiny of a Judge, whose work at all times is too laborious and whose time too valuable to squander over the mocking of litigation." The newspaper that is so entrenched in its position that it is willing "to fight it out on that line" should not let the mould collect on papers filed in such issues. As a matter of reform they should begin at the beginning, and, refusing to be bled by farmer out west; another is a machinist in Iowa, and the others are attending schools or finishing their education in colleges.

PERSONAL.

Mr. R. M. Shower of Broadway, is at Lake George for a few weeks.

Jas. Wilson and wife of this city are registered at the National House, Ocean Grove.

Walter Bass, Jr., of Eighth street is registered at the Coleman House, Asbury Park.

Miss May Bellardit of New York is visiting her friend, Miss Josie Taylor of North avenue.

Chas. Renisen of East Second street is registered at the Commercial Hotel, Ocean Grove.

Mrs. B. A. Hegeman of Washington Park, North Plainfield, is sojourning in the eastern states.

Councilman Dumont and family of East Seventh street left to-day for the Catskill mountains.

Mr. A. E. Bushnell and wife of East Second street, are at the Grand Central, Asbury Park.

Mrs. F. H. Miller, of Carlton avenue, is stopping at the Rip Van Winkle House, in the Catskills.

Wallace V. Miller and mother of Laing's Hotel have returned from a ten days' visit to Asbury Park.

Mr. W. E. MacClymont of Washington Park, North Plainfield, is at Norwalk, Conn., for a few weeks.

Miss Marion F. Randolph, daughter of ex-Mayor Randolph of East Front street, is at the Spring House, Block Island.

William Jacques, the six months' old son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert H. Gallaher, died at the residence of his parents yesterday.

Charles Giese of Somerset street left to day on a fishing trip to Asbury Park and Barnegat Bay, to be gone several days.

The funeral of Mrs. Millicent Hampston took place from her late residence, 92 West Second street, at 2.30 o'clock yesterday afternoon.

Miss Kittie McCann of West Third street, started yesterday for a few weeks' visit to friends in Newark, Asbury Park and Coney Island.

Auguste Saltzman, ex-Chief of the Plainfield Fire Department, left to-day for the Catskill mountains to join his family who are there summering.

Miss Anna, the daughter of Rev. T. Logan Murphy of North Plainfield, is visiting the family of Mr. Lesh, formerly of this city, at Newton Centre, Mass.

Councilman Rowland Cox and family of Seventh street started to-day to spend the remainder of the summer at Loon Lake, Franklin County, New York.

Thomas O'Hara, the janitor of St. Jos.'s Church, North Plainfield, is still confined to his home on Manning avenue, suffering from an attack of inflammation of the bowels.

The condition of Mrs. Nicholas Lamipter, of New Market, the woman who was protrated by the heat about ten days ago, and and whose life was despaired of is somewhat improved, and it is now thought that she will recover.

Edgar W. Sharp died at the residence of his parents, James H. and Susan J. Sharp, corner Race and Warren streets, North Plainfield, yesterday afternoon, aged five years, nine months and twenty-two days.

Delia Connett, colored, died at the residence of her parents, James and Emily Connett, on Rockview avenue, North Plainfield yesterday afternoon, aged one year and nine months old. The family are comparative strangers, having moved here but a few days ago.

Mr. T. B. Gardner of Westerly, R. I., took up his residence in Plainfield about six months ago, and is so well pleased with the place that a few days ago he removed his family here, consisting of his wife and daughter. They reside on East Front street. Mr. Cardner is engaged in Potter's Press Works.

Mrs. Susan Stillman of Central avenue, one of the oldest and most highly esteemed members of the Seventh Day Baptist Church, is now past eighty-two years of age, and is still in vigorous health. About eighteen years ago she stepped on a stone and slipped, fracturing the instep bones, which left her a cripple. Her husband, Thomas B. Stillman, was a brother of Dr. Stillman, the founder of the Plainfield public school system, and also one time Mayor of Plainfield. Mr. Thomas B. Stillman died near the close of the war. He was manager of the Novelty Iron Works, and had charge of the construction of some of the most formidable iron clads built during the war. The couple had no children, but adopted a niece, Miss Joanna E. Briggs. She became a member of the family when five years old, and after her marriage continued to reside with Mrs. Stillman. Mrs. Stillman and Mrs. Cardner are greatly attached to each other and have not been separated ever since Mrs. Cardner's childhood. Mr. Stillman formerly owned the Onderdonk property and left much other property to his widow. He and J. Frank Hubbard, Director of the Union County Board of Freeholders, and Mr. Hubbard's brother, Joseph Hubbard, Assessor of the city of Plainfield, were cousins. Mrs. Catherine G. Emerson, who resides with Mrs. Stillman, is her niece. Mrs. Emerson has nine children, two of her sons, Howard G. and Harold, also residing at the homestead. Howard G. is a lawyer and a member of a prominent law firm of New York. Harold is studying law. The other son is a practical farmer out west; another is a machinist in Iowa, and the others are attending schools or finishing their education in colleges.

Another Remedy.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE NEWS:—I notice a request of your correspondent a week or so ago, for a remedy against ants. To get rid of ants sprinkle cinnamon over the closet shelves. Another way is to soak a sponge in sweetened water to entrap them.

ANOTHER HOUSEKEEPER.

DUNELLEN.

The Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor held their lawn sociable in the Depot Park last evening. The Bound Brook brass band furnished the music. It was a success in every particular. Among the ladies in charge of the affair were Mrs. Carhart, Mrs. Elsa Bodine, Mrs. Herbert Pope, Miss Ada Thomas and Miss Ada Sutphen.

After the Storm Notes.

The lightning Tuesday night in addition to striking the Osterberger residence on West Front street, as previously reported in THE NEWS yesterday, extinguished the electric light in front of the residence.

The beautiful grounds of John Taylor Johnston of East Front street were entirely submerged part of the time and the extensive walks and roads were considerably damaged.

Other property along Green brook was likewise damaged.

Farmers from over the mountain beyond Washingtonville report great damage from Tuesday's storm. It is reported the heaviest and most destructive fruhet in twenty years in Warren county.

The Pequile river, in Warren township, about four-and-a-half miles from Plainfield, overflowed its banks, the overflow being over a mile wide and from three to four feet deep.

The flood swept fiercely all day yesterday, and mowing machines and other farming implements are all submerged.

The crops are destroyed. Among the heaviest losers in Warren township is John Wendell, John Cooper, Thomas Simpson, ex-Sheriff Coddington, George W. Chapman, and George Taylor.

Mr. Wendell loses five acres of oats and about four acres (eight tons) of low meadow hay.

Mr. Cooper loses thirteen acres of oats, eight acres of buckwest and about thirty-five acres of grass. The grass will be lost by being all submerged in mud.

Mr. Simpson loses twenty acres of grass and about twenty acres of oats.

Ex-Sheriff Coddington loses seven acres of oats, and about fifteen acres of grass.

Mr. Taylor loses about twenty-five acres of oats, corn and hay.

In Scotch Plains, Farmer George W. Chapman loses about forty acres of hay. It was all first quality low meadow hay and would run about two tons to the acre, the crop being exceedingly heavy this year.

The bridge leading to Smalleytown on the road to Stirling has been swept away, also the bridge leading to Mt. Bethel which runs in front of Farmer Cooper's farm.

At Sterling all the lower floors of the houses are still under water.

The heaviest losers there are farmers Moffett, Henry Burnett, Frank Carle, and Joseph King.

Mr. Moffett's oat crop had been all cut before the storm, and floated away with the flood. His hay crop is nearly all destroyed. The others had most of their oat crops cut, and left in the reapers standing in the field to continue the work yesterday. Both the cut and uncut were destroyed by the flood.

The flood in the Passaic river, and in the county surrounding Sterling differs from the flood in Plainfield and vicinity in this respect.

The dams about here breaking way released the water, leaving it down in the lower lands without delay, the flood here being thereby of short duration, but the dams near Sterling remained firm, and held the waters back. The lands were still submerged to-day, and there did not seem this forenoon, as if there had been any fall in the water. It seems as high as at any time since the flood began.

The largest dam in the vicinity of Sterling is the Cory mill dam, erected across the stream which passes through Cooxtown and empties into the Passaic river. This dam was built many years ago by Jonathan Cory of Warren township, the uncle of Daniel Adams of North Plainfield. This dam withstood the pressure, although the volume of water overflowed the banks on both sides of it. The walls were so stoutly built that they even protected the road alongside from serious damage, and had this dam given away the consequences would have been frightful.

The farmers are all well-to-do, and can tide over the present flood, but say it would not take more than one or two more such calamities to wipe them out.

Director Hubbard and Freeholder Vanderbeek of the Union County Board of Freeholders yesterday made an examination of the various bridges in this vicinity and took immediate steps to have the same repaired. In like manner Director Wm. E. Jones of Somerset County Board of Freeholders, left his house yesterday morning to attend to Somerset County bridges.

Messrs. Coddington Brothers, whose place was so badly damaged by the storm Tuesday night, had their two wagons running to-day as usual. The horses did not seem any the worse for their experience. The water had risen two to three feet in their stalls.

There was about one hundred square feet surface of land to the depth of from twenty to thirty feet torn away on one-side of the Coddington ice house by the flood Tuesday night. One has only to stop and think a moment to realize the force of the flood to carry away so much earth.

The ground floor of Hyde's mill, back of Mr. Hyde's property on East Front street, and superintended by Mr. Chas. Randolph of Madison avenue, who is part owner, was buried under about five feet of water Wednesday night, and about $75 worth of grain and feed owned by Mr. Randolph was lost and spoiled. The water also washed over Mr. Hyde's place, but besides carrying away a few stone fences and depositing a huge tree on his lawn no serious damage was done. The water on East Front street and on some of the private property was deep enough to float a boat.

During the storm Wednesday morning lightning struck a large tree in Hyde's grove and badly shattered it.

The water carried away the fence in the rear of Justice Austin's residence on Craig place and somewhat damaged his barn.

The water submerged the first story of a house belonging to Mr. McCready, in the rear of Mrs. Harberger's residence on West Front street. It also washed out a lot of vegetables which were planted in Mrs. Harberger's garden and destroyed a large field of oats.

During the storm yesterday morning lightning struck a chimney on Boehm's store on West Front street and somewhat damaged it.

Lightning also struck the iron conveyer on the electric light pole on West Front street, opposite Somerset, and set fire to the pole, but the spin extinguished the flames before they succeeded in doing much damage.

LATEST DISPATCHES.

THE NEWS controls the service of the American Press Association and the United Press, and is the only paper published in this section that possesses a Telegraphic News Franchise.

Thermometer Record.

The following is the record of the thermometer for this city for the 24 hours preceding date of last year, as kept at Steller's drug store, corner of Front street and Park avenue:

1887		1886	
6 a. m.	73	Sun rises	4 32
9 a. m.	76	Sun sets	7 16
12 m	85	Moon rises	
3 p. m.	93	Moon sets	12 (n)

Weather Indications.

For Friday, in New Jersey, eastern New York and eastern Pennsylvania, and in New England, fair to partly cloudy weather and nearly stationary temperature, with more sultriness, followed by local thunder storms.

Will He Acquit Sharp?

NEW YORK, July 27.—The argument of counsel for a stay of proceedings in the case of Jacob Sharp was finished this afternoon before Judge Potter, who announced that his decision would not be ready until next week, when he would mail it from his home at Whitehall.

Picnic Party Annihilated.

READING, Pa., July 27.—An appalling accident occurred on the Penn. R. R. this morning at eight o'clock. An express train struck a wagon loaded with a pleasure party, hurled them all down a steep embankment, killing four of the number. John Wannemaker, age thirteen years, was driving and did not see the train.

The Work of the Flood.

SIOUX CITY, Iowa, July 28.—The Missouri River has been cutting away the banks badly in front of the city and much valuable property is destroyed. The Sioux City and Pacific Railroad is moving its tracks, and, together with the Milwaukee road is placing bundles of willow and stone to stay the action of the water. The loss has already reached many thousand dollars.

Struck by Lightning.

RAPID CITY, Dak., July 28.—A mule train loaded with silver bullion was struck by lightning yesterday, twenty miles north of here. Ten mules were killed. The bolt struck through the sacked bullion and killed a man which was behind. The owner of the train had just dismounted from one of the mules to recover his whip which he had lost. He was badly stunned, but will recover.

The Work of a Cyclone.

PORT WORTH, Texas, July 28.—Yesterday a cyclone came down, going in a southwestern direction. The damage in the town, so far as learned is about $40,000. The Baptist church of Anson was blown partially from its foundation. Several houses were badly damaged.

News comes from Haskill that nearly all the houses in that town were demolished and several people injured, so far as known no one was killed. The damage to growing crops was great.

Gov. Foraker Renominated.

TOLEDO, Ohio, July 27.—The Republican State Convention being held in this city was called to order this morning at ten o'clock, and Senator Sherman was chosen permanent chairman by acclamation. The whole platform was adopted. Foraker was renominated unanimously as the Republican candidate for governor.

Captain C. W. Lyons was nominated for Lieut. Governor on the second ballot.

W. B. Speer was nominated for Clerk of the Supreme Court, long term.

Judge Dixon of Cleveland was nominated Judge of the Supreme Court, short term.

A Domestic Tragedy—A Faithless Wife the Cause.

AURORA, Ill., July 28.—Mrs. Pendergast left here Tuesday to attend the races at Joliet and run some kind of a fake there during the entire week. He sold out soon after getting there and returned home late that night when he found Eugene Conroy in his wife's apartments. Conroy was trying to hide under the bed and was dragged out and unmercifully beaten by Pendergast, who used a large stone and a large shell on Conroy's head. The room soon afterwards looked like a slaughter house. Conroy was removed and the physician called yesterday stated that his case is a serious one. Pendergast took poison and is now in a very critical condition.

$20 a Ticket to Witness Prize Fighters.

HAMMOND, Ind., July 28.—The long talked of fight to a finish with skin gloves between Frank Glover and William Bradburn took place this morning near Gibson Inn, situated twenty-five miles from Chicago, on the Michigan Central road. There were about seventy persons present, fifty of them having paid $20 each for the privilege of witnessing the contest. The ring was pitched in a building about forty feet square, and time was called about three minutes before midnight. Bradburn, who was in better condition than Glover, weighed one hundred and sixty-five; or seventeen pounds lighter than his opponent. In the first round Glover made two leads, both of which were dodged by Bradburn, who got in on the stomach heavily. Glover cross countered and heavy exchanges followed. Glover opened the second with a heavy left-hander on Billy's forehead, the latter retaliated on the stomach, then they clinched and on breaking away Bradburn got in on Glover's jaw, scoring first knock down. In the third both men were badly marked, but in this and the next three rounds Bradburn had the best of the fighting. In the seventh both men were groggy, Bradburn especially so, but Glover was too weak to face matters. The eight was a repetition except that Glover got in a terrific blow on Bradburn's mouth, followed by an upper cut which nearly settled matters. Bradburn knocked his man against the wall and the round ended. In the final round Bradburn began rushing matters. The men clinched and Glover sent a terrific straight blow for a couple of minutes, then Bradburn got in a cross-counter on Glovers ear, knocking him against a post, as Glover tried to steady himself, Bradburn landed his right again on the neck and knocked Glover out.

STATE NOTES.

Rev. Dr. Parmly, of the First Baptist church, Jersey City, was retired last week on a pension of $3,000 a year. He had been pastor of the church for thirty-five years. Dr. Parmly is now 71 years old, and in need of this rest this action will give him.

Milk has been selling at the Blairstown creamery at 1 1-4 cents a quart, and it costs the purchaser a quarter and a cent to get the milk to market, their profits have not been large. Recently the price has been advanced to 2 cents.

A couple of tramps sought shelter from the heat Sunday behind the barn of Ezra Allen, five miles from Waterford. One of them lit a pipe and threw the match against the barn, setting it on fire and burning it down, together with a horse, two cows, two carriages and the season's grain and hay crops.

A small whale, measuring over twenty-seven feet in length, was landed at Cape May on Saturday from the steam burgy Champion. The fish reached Cape May Point, and was caught by one of the lifesaving crews without difficulty. It was sold for $25, and the purchasers realized handsomely from unusual abundance of oil.

Jacob V. Demarest, a widower aged 66 years, living in Paterson, became unbalanced because he was jilted by a young widow with whom he had fallen in love. On Wednesday night he made a farewell call, saying: "I am going to my grave because nobody loves me." A few hours afterward the friend went to Demarest's store and found him dead with a revolver by his side.

School Assessments.

Our school trustees are reported puzzled as to how they may provide means for sustaining the increased school population we are to have among us this winder. Of course they can easily remedy the matter in time, but meanwhile provision must be made for the children.

Section 77 of the school law of this State provides that the State school tax shall be four dollars for each child in the State between the ages of five and eighteen years, levied and collected at the same time with other taxes. Section 86 says:

"In addition to the tax imposed by section 77 each city and school district may raise by tax such other sums of money as they may deem necessary for the purposes in the following manner, unless otherwise authorized by any special act applicable to such city school district of July 26th, 1882. F. M. Johnson, Park avenue, School Section, supports.

Marriages.

WAKEFIELD—HUDNETT.—At 12 West Front street, Tuesday, July 26th 1887, by Rev. Christian Brooks, Mr. John F. Wakefield and Miss Annie Hudnett, both of Plainfield, N. J.

Cent-a-Word Column.

A GERMAN WOMAN wants work at housekeeping, washing and ironing; would prefer it in a small family in the country. Call at No. 14 West Fourth street. 28-2t

A BOY WANTED at this office to carry a paper daily, to succeed the present incumbent, who has a new route for two years and starts in a few days to accept a situation in New York provided for him. 7-27-tf

A GOOD BOOKKEEPER, with local references, can find a steady situation by addressing Locke, care of EVENING NEWS business office. Graduate preferred. 7-27-tf

A WIDE-AWAKE experienced reporter of good character, can find steady employment at this office. A good paying position to a thoroughly qualified man. 7-27-tf.

A LAD of fifteen years desires situation, where he can learn English branches. Salary not material. Address P. O. Box 1455. 27-2

A NEAT competent girl wanted to do general housework in a family of three. Apply to Mrs. J. R. Thompson, Front street, near Grant avenue station. 27-2t

FOR SALE—A few desirable lots on Spooner avenue near Park. Division road, cheap. Also a number of lots in neighborhood of Grant avenue station. T. J. Vail, agent opp. R. R. station, Plainfield. 7-14-tf

FURNISHED ROOMS to let, with or without board, at No. 11 West Second street. 5-28-tf

A GOOD family house for sale sound and cheap; quiet for lady. Apply to Day's Laundry. 27-6

LOT of wet hay for sale at City Mill. 50 cts. per bale. French Bros. 26-3t

LOST—Dog strayed away from Adam Pfeil's residence on Grant avenue. Had a set, tail clipped. Five dollars paid for return to Smalley Brothers' butcher shop. 25-6

MONEY to loan on first mortgage. Box 1311. 3-6-tf

TO LET—Two houses on Craig Place, all improvements, eleven rooms each, $30 per month. Apply to Isaac Brosaw, 12 Dunellen street. 7-20-tf

WANTED—Furnished cottage by shore for about a month. Address Mr., Box 788. 7-27-tf

WANTED—A girl for general housework. No. 3 Craig Place. 19-tf

$1,000 WANTED at five per cent. on unlimited real estate, to replace a first mortgage. Address "Good Investment," care of Evening News. 25-6

$50 REWARD—The above reward will be paid for information which will lead to the arrest and conviction of the party or parties who poisoned my dog on the night of July 25th, 1887. F. M. Johnson, Park avenue, School Section, supports. 26-3t

$6,666 DOLLARS will buy No. 18 East Seventh street. If it is a bargain, apply to Joseph T. Vail, Real Estate agent, North avenue. 7-26-

WARREN UNION MISSION

AND ITS FRIENDS WILL GO ON THEIR ANNUAL

EXCURSION

TO

Ocean Grove and Asbury Park,

ON

Friday, July 29, '87.

Adults, $1.25. Children, 5 to 12 years 90 cts.

Train leaves Plainfield 8.02, Asbury Park 6.30.

Tickets on sale at the drug stores.

BE SURE AND GO ON THE

EXCURSION

OF

Engine Co., No. 2,

ON

Tuesday, Aug. 2,

TO

Oriental Grove,

LONG ISLAND SOUND.

Tickets $1.25. Half Tickets 90c.

Train leaves at 8.15 a. m. stopping at Netherwood and Fanwood.

THE

AUCTION SALE

OF VALUABLE

REAL ESTATE

belonging to the Ferd. Schumm estate, situated at 74 and 76 East Fourth street, was adjourned on Tuesday last to

Thursday, July 28,

on the premises at which time sale will positively take place at 4 o'clock p. m.

JAMES BLY,
MARY A. SCHUMM,
Executors.

Terms easy and made known on day of sale.

Indestructible Fuel

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CONVENIENT—GREAT HEAT—NO ASHES

Columbia Bicycles,

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HARDWARE, PLUMBING, TINNING,

A. M. GRIFFEN,

13 E. Front St.

TELEPHONE CALL 6.

HALF PRICE

Remnants Victoria Lawn 2 to 9 yards at 10c, worth 20c.

Remnants Turkey Red Table Cloths at 39c worth 50c. Ladies Fast Dye Split Foot Stockings at 25c worth 50c, with many other bargains you can find at

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THE SALE OF LIQUORS.

Loss to the Revenue Bureau Compared with Other Years.

WASHINGTON, July 28.—The report of the receipts of internal revenue for the last fiscal year will show that the prohibition laws have undoubtedly had some effect upon the sale of liquors. In Rhode Island, where there has been an apparently serious attempt to enforce the law, there has been a loss to the internal revenue bureau of a considerable sum in the taxes of the last fiscal year as compared with the receipts for the two years last preceding. The receipts for 1885 from spirits in Rhode Island were $38,-148, for 1886 they were $37,023, while for the fiscal year which has just ended they fell to $34,956. The authorities of the state will possibly wonder how it was that the government was able to collect so large a sum under the present state supervision; but the Rhode Island authorities have not been successful in preventing the sale of beer. The Federal authorities received the last year for beer taxes in Rhode Island $67,529, while the land of steady habits paid a Federal tax on beer manufactured and sale of oleomargarine. While the factory towns of Rhode Island paid to the Federal treasury $34,275 last year as an oleomargarine tax, the revenue district in which Chicago is situated paid to the government for oleomargarine taxes alone $300,910 last year.

MGR. PERSICO'S REPORT

Received by the Pope—The Irish People Highly Commended.

BOSTON, July 28.—John Boyle O'Reilly has just received the Pilot's correspondence at Rome the following cablegram: The first report from Mgr. Persico, the pope's representative in Ireland, has been received at the vatican and is highly commended by the Irish people. Mgr. Persico was sent to Ireland with the Abbot Gaddi by the pope himself, to examine into the social and political condition of the Irish. The English intriguers at Rome expected that Mgr. Persico would see Ireland through the Duke of Norfolk's eyes and could be induced to report that it would ensue for all estrange the pope's sympathies from the cause of Irish home rule. Their malice has defeated itself. To question Mgr. Persico as to his judgment is to insult the pope, so they are snared in a trap of their own devising. Mgr. Persico is well known in the United States, having successfully administered the diocese of Charleston, S. C., and been bishop of Savannah, Ga. He has successfully conducted many exceedingly delicate diplomatic missions for the pope, whose unbounded confidence he enjoys.

Five Killed and Nine Injured.

BLOOMINGTON, Ills., July 28.—A collision occurred on the Lexington bridge, near Hopedale, on the Alton road, between a construction train and a freight train, which resulted in the death of five men and injuries, more or less serious, of nine others. The wreck is a serious one, and it will take twenty hours to clear it. The following were killed: Morton Dunsetli, water boy of the construction train; James Brown, of Hopedale; Frank Drake, of Petersburg; Plano Barrow, of Ashland, and James Kellogg.

Death of Mrs. Wilson Barrett.

LONDON, July 28.—The death of the wife of Wilson Barrett, the actor, was announced yesterday at the close of the play in the large circle of her friends. Mrs. Barrett was previous to her marriage a Miss Heath, an actress of some prominence and great promise. She at one time occupied the position of reader to the queen, and among her triumphs on the stage was her creation of the character of Jane Shore.

Combining Against Union Men.

NEW YORK, July 28.—Owing to the refusal of union longshoremen to work at night for less than sixty cents per hour, the National line steamer Italy sailed several hours late yesterday. The agent of the line now says he will replace his 150 union men with non union workers, and declares that all the lines have combined to lock out the union men, though he is the only one to admit it as yet.

Retarned and Settled Up.

PHILADELPHIA, July 28.—Capt. Howard, of the American bark Oasis, reported last week as having disappeared with $3,000 belonging to the crew of the bark, has returned to this city and effected a settlement. On discovering that his accounts were short he fled to New York, and returned at the solicitation of his wife. He had remitted $5,000 to his employers from Buenos Ayres.

Bold Bulgarian Burglars.

LONDON, July 28.—At midnight on the 25th inst. an attempt was made to surprise and attack the building containing the government treasure in Rustchuk. The guard fired upon the attacking party, who fled. Great uneasiness is felt because no assistance was sent from the prefecture of police or the military barracks, as the alarm by the firing must have been heard.

Killed While Pitching Dollars.

GALVESTON, Tex., July 28.—A Bertram special says that while a party of men were engaged in pitching dollars in the rear of George Bertram's saloon, on Thursday last, Ed. M. B. Sinclair and G. A. Phinney and mortally injured Quinn Sanford. G. W. Phinney and Dr. Hayward were severely shocked.

Still Asserting His Innocence.

MT. CLEMENS, Mich., July 28.—Barclay Peak, sentenced to be hanged for the murder of Kate Ackerson, is in good spirits and still says that he is innocent. He says that the people of Macomb will be satisfied with a confession will be disappointed, because he has no confession to make.

Eatman's Accounts Correct.

WASHINGTON, July 28.—A board composed of Gen. Farnsworth, Capt. Taylor and Mr. Collamer, of the war department, have examined the accounts of Disbursing Officer Yatman, of that department, and found them to be entirely correct.

Drowned in Chautauqua Lake.

LONG POINT, N. Y., July 28.—Erwin Salisbury, aged 15, of Jamestown, who was camping out on the Point with two companions, went in bathing yesterday and getting too far out was drowned before aid reached him.

SHERMAN RESOLUTIONS

ADOPTED BY OHIO REPUBLICAN STATE CONVENTION.

The Senator's Adherents Greet the Presentation of Gen. Grosvenor's Resolutions with Outbursts of Applause. The Nominees for State Officers.

TOLEDO, July 28.—Memorial hall presented a beautiful appearance when the Republican state convention was called to order yesterday afternoon. The immense circular chandelier which was pendant from the center of the ceiling broad festoons of tri-colored bunting stretched away to the four corners and sides of the immense room, completely hiding the roof from view. Over the windows and doorways, draped in flags, were banners with the name of Sherman, Foraker, Grant and the most notable of the generals and admirals of the war.

There was a profusion of bunting in every direction, scores of Chinese lanterns suspended from the balcony railing, and a picture of Abraham Lincoln occupied a conspicuous position upon the stage in the rear of the president's chair. The delegates were prompt in getting together, and at 4 o'clock Chairman Brinsmade, of the state central committee, called the body to order and introduced Rev. W. W. Williams, of Toledo, who invoked the divine blessing on the proceedings.

Hon. Daniel Ryan of Portsmouth, was elected as temporary chairman. In introducing him Mr. Brinsmade made a brief address, in which he eulogized Senator Sherman and Governor Foraker, and referred to the work of the last Republican legislature in complimentary terms. His references to Governor Foraker were received with loud applause, but when the name of Senator Sherman was mentioned the audience went wild, and the cheers were repeated three times over.

The address of the temporary chairman was a vigorous one. He denounced the Democracy of the state in unsparing terms, and declared that it insulted the intelligence of the state when it sought to snuff into power on the present platform. From this he proceeded, interrupted every moment with cheers, to say:

"Gentlemen, deeds of Democracy have been the richest auguries of Republican victory; a year crowded with Democratic mistakes; this year, yea, this convention, begins with mistakes. The Pilot's correspondent at Rome the following cablegram: The first report from Mgr. Persico, the pope's representative in Ireland, has been received at the vatican and is highly commended by the Irish people. Mgr. Persico was sent to Ireland with the Abbot Gaddi by the pope himself, to examine into the social and political condition of the Irish. The English intriguers at Rome expected that Mgr. Persico would see Ireland through the Duke of Norfolk's eyes and could be induced to report that it would ensue for all estrange the pope's sympathies from the cause of Irish home rule. Their malice has defeated itself. To question Mgr. Persico's judgment is to insult the pope, so they are snared in a trap of their own devising. Mgr. Persico is well known in the United States, having successfully administered the diocese of Charleston, S. C., and been bishop of Savannah, Ga. He has successfully conducted many exceedingly delicate diplomatic missions for the pope, whose unbounded confidence he enjoys.

"The entire session of the speech was received with another outburst of enthusiasm, the delegates upon the floor and the spectators in the galleries vieing with each other in the heartiness of the demonstrations, while the occupants of the ladies' gallery waved their handkerchiefs and clapped their hands for several seconds. When quiet had been restored the roll of districts was called for members of the various committees.

Fully half an hour was thus occupied, and the Twenty-first and last district had hardly been completed when from the center of the hall the well known voice of Congressman Charles Grosvenor was heard to claim the recognition of the chair. Instantly all eyes were turned in his direction. In slow and measured tones he commenced:

"I have a resolution to offer."

Then he paused, and this pause was fatal for the time being to the matter he had in hand, for, taking advantage of it, Speaker Keifer arose and said:

"I move that all resolutions be read and referred to the committee on resolutions without debate," he shouted.

The motion was seconded in a dozen quarters, and on being put to a vote was carried by a large majority, although the "noes" managed to make a creditable showing. By this time Gen. Grosvenor's resolution had reached the platform. It read as follows:

"Recognizing, as the Republicans of Ohio always have, the gifted and true statesman of the Republican party of other states, loyal and unfaltering in their devotion to the success of the organization in 1888, under whatever standard bearer the Republican National convention may select, they have just pride in the record and career of John Sherman as a member of the Republican party, and as a statesman of fidelity, large experience and great ability. His career as a statesman began with the birth of the Republican party. His character and fame have developed with the growth of the organization; his genius and patriotism are stamped upon the records of the party and the laws and constitution of the country, and believing that the nomination for the office of president would be wise and fitting, we respectfully present his name to the people of the United States as a candidate, and announce our hearty and unanimous purpose to aid him for that office." (Thunders of applause.)

It was now the turn of the Blaine men, and Col. J. S. Mannix, of Zanesville, came to the front with this resolution:

"That we hereby pledge the united and enthusiastic support of the Republicans of Ohio to the nominee of the next National Republican convention, and in this connection we call the attention of the Republicans of Ohio to the eminent services and splendid career of Hon. James G. Blaine."

There was not much applause when the resolution had been read, and after an address by Mannix, in which he spoke of having the indorsement of the senator the convention adjourned until to-day.

This morning the report of the committee on resolutions passed the Sherman resolution, the one made lively and unqualifiedly indorsing Senator Sherman for the presidency, by a vote of 18 to 2, which was afterwards made unanimous. The platform reaffirms the Dow law and favors such additions thereto as seems to be demanded by the enlightened sentiment of the people. It opposes protection ground regarding the tariff, and emphasizes in its condemnation of the importation of contract labor. It condemns the Democratic party of Ohio in demns the Democratic party of Ohio in general terms, and on other points takes the usual Republican position.

The ticket on the state is as follows: Governor, J. B. Forster; lieutenant governor, C. W. Lyon; justices of the supreme court, Judges Spear and Dickman; treasurer of the state, J. B. Brown; auditor of the state, E. W. Poe; board of public works, C. A. Flickenger; attorney general, C. K. Watson. Senator Sherman will be permanent chairman of the convention.

THE AMATEUR CARNIVAL.

Results of the Various Contests at Jamestown, N. Y., Yesterday.

JAMESTOWN, N. Y., July 28.—The annual regatta of the National association of amateur oarsmen closed yesterday with some very interesting contests. The weather was fair, and the water for the first two races was like glass. After that, however, a breeze sprung up and prevented any record breaking, as it blew directly up the course. There was a large crowd of spectators, who were very enthusiastic.

The first race, a single shell for junior single amateurs, Stockland, of Dos Amateur Rowing club, of Toronto, and D. Donohue and J. B. Lovell, both of the Nautilus club, of Hamilton, was won by Donohue in 10:29½. The double shell race, for juniors, between the Metropolitan Boat club, of New York, and the Delaware Boat club, of Chicago, was won by the former, after having been fouled by the Delawares, in 10:18. Third race, a senior four oared shell, was won by the Argonauts, of Toronto, in 9:18. The barded rowed and prettiest race of the day was for fours, a senior four oared shell, between Alex. Malcolm and F. M. Gostrich, of the Modoc Rowing club, of St. Louis; Charles E. Bulger and William Buchanan, of the Mutual Boat club, of Albany, and F. Freeman and J. Weldon, of the Eureka Boat club, of Newark, N. J. The Modocs won in 10:09½. The Albanys were the fastest on the day. There were three entries, J. F. Corbett, of the Farragut Boat club, of Chicago; William F. Conley, of the Shawmut Rowing club, of Boston, and J. E. Riley, of the Bayside Rowing club, of Toronto. Corbett crossed the line first in 9:50½. The last race was an eight oared shell between the Vespers and Malta, of Philadelphia. The Vespers led throughout the course, winning in 8:33¾, which is only half a second slower than the fastest record on dead water.

TWO ENGINEERS AND A FIREMAN

Instantly Killed by a Collision on the Baltimore and Ohio.

TIFFIN, O., July 28.—A special from Albion, Ind., says that as fast train 46, east bound, was nearing Albion Tuesday night, and was passing a freight on the west bound freight on the siding. She stopped some distance west of the switch and the freight backed in. The fireman on the freight signalled the passenger to come ahead, which she did at full speed. Just at the switch the rails spread and the passenger train dashed into the engine of the freight, completely wrecking both engines and instantly killing Engineer Cramer, of Garrett, Ind., and Fireman Ed. Koken, of Dayton, both on the engine of the freight. Engineer Devine, of Garrett, on the freight. Cramer, as soon as he noticed the rails spreading, applied the air brakes and died like a hero at his post. The train was brought to a sudden stop, breaking up the platforms of two express and baggage cars, shaking up the passengers terribly, but none were seriously injured. One report says the switch had been misplaced after the freight had backed in on the switch, with the evident intention of causing the accident. The fireman of the freight was on the steps of his engine and escaped unhurt.

COOK COUNTY COMMISSIONERS.

Damaging Evidence Against the Accused at Yesterday's Session.

CHICAGO, July 28.—The trial of the boodlers was continued yesterday with additional testimony concerning the payment of "commissions" to the members of the county board. Isaac G. Logan, who furnished dry goods to the county hospital and insane asylum, testified that costly silk undershirts and drawers had been furnished to members of the board and to the gang at regular bills and lists of goods for the institutions. The underwear was in the nature of a commission. The witness had also paid money to the gang.

C. C. Smith, of Nettis, Smith & Co., commission merchants, testified that he had paid $3,000 "commission" on goods which his firm furnished to the county hospital.

J. B. Sharp, of Sharp's surgical instrument makers, also testified that he had paid about $3,000 in "commissions" for the privilege of furnishing instruments to the hospital.

TWENTY THOUSAND IRON WORKERS

Threaten to Withdraw from the Knights of Labor.

PITTSBURG, July 28.—The iron and steel workers' members of the Knights of Labor throughout the country have prepared their ultimatum and openly aver that they will secede from the order unless General Master Workman Powderly grants within a specified time the charter asked for two months ago. A member of the new national district council declared yesterday: "If the general board still refuses to give us a charter, the locals will give up their charters and form an organization independent of the Knights of Labor. We will give them time to answer the letter we sent Tuesday."

If the iron workers finally withdraw it will take all the members in the iron and steel mills from the order. This number was 20,000 when the convention was held at Harrisburg.

For Governor of Maryland.

BALTIMORE, July 28.—On the sixth ballot, at the Democratic state convention yesterday, Eli n E. Jackson, of Wicomico county, received a majority of all the votes, and was declared the nominee. Mr. Jackson is a native of Wicomico, and not yet 30 years old. He was reared on a farm, and in his young manhood was a school teacher. Later he began the study of law, and some years ago engaged in the lumber trade, which has grown to large proportions. He is a man of firmness of character, and is highly esteemed on the eastern shore, where he has lived all his life. The Hon. William Pinkney Whyte was named for attorney general, and L. Victor Baughman, of Frederick county, now president of the Chesapeake and Ohio canal, was nominated for comptroller.

Poison in the Noodles.

PHILADELPHIA, July 28.—Alfred Krumm, manufacturer of noodles, was held in $800 bail hours on charge of mixing chrome yellow in his dough instead of eggs for the purpose of giving the noodles a yellow tint. Experts testified that chrome yellow, or chromate of lead, was found in the noodles in the proportion of three grains to six ounces of flour, and Krumm admitted that he had used the stuff for thirteen years as a substitute for eggs, but denied intending its use upon being informed of its deadly character. It is not known that any deaths have occurred from the effects of the poisonous coloring matter.

Mormonism Will Live.

NEW YORK, July 28.—John W. Young, third son of Brigham Young, who is in town on business, was interviewed as to the probable effect upon the Mormon church of the death of President Taylor. Mr. Young said that there would be no perceptible change in the great body of the church. Its members will mourn for its dead president, but will faithfully place their trust in his successor, Wilford Woodruff, now president of the Twelve. Woodruff is about 75 years of age, yet vigorous and in full possession of all his faculties. He is an educated man, a forcible speaker, and is historian of the church.

THE LEAGUE WILL LIVE

DESPITE TORY ATTEMPTS AT ITS SUPPRESSION.

The Effect of the Coercion Act Upon Parties in Ireland—Confidence in the Stability of Investment Destroyed.

LONDON, July 28.—It is now announced by persons who are in the confidence of the chief secretary for Ireland that the proclamation of the Irish National League will not be promulgated by the Dublin castle government until after the adjournment of parliament. The reason for this delay in enforcing the government's policy of suppression of the league, which has been the purpose of the coercion bill, is quite obvious. The government is being hard pressed on the land bill, and a crusade against the league, with no special charge against the organization, would be unfair at a time when parliamentary experience great difficulty in parrying the thrusts already directed against it in its present fight for life.

Meanwhile the delay is of great advantage to the league, and correspondingly inimical to the government's success in crushing its active enemy. With full knowledge of the government's intentions and the time, approximately, of their enforcement, the league has ample time to put its house in order, and has already set about to see how the ponderous machinery of the crimes act, working within the narrow grooves which the resident magistrates and police officials are pleased to call their minds, can prove overall against the evanescent shadow that the peculiar construction of the league permits it to shrink into without impairing its vitality or curtailing its power.

The ingenuity of the Irish leaders has been equal to the formation of an organization capable of meeting and surmounting every obstacle which may be placed in its way, but it is not too much to say that they will be found equal to the occasion of the provisions of the law, whose primary object is the destruction of that organization. That the scheme of suppressing the league will prove to be utterly futile there is no doubt even in the minds of those whose interests demand its annihilation.

The effect of the coercion act is already visible in the financial centres of Ireland, and its powerful influence will be demonstrated in a field entirely apart from that in which it was expected to be oppressive. The proclamation of the Irish counties has had the result of causing a panic in the stability of institutions of investment and capitalized industries, and a general feeling akin to that of a panic prevails. Financial depression and a downward falling of all trade is markedly observable, and even bank stocks have succumbed to the surrounding influence and dropped to the lowest point in the market of values. Bank of Ireland stock fell £1 per share yesterday, and is now held at £282 per share, but will probably go lower.

The Embrace of Death.

SPRING VALLEY, N. Y., July 28.—Mary A. Kearney, aged 17 years, and her sister Catherine, aged 16, were drowned here yesterday. They were daughters of James Kearney, of New York. They were spending the summer with their parents at the house of George Pearson, and went with a party of girls of about their age to bathe at Distillery lake. They could not swim. Mary slipped from a small raft into fifteen feet of water, and her frightened sister plunged in to save her. Both girls sank together. The bodies were recovered soon after, still locked together in their last embrace.

Couldn't Stand His Girl's Contempt.

WATERBURY, Conn., July 28.—O. C. Crowley, who was a horse and wagon peddler away, has been found at Needham, probably dying from three self inflicted pistol shot wounds. He shot himself because a young lady refused to see him again on account of his theft.

A Passenger Killed.

FOXBURG, Pa., July 28.—A passenger train going north collided with a freight train going south at Parker's Landing, killing W. D. Jones, of Pittsburg, a passenger, and injuring several other passengers.

Catholic University in America.

ROME, July 28.—A committee has been appointed to elaborate a scheme to establish a Catholic university in America, and a conference will be held on Aug. 7 to decide upon its location.

Invited to Cincinnati.

CINCINNATI, July 28.—The chamber of commerce appointed a committee to invite President Cleveland to visit Cincinnati during his western trip this fall.

Athlete Quinn's Murderer.

PITTSBURG, July 28.—Dan Lyons, the murderer of Athlete Quinn, of New York athlete, was taken to New York to-day.

New London's New Collector.

WASHINGTON, July 28.—The president appointed William M. Stark to be collector of customs at New London, Conn.

CONDENSED NEWS.

A 10-year-old Georgia negro stabbed another negro boy through the heart and is soon to be tried for murder.

Two lynchings took place, one near Covington, Ind., and the other in Surry county, Va. The victims were negroes, and charged with both been guilty of assaulting white women.

It is said that Mr. Blaine will start for home within the next fortnight.

A midsummer freshet is feared at Wilkesbarre, Pa.

The Knights of Labor have used a Syracuse tobacco firm for an alleged infringement on the label of their cigars.

President Cleveland has accepted an invitation to visit Kansas City early in October.

The mines of the Susquehanna Coal company at Nanticoke are closed, and 3,000 men and boys are thrown out of work.

Italian workmen at Montclair, N. J., on strike for more pay, drove their successors from work.

Lorenzo Lohenz Krug was convicted of poisoning his niece, Lucy Haidelmyer, and the jury fixed his punishment at eighteen years in the penitentiary. Krug is suspected of the murder of two wives by "foul play," and therefore unlawful. He could not repair it on board, so he had to come home.

Accident to the Atlantis.

NEWPORT, R. I., July 28.—It is said that the United States steamer Atlantis went ashore on Seal Rock ledge on Tuesday and broke one of her propeller blades. Nothing can be learned from her officers, but the report is generally believed. Although she started on a ten days' cruise she put back last night, is now anchored to a buoy off the training station.

THE CAPTURED SEAMEN

FORBIDDEN TO LEAVE HALIFAX BY THE LOCAL COLLECTOR.

Consul General Phelan Telegraphs Peremptory Instructions to Ship the Yankee Sailors on the First Vessel Sailing for an American Port.

HALIFAX, N. S., July 28.—The American fishermen captured by the cruiser Critic on Sunday are receiving the charity of the consular agent. Consul George, of Charlottetown, telegraphed Consul Phelan for further instructions. If the men had been shipwrecked the United States government would have taken charge of them and sent them to Charlottetown, where the shipped, but not being shipwrecked mariners, the consul was at a loss to know what to do. Consul General Phelan wired instructions to put them on board the first vessel bound for the United States.

Mr. George proceeded to do that. The vessel was a fisherman going home to Gloucester, Mass., with a cargo of herring. Later that Consul George was going to ship the men home in a fishing vessel, she notified the consul, as well as all skippers of American fishing vessels in port, that any person found shipping the men would be immediately seized for an infraction of the customs law. Mr. George protested against such coercion, but Skipper Jones, Tiff Foley and Collector Kaulbach stood by their guns, and Foley made his determination. It is not to be supposed that the collector, who is a very cautious official, was acting without instructions from Ottawa.

Consul General Phelan was again communicated with by wire, and he telegraphed back peremptory instructions to Consul George to ship the men by the first vessel leaving Souris for a United States port, whether that vessel be fishing, trading or any other kind of craft, and if immediately necessary attempted interference on the part of the collector of customs or any other official Consul General Phelan is very much irritated at the present position of affairs, and expressing himself as to what he considers the extraordinary and totally unwarranted action of the Canadian officers. Such conduct, if persisted in and approved by the Dominion government, must necessarily very seriously strain relations between the two governments, he thinks. Advices have been put into Souris to burne to rescue two of her crew lost in the fog, and she is summarily seized and fined $400. Fourteen American fishermen seized by Foley and Jones are also in Souris in a semi-nude condition, kept there several days on the charity of the consular agent and an effort to send them home, where they may be clothed and fed, is met with threats of further seizures and fines, providing that the vessel performing such act of humanity be a fishing vessel.

Rear-Admiral Lace and the officers of the warships Richmond and Yantic, now in this port, are very indignant, and incline to the opinion that the United States vessels in port should immediately proceed to Souris. These vessels are under the instructions of Consul General Phelan, who refuses to indicate what line of action he will take, and revives further details from Consul George. The United States warship Osipee is at Port Hawkesbury, and could reach Souris within a few hours, if such a step is deemed necessary.

Marine Intelligence.

NEW YORK, July 28.—Arrived, steamers State of Pennsylvania, Glasgow and Moville; Ocean, Liverpool; Aurania, Liverpool; Tyrian, Gibraltar: City of Alexandria, Havana; Pomona, Port Maria; Gen. Whitney, Boston; Breakwater, Norfolk; Ocranto, Hull; Corean, Antwerp; Chesapeake, Newport; Barks Leocadia, Hamburg; Guldrgn, Lisbon; Ada P. Gould, Port Spain. Arrived out, steamer City of Rome, from New York for Liverpool, has passed Rose Head.

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Use of Toilet Powder—Children Share Their Housekeeping—A Formula Mistaken—Children's Friendships—What City Physicians Tell The Chicago Daily News.

"The effects of anger upon the human milk may again be likened to the effect of a thunderstorm upon the dairy. Both are in effect electrical storms; only human passion has in it a more refined evil than mere mind. The more virulent and crazy the anger the greater the danger. As one may become accustomed to large and repeated doses of opium, so, no doubt, an infant may (under circumstances favoring) become somewhat insured against the pernicious effects of milk that is subject to more or less frequent storms of passion, but if the child does escape severe and dangerous physical illness, it will hardly, in the transforming of milk to flesh, escape a most undesirable inheritance of character. A general irritability, bad temper—the result of trials poorly stood up to mentally—may keep the babe in constant turmoil, and no one knows what ails the baby; he is so cross.

"What has been said of anger may be said of the other unhappy emotions. Impressing the child after their kind, not always perceptibly but none the less surely. On the contrary, states of love, joy, peace, etc., act as most powerful tonics, and physiological action goes on under their stimulus in perfection. This kind of secretion may, it is true, happy; digestion and assimilation take place in the mother harmoniously and unconsciously, and the milk becomes perfect in its proportions, the babe literally drawing in health, happiness and peace."—Dr. T. P. Mills.

PLEA FOR THE BOTTLE.

"It needs no argument to show that infants in all probability thrive, in the main, upon the positive exhilaration from the act associated with nursing, and the inference is plain that the deprivation may entail considerable disadvantage. It is always a sequel to me cruel to thus early cut off the pleasures of life. The bottle and its appurtenances, moreover, can be kept clean, but not without the employment of a good deal more time and care than is usually bestowed upon it. The bottle and nipple should be afforded a brush of its own. Were I, in order to be explicit, to give directions for cleaning a nursing bottle, I should say wash both bottle and nipple well separately in plain water. Then soak, one both for five minutes in a 2 per cent. solution of borax in water, scrub them both with the aid of the brush, borax water and soap. The nipple should be turned inside out and scrubbed. Rinse them all well several times in plain water. Hang the bottle and nipple separately in a dry place until needed.

"Another point of importance often overlooked is the necessity of giving to infants occasionally some water to drink. During the hot weather, when evaporation from the body goes on apace, nothing will satisfy the demands of the body, even of an infant, so well as a drink of good, plain, pure water."—Dr. Robert Tilley.

DANGERS THAT BESET.

"Under the enervating influence of great heat tendencies toward death, dormant before, become potent. The weak link in the chain is broken. Whatever the predisposition to disease may have been, the depression of heat as the exciting factor becomes the 'last feather that breaks the camel's back.' The higher the animal the greater are the dangers that beset early life, because the period of helplessness is prolonged in the ratio of special intelligence. Parental intelligence does not keep pace with racial tendencies, however; evident enough when we find that:

"1. Infants are fed upon starchy food before their salivary glands are fully developed, and attempts are made to raise babies upon beef, beef, griddle cakes, potatoes, skim milk, sour milk, or even if the milk be good it is often drawn from unclean bottles.

"2. The two extremes of wealth and poverty cause neglect of offspring. In the one case careless nurses are intrusted with the infant, and in the other neglect is unavoidable.

"3. Zymotic diseases leave as sequelæ scrofulous or some other depressed condition that only needs the push of exhaustion, however induced, to run wild.

"Parents should know that milk is the only proper food for young children, and that cow's milk is regarded by most as a specific in any season and especially so in hot weather. Patent medicines and foods—especially soothing syrups, that always contain opium—help the little ones out of the world."—Dr. S. V. Clevenger.

FEEDING INFANTS.

"Be the food ever so wholesome in quality it must be perfectly clean. Probably as many babies die from good milk and food that has soured and become tainted by exposure as die from want of the right food. Many a physician will refuse to allow an ill fed woman to nurse her baby; what matter though he knows her milk is not the best for the child, but at least it is clean and is not to be tainted when it reaches the stomach.

"Boil a teaspoonful of powdered barley in a pint or a pint and a half of water, with a little salt, until barley is cooked. Leave it stand, well covered; when settled skim all impurities from the top carefully and strain; mix with an equal quantity of boiled milk if baby is 6 months old, or only one-half milk if less than 6 months. Older babies need more milk. Keep bottle and mouthpiece in bowl of water when not in use. When baby is costive use oatmeal instead of barley. Infants of 6 months may have beef tea or soup once a day. Babies of 10 or 12 months may have crust of bread and piece of rare beef to suck."

"The above are substantially the directions for feeding infants prepared by Dr. Jacobi to the Public Health association of New York, and these rules have since by experience been found correct and proper for follow. Your child may need other food if it does not thrive, go and ask your doctor what to give it before it fails sick."—Dr. Ferdinand Hemrain.

THE CLOTHING.

"In my experience the first wrong thing I notice is the clothing of the child. Until a child is well past the critical period of teething, flannel should always be worn over the bowels, and merino stockings should be kept on the year around, summer and winter. Wool on all at the skin prevents the sudden arrest of perspiration, and mothers should remember always one truth: The freer the perspiration the greater the danger of even a slight chilling of the surface. The babies from whom the sweat just rolls off are always the ones more liable to the dreaded summer complaint."—Dr. Kate L. Graves.

Children and Pet Animals.

A child brought up without the knowledge of pet animals is a solitary being, no matter if there be brothers and sisters, while a child who has animals to tend is never quite alone. A dog is of itself a liberal education, with its examples of fidelity, unwearied activity, cheerful sympathy, and love stronger than death; nay, love that is triumphant over shame and and ignominy and sin—influences that all often would cast human love to make exchange to hate. How many of us hold to our friends as a matter of course, I have had to say of a cat that stuck to me dog given to me. The child especially finds in the faithful creature much of its own impulsive and social life. Between the two there is a sympathy in the ceaseless activity, the quick changes of occupation, the unabated interest in existence. Kittens, again, seem sent to girls to a child; one of the big boys—I forget; the nurse is dead—says, the use of play (dreams, I guess) domesticity, the willingness to be tended and petted. Kittens about the house supply the smaller punctuation in the book of life; birds and their broods and nests are the nonsense and semicolons and dashes, while the big dog puts in the colons and periods.

Animals, again, give to us, even by what they receive and take from us, the habit of care and tenderness. Those petted dogs we see carried in the arms of young girls in fashionable equipages are rarely a substitute for the natural object of such emotion, they are rather a preparation or intermediate possession that precedes it; something that is to touch a doll and less than a human child. Mr. Carnegie tells us that he saw at a large New York stable a card nailed up giving for the coachman the address of the proper physician to be called in case of his favorite dog should be ill. He also tells us of a young lady who, having to go on a journey, had to leave her favorite collie to some one's special attention, and Mr. Carnegie suggested that as he had given her the dog, it might be perfectly safe to leave her with him, "or rather with Jack and the horse." With a grave shake of the head she answered, "I have thought of that; but it won't do; he requires a woman's care." Here the woman and the favorite met on equal terms; neither could do without the other. The care given by the young girl was simply the anticipated tenderness of a mother for a child.

The art of nursing may be learned in dealing with animals is in itself an education. One of the child's first lessons in governing its impulses is when it finds that the kitten cannot be caught by noise and shouting, but by quiet and measured approaches. The control of animals, from the lamb to the lion, is not a matter of force, but of gentleness and self-command. Impulse that seem the very strongest in animals, as the disposition of dogs to chase cats or bite, can be better overcome by accustoming them very early to the sight and smell of cats, than by cruel tortures than by any blows. All this is a lesson to the child, and it unconsciously learns the application to itself. In days when cows were employed about our farms it was used to be a common thing at a "cattle show" to see some sunburnt farmer's boy drive in a yoke of half grown steers, and win the admiration of all the men by the gentle skill with which he handled them. On a farm near my summer home there is a fine bull, which is habitually led by a boy of 13 than by anybody else. Their surely is, as Heine says, an occult sympathy between children and animals, as between two races not employed in the active duties of life.

If children love music and an organ or piano cannot be afforded, let them have smaller and less expensive instruments. Many an honest delight to be happiest may by a boy in his efforts to perform on the violin or accordion, that would otherwise pass unconsistently or in hurtful companionship.

A few dollars each year invested in reading *matter will not only supply pleasant employment for leisure hours*, but the means of mental improvement as well. There are so many excellent entertaining publications for the young, and at such low prices, that no excuse of all the men by the children should be without one or more.—American Agriculturist.

Use of Toilet Soap.

The opinion that of such a necessary article as soap for toilet use can't be too much, is an opinion which late researches in science disprove. The attraction of the alkali in it for the oil of the skin as well as for its unclean accumulations constitutes its cleansing property. Out of the 7,000,000 pores through which nearly two pounds of poisonous exhalation daily pass from the adult, come enough accumulations in a short day to produce fatal and filthy diseases. An eminent physician has declared that "if the skin be moderately active, three or four days suffice to accumulate on it matter which compared to a thin coating of varnish or sizing." As this accumulation increases and decomposition follows it is not necessary to describe the remedy. What agency but soap can remove it?

Many good authorities declare that water alone is sufficient, except at rare intervals. There are oil glands as well as excretory ducts, and for their due supply human nature produced these tiny human oil wells. Inunction, or the external use of oil, has a recognized place among the prescriptions of some famous modern physicians, who in this way seek to restore that necessary property of which the body has been deprived by the excessive use of soap or by disease. They claim that it enables the patient to resist cold, that its nutritive qualities convey heat to those organs which require it, that it gives a sense of exhilarating freshness, and that it is not only soothing in cases of nervous depression, but it is capable of strengthening weak lungs. For this purpose almond oil, cocoanut, olive oil or vaseline are applied by the aid of vigorous rubbing. To all such treatment and in most cases where inunction is not required, the daily application of soaps is injurious.

"What uncleanly habits!" some one exclaims. Not so. Plenty of soft water, a coarse wash rag, hand friction and a Turkish towel, with soap applied at rare intervals, and the skin should retain the delicate smoothness of an infant. Those milk baths indulged in by the ancient Roman emperors and empresses owed their emollient properties to the oil contained in the milk. Every old nurse knows, too, that weakly children are sometimes injured by too frequent ablutions. They rubbing of tea tea set oil plate for a nervous little one, answering many of the purposes of soap.

An eminent physician and scientist lately told me that he seldom used soap in his daily bath. "It makes the skin dry, hard and harsh, and renders me much more liable to take cold through any changes of the weather," said he. "At the same time, no rule can be given for the soap. Some persons secrete oil much more readily than others, and to such soap is more of a necessity." and he spoke much upon the desirability of using a pure soap or none at all.—Hester M. Poole in Good Housekeeping.

Something More Than a Housekeeper.

A wife and mother needs to be more than a good housekeeper; she must be in all things the mistress of the house, the companion of her husband and the guide of her children. Your child may need other food if it does not thrive, go and ask your doctor what to give it before it fails sick."—Dr. Ferdinand Hemrain.

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Children's Friendships.

Children are apt to seek the society of other children at about the sixth year of their ages. This should be a watchful period for the parents, as friendships contracted at *this time have a very decided influence on the* mind, morals and manners of their child. Nearly every child is influenced for good or evil through early associations. If allowed to be constantly with the nurse, their language and manners will, in nearly every case, be identical with those of the nurse. A mother should spend the greater portion of every day in the society of her children. If to rid herself of their noise she permits them to play in the streets outside, she has no one to blame but herself if their manners and morals are corrupted. All children require companionship of those of their own age, but it is very essential that the parents should choose these companions.

Children can be readily taught to be neat and tidy in their habits by example principally; in their imitative faculty the actions of their elders. A closet or other convenient place should be given them exclusively for their toys, provided they do not play enough them let it be understood that when play is ended all toys are to be returned to their proper place. If this rule is disregarded, the withdrawal of a favorite toy for a time, as punishment, usually has the desired effect of causing them to be more careful in the future. This device may have to be resorted to more than once before it will be successful in the end.—Mrs. Ella L. Mumma in Good Housekeeping.

Sweetmeats and Pastry.

It was recreation hour at both the Polytechnic and Central grammar school. Streams of boys emerged from both institutions and at once made for a neighboring bakery. There they grouped themselves with bread, meats and pastry of every description. Wisen faced little chaps of 12 and 14 tackle pies nearly as large as their heads, while their older classmates gave attention to the festive cranberry tart, the latter being composed of heavily sweetened cranberries and partly done dough. Occasionally one of the more advanced boys would sneak out of the bakery and in some secluded spot lighted a cigarette, which he smoked till the 12:30 bell called him back to school.

Pastry, inefficiently cooked, and cigarettes make a poor combination. Fond mothers wonder why their boys have no appetite for dinner at night and vainly try to guess the reason. Did they provide their sons in the morning with an amply stocked lunch box containing delicacies which would charm the palate of the urchin, they would find that the latter would have better appetites for the evening meal. Instead, however, many boys are given so much money each morning to pay their expenses for the day. This includes the price of luncheon and car fare. Business man sometimes become dyspeptics by eating too fast, but it is unfortunate that youths and young men who frequent school should ruin their digestions before entering commercial life.—Brooklyn Eagle.

Objections to the Corset.

It is rather funny that there are no women in this world so healthy as the English women, and no woman who lace so much. The French women and the Spanish women, naturally broader hips and smaller waists, so that much lacing is not required for them to gain the fashionable figure. But the English woman, with her small waist, hips and broad shoulders, needs to make her waist smaller to achieve that which she desires, and yet where are there women who bring into the world a finer set of men than the English women? I think that is one of the very answers to the objections to the corset. The finest specimens, physically, of Englishmen are not what a clever girl called "rather made," but to coin an expression, "mother made."—"Bab" in New York Star.

Keep all the apparatus for cleansing lamps on an old tray, and never use rags, brushes, scissors, or any of the articles for any other purpose than trimming lamps.

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The blouse frock is made with a yoke embroidered with coarse thread stitch in colored cotton, the sleeve being also embroidered to match, having a puff at the shoulder and wrist, the latter finished with a round band. The above models and descriptions are furnished by The Season.

French Muslin Dresses.

A recent inspection of French dresses for midsummer wear is thus described by Harper's Bazar: These dresses are made up of muslins of various kinds, figured lawns, striped barèges of the usual kinds, and batistes with quaint Japanese designs upon them, like hieroglyphics in the bright, new scarlet called cactus on ecru grounds, or in the gray-ish Japan blue on white.

Flounces are revived for these pretty gowns, and tucks without number, the only trimmings not of the material being slight insertions of embroidery, some scallops wrought in buttonhole stitch on the dress goods, and ribbons of various kinds, the richest uncut velvet ribbon appearing in bands and bows, with great sashes of heavy brocades and of moire.

The revived flounces are wide, and it is the fashion to have them shirred across the back breadths, covering the skirt from belt to foot *in place of drapery, or else they are on one* side, usually the left, forming a panel next the long side of each breadth; there may be three flounces up each side of the skirt, with an apron between that is pointed in the middle.

The tucks of these new gowns are only the *fourth of an inch wide, and are lengthwise* in the sides of the skirt from the belt down to within eight or ten inches of the foot, where they stop, and the material below forms a flounce, which is also tucked across. The flounces across the back of the skirt have each two rows of tucks, and no lengthwise tucks. There are also many tucks of these narrow widths, with the thread which tucks them drawn to gather the tuck. These form a yoke over the hips, and below a pointed yoke like space on the front of the skirt just below the belt, also diagonal bands or pocket like pieces, on the sides of the skirt. The back breadths of skirts that are not flounced have pleats thickly folded down the middle and are taken up the belt on each side in jabot folds.

Other lawn dresses have kilt pleated skirts with a wide hem and inch wide tucks, while the back is draped in bunnoose folds at the top and pouches over the belt. The fronts of skirts of colored lawn dresses made by French modistes are of white cambric, on which a pink cambric flounce is set both inside and outside as a lalapress. Thicker percales with stripes or figures have plain percale foundation skirts, on which are one or two ruffles of the plain percale merely pinked on the edges. A half wadden for a bustle is covered with the percale of the dress and there are steels across the foundation skirt.

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Leave Somerville at 6.05, 6.35, 7.00, 7.30, 8.00, 8.30, 9.00, 10.37, 11.30 a. m., 12.30 p. m., 1.30, 2.30, 3.30, 4.00, 4.30, 5.00, 5.30, 6.00, 6.30, 7.00, 7.30, 8.00, 9.00, 10.00, 11.00, 12.00 p. m. Sundays at 6.05, 8.30, 9.30, 10.30, 11.30 a. m., 12.30 p. m., 1.30, 2.30, 3.30, 4.30, 5.30, 6.30, 7.30, 8.30, 9.30, 10.30, 11.30 p. m.
Passengers for Newark change cars at Elizabeth.
Plainfield and Somerville.
Leave Plainfield at 6.30, 7.14, 8.23, 8.51, 11.14, 11.29 a. m., 12.14 p. m., 1.14, 2.14, 3.14, 4.51, 6.23, 6.30, 7.23, 8.05, 9.23, 10.14, 11.23 p. m. Sundays at 8.14, 10.14 a. m., 2.14, 6.14, 8.05, 10.05, 11.23 p. m.
Leave Somerville at 6.05, 6.35, 7.00, 7.30, 7.55, 8.15, 9.25, 10.15, 11.15 a. m., 12.55, 2.05, 3.15, 4.15, 5.15, 6.30, 7.15, 8.00 p. m. Sunday at 9.50, 11.05 a. m., 1.00, 4.15, 7.00, 8.00 p. m.
Passengers for Newark change cars at Elizabeth.
Plainfield and Bound Brook.
Leave Plainfield at 5.10, 8.34, 9.51 a. m., 2.05, 3.16, 4.16, 6.34 p. m.
Sunday at 8.10 a. m., 4.45 p. m.
Leave Easton at 6.55, 8.07 a. m., 12.40, 4.15, 7.00 p. m. Sunday at 7.15 a. m., 7.00 p. m.
Westward Connections.
Leave Plainfield at 5.10 a. m., Allentown, Reading and Mauch Chunk, connecting at High Bridge for Schooley's Mountain, Lake Hopatcong etc., daily including Sunday, 12.30 p. m.—For Easton, Reading, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Drifton, Upper Lehigh, Slatington, Wilkesbarre, Schooley's Mountain, Lake Hopatcong, etc.
9.21 a. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, etc.
Lower Merion, Easton, Allentown, Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre Scranton, etc.
3.06 p. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, etc.
4.34 p. m.—For Easton, Wind Gap, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Williamsport, Drifton, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, etc.
5.16 p. m.—For Flemington, High Bridge Branch, Schooley's Mountain, Lake Hopatcong, etc.
6.36 p. m.—For Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, etc.
Lower Merion, Easton, Allentown, Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre Scranton, etc.
Leave Plainfield at 2.27, 5.43, 8.06, 9.53, 11.09 a. m., 1.31, 3.35, 5.55, 8.24, 9.54 p. m. Sunday (except Ocean Grove) 3.37, 5.07 a. m. and 5.30 p. m.
Plainfield and Philadelphia Via Bound Brook.
Leave Plainfield for Philadelphia and Trenton at 1.32, 5.10, 6.47, 8.05, 9.44 a. m., 2.16, 3.35, 5.16, 6.19*, 8.17 p. m. Sunday at 1.32, 6.19*, 9.35 a. m., 8.17 p. m.
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Leave Philadelphia, Ninth and Green Streets, at 8.30* a. m., 12.00 m., 1.15, 3.45, 5.15, 7.00, 12.00 p. m. Sunday at 8.30 a. m., 8.30, 12.00 p. m.
Leave Trenton, Market Street, at 5.35,* 6.45, 10.30 a. m., 1.00, 3.30, 5.00, 6.00, p. m. Sunday at 8.15 a. m., 4.30 p. m.
Leave Trenton, Jackson Street and Taylor Streets, at 1.25, 9.10,* 10.10, 11.35 a. m., 1.54, 4.15, 5.50, 7.40 p. m. Sunday at 11.35, 9.10, 9.45, 10.45 p. m.
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Ice is very popular just now, but we can remember a time not six months ago when almost every one was down on it.—New York Mercury.

They say that Queen Victoria's "front" blew off while at the Wild West exhibition last week, and that Red Dog now mentions her with awe as the great "Chief-with-two-scalps."—Exchange.

Society Woman—I understand Miss K. is a perfect lad—never came out at all. Second ditto—Yes, poor little innocent! She never smelled powder—was never even in an engagement.—Burlington Free Press.

'Twas a six dollar tile—to be brief—
But a fat party brought it to grief!
For she sat on it flat.
What he said after that
We'd repeat—but we've turned a new leaf.
—Exchange.

A Portland man swallowed a large dose of starch which a suspicious druggist prepared for him in place of the strychnine he asked for. The miserable man swooned and said was soon found stretched upon his bed cold and stiff. No one but must sympathize with the unhappy wretch's despair when he shortly awoke to find himself still in Portland, and, as the dispatch cruelly puts it, "with his wife bending over him." She probably took the starch out of him.—New York Mercury.

It is said a dollar goes further now than it used to. Have the financiers selected a more distant colony than Canada?—Pittsburg Chronicle.

"How silver sweet sound lovers' tongues by night." "Lemme be, Gus'ine Washington Castle, you're musin my new bang."—New York Morning Journal.

O. C. Cabot, a brother of Sebastian Cabot, spelled his name backward in order to find an equation for an Indian smokeweed—tobacco.—The Earth.

According to an eminent English authority a goose lives fifty years. Provided, of course, he refrains from blowing out the gas when he retires.—Chicago Herald.

There is not a girl who makes her own bustle but is backed by some of the most influential papers of the times.—St. Paul Herald.

The good people inhabiting the shores of Buzzard's bay desire to change the name. They might call it Dollar-of-our-fathers bay. —Providence Journal.

A bright Somerville boy, whose sister was attending the Harvard class day exercises, told a caller that she "had gone to the circus." "I never went to the circus but once myself," he added, gravely, "and that was a ben show."—Somerville Journal.

He Made a Neat Hit.

"Is there any one living here under 21 years of age?" inquired a man who rang the door bell to a Lake street residence the other day.

"No, there is not," rather sharply replied a spinster of thirty-and-thirty summers who answered the ring.

"Why, is it possible?" was the reply of this apparently astonished man. "Don't you live here?"

It was a neat hit, and after a little simpering and a brief chat about the weather the maiden purchased two copies of a work entitled "Hints for the Young."—Buffalo Courier.

Justice at Last.

Visitor—What has become of your old friend Clara?

Omaha Dame—The wife of that Chicago bank cashier?

"Yes."

"She is living in retirement in Canada with her disgraced husband."

"Poor thing! I did her great injustice in my thoughts."

"You did?"

"Yes; I always supposed those big diamonds of hers were paste, but it seems they were real after all."—Omaha World.

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Omaha Man—That is a beautiful section of country up your way.

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"My gracious! That will ruin it."

"Ruin it?"

"Yes, sure. You must give it an unpronounceable Indian name, six syllables long, if you want it to become a summer resort."—Omaha World.

He Had Learned a Lesson.

Backwoodsman (in Ohio town)—I hear you've struck a well of natural gas here lately.

Hotel Keeper—Yes, sir; got one in our back yard.

Backwoodsman—I wish you'd tell the clerk to turn it off when he shuts up for the night. He tried to make ware him against blowing it out! I had an experience once myself, mister.—Judge.

In the Country.

Jimmy—I was walking in the woods, when all at once I came upon the biggest kind of a rattlesnake.

Pa—How do you know it was a rattlesnake, Jimmy?

"By the way my teeth rattled as soon as I saw him."—Texas Siftings.

He Played Second Fiddle at Home.

Strong Minded Woman (to a relative who has called on her)—My husband has now got a position in the orchestra. He plays first fiddle.

Relative—Not at home, does he?

"You bet he doesn't play first fiddle at home."

"That's what I thought."—Texas Siftings.

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This is the landlord, grim and gray,
That "roasted" the waiter with greasy tray
That "roasted" the cook so jolly and gay
That roasted the beef in a careless way
In a hostelry down in Texas.

This is the drummer who chanced that way
That "roasted" the landlord grim and gray
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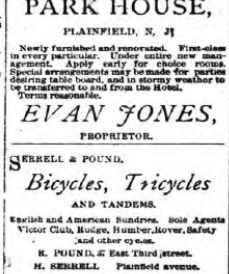

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Arrival and Departure of Mails.

NEW YORK—Close, 8.00 and 10.00 a. m.; 2.00 and 5.30 p. m. Arrive, 7.30, 9.30, 11.45 a.m.; 2.30 and 5.30 p. m.

SOMERVILLE, EASTON, ETC.—Close, 8.00 a.m. and 4.30 p.m. Arrive, 9.30 a. m. and 6.10 p. m.

SUNDAY—Arrive at 5.10 a. m. Office open from 9.00 a. m. to 10.00 a. m. Mail closes at 7 p. m.

Mail for Warrenville closes Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday at 12 m.

Post office opens at 7 a. m. and closes at 7.30 p. m. Saturday closes at 8.00 p. m. Open every evening until 8.30. p. m., to owners of lock boxes.

Money order office open from 8 a. m. to 5 p. m. Saturdays to four p. m.

JOTTINGS.

—Peaches raised by local farmers are in the market.

—A party from the Y. M. C. A. will walk *to Searing's Farm, next Tuesday evening.*

—For long continued heat this month will hold its own with the Julys of other years.

—The Borough Council will hold its regular August meeting one week from to-night.

—The law library for the use of the court has been placed in the judges' room in the court house at Somerville.

—A large party of young folks from North Plainfield spent yesterday on the mountains. They report having a good time.

—*The recent rains have swollen the doors* of a number of residents so much that have defied all efforts made to open them.

—At the Hotel Netherwood to-night Alfred Young will entertain the guests with dramatic recitals and interludes of light comedy.

—On Saturday afternoon next, the Active base ball club of North Plainfield will go to Elizabeth and endeavor to defeat a Madison nine in a game of ball.

—Yesterday afternoon a spirited horse attached to a butcher wagon ran away on West Third street, but was caught before he succeeded in doing much damage.

—The grocery clerks of this city are negotiating with the Plainfield Cornet Band for a parade Monday evening, in honor of the first anniversary of the early closing movement.

—There were nine well filled passenger cars on the excursion of the Warren Mission Sunday School from here this morning. The prospect of a fine day put the excursionists generally in a happy mood.

—And now the news is that stout women are going out of fashion, and the ethereal maidens are to be the queen bees of society.

—Cass Teller this morning paid the five dollar fine imposed by City Judge Ulrich yesterday for being drunk, and he was released from custody.

—A little girl named Willis was badly bitten on the left hand by a large black dog on Liberty street about noon yesterday. The child was taken to her home and a physician dressed the wound. The dog escaped.

—The east side of Grove street has been barricaded by guard rails, without any accident to pedestrians who are obliged to cross it. During the freshet Tuesday night a portion of the earth was washed away, leaving a large hole on either side of the walk

—If the housewife would insist on having the dishes washed in hot water and milk instead of soap they would be always bright and clean. Fill a dishpan full of very hot water and add half a cup of milk. It cleanses the greasiest dishes, and there will be no scum on the water.—Fredonian.

—Yesterday morning two young Misses who do not reside over one thousand miles from Plainfield started out on a blackberry tour. After walking about six miles, in the hot sun, scratching their hands with the briers, wearing out two pair of shoes, tearing their clothes, etc., they returned home, with one quart each, and felt amply rewarded for the harsh treatment they were subjected to by the briers and ungodly their intention of trying again, some day in the near future.

—There are several changes in the time table of the Central R. R., which our traveling readers would do well to note. In the trains from Newark to Plainfield the 1.50 p m. has been changed to 1.45 p. m. The 6.59 from Somerville to Plainfield has been changed to 7.01, and a train at 8.17 added; Harrisburg and a 7.14 a. m. for Flemington have been added the westward connections, and the 8.32 a. m., which formerly was the Flemington train, is changed to the High Bridge, Schooley Mountains and Lake Hopatcong branch. The 4.35 p. m. drops Williamsport and substitutes Shamokin, and a 6.02 p. m. train for Flemington has been added. The 5.02 p. m. train for Philadelphia is changed to a through train. Passengers formerly had to change cars at Bound Brook. The 5.16 p. m. for Plainfield has been dropped. For Long Branch and Ocean Grove three trains have been dropped. These are the trains which leave Somerville at 8.45 and 9.32 a. m. and the 3.27 a. m. Sunday train. With this item our readers will the more readily note the changes elsewhere published to-day *in the time table.*

—The Y. M. C. A. Base Ball nine will play the Orange nine on the Park avenue grounds *to-morrow afternoon.*

—The mortality among infants not only in this vicinity, but all over the country, due to the intense heat, is something appalling.

—Complaint was made to the Health Board this morning of a horrible stench emanating from a cesspool at the corner of Second and Richmond streets.

—Persons wanting comfortable and convenient homes near the depot, and at from but $1,500 to $2,000, would do well to read the advertisement elsewhere from that old reliable real estate office of Mr. E. C. Mulford.

—A number of the members of the "Young Men's Training class" of the Y. M. C. A., had a picnic to Boynton Beach yesterday starting by stage about eight a. m. and returning at about 10.30 p. m. They spent the day in games of all kinds, base ball, quoits, swimming, rowing, tug-of-war, etc., and returned fully satisfied that they had a good time.

—Members of the North Plainfield Common Council and others attribute much of the *damage by the flood of Tuesday night to the* dams. The dam at the stone cracker is said to be owned by Mr. P. M. French, and to its breaking away five years ago much of the damage done at that time also is charged. It is claimed that but for the dams the water would be carried off in the regular channel, instead of being held back until the dam gave way and sent in an overwhelming torrent to work destruction on the territory below, as well as the adjoining roadway. The Councilmen last evening held a conference with a view of seeing what steps can be taken in the matter, to guard against such misfortune in the future. The dam at Coddington's is kept there to enable the Coddington brothers to hold enough water to make ice in the winter for them to serve Plainfield in the summer. Both dams are kept in repair by the owners as far as possible. Sometimes, however, muskrats undermine the dams and cause them to give way when they are believed to be most sound.

An Imposition.

A short time ago a Front street barber issued tickets and circulated dodgers announcing that a picnic would be given in the grove at "Lover's Dell," North Plainfield, under the auspices of the Athletic Base Ball Club. The captain of the club informs us that the organization's name was used without authority, and that none of the members had interested themselves in the matter at all. It is said that a large number of the tickets were sold and that the said barber pocketed the proceeds of such sales. Last night was the time set for the picnic and a number of persons visited the grove only to find it in darkness. Some of his victims talk of prosecuting him.

Firemen Must Pay Poll Tax.

A fireman who has been served with a notice to pay poll tax has made the inquiry of us whether he is legally required to do so. Upon inquiry at the office of the City Collector we find that a poll tax is required of firemen, but they are exempt from jury duty provided that they have filed a certificate of membership in the fire department with the County Clerk. The only men exempt from poll tax are soldiers and sailors of the regular army and navy, and all soldiers and sailors who have been in any of the wars in which the government has been engaged; also all colored men are exempt. This is under the United States law. Under the State law of New Jersey all old soldiers and sailors are entitled to exemption from taxation on $500 worth of real estate or personal property.

What is "Mercy" to Dogs.

Plainfield does well to have, at last, a good city ordinance about dogs. It provides that—

No dog, not in charge of its keeper shall be permitted to run at large within the city of Plainfield, unless a good and sufficient muzzle be placed over the mouth of such dog in such a manner as to render biting impossible; and any person who shall permit or suffer any dog owned or harbored by him, in violation or contrary to the provisions of this ordinance, shall upon conviction thereof be punished by a fine not exceeding ten dollars for each offense.

In addition to this the dogs are to be caught, impounded, and, after four days, killed "in the most merciful way" possible—without specifying how that is to be. Such an ordinance would be a state law, applied to all towns.—Somerville Gazette.

Rev. Cornelius Schenck on the Temperance Platform.

At the Reform Club meeting last evening Rev. Mr. Schenck, the new minister of Trinity Reform church was present for the first time.

Judge Harper presided and introduced Mr. Schenck, who assured the club of his hearty sympathy with the temperance work, and that in all things possible his co-operation could be hereafter counted upon.

Street Commissioner Angleman and Health Inspector Platt also spoke.

The Cranford Regatta.

To-morrow, weather permitting, the long-talked of regatta, under the auspices of the Cranford River Improvement Association will talk place. It is the first of the season and is looked forward to with much interest. It will include ladies' single and double scull races, canoe races, etc. The prizes offered are very pretty and are as follows: two pairs of silver spoon oars, a Chatalaine watch, Vienna table gong, three silver medals and the "Cahill Challenge Cup."

A Lawn Party.

Yesterday afternoon and evening the members of the Mt. Olive Baptist church, colored, tendered to their friends a lawn party on the lawn adjoining the church. A goodly number were in attendance and enjoyed themselves hugely. A large tent had been pitched on the lawn where refreshments were served and other amusements, such as croquet, swinging and merry-go-rounds were indulged in heartily. The project will undoubtedly not for the church a handsome surplus

A Lambertville cat has established a record as a lover of green cucumbers, nipping them off the vines as fast as they grow. She belongs to Mr. Geo. L. Hodge.

PERSONAL.

Sheriff George M. Stiles has returned from his trip to Connecticut.

W. L. Serrell of Plainfield is registered at the Gilsey House, Asbury Park.

H. K. Carroll, D. D., is registered at the Atlantic House, Ocean Grove.

Clarence M. Haviland of East Second street, is with friends in Gloucester, Mass.

Frank E. Newman of West Fifth street is at Pine Bush, New York, for a few weeks.

Maurice Flynn of the New York Fire Department is visiting friends on West Sixth street.

Rev. Cornelius Schenck, of East Second street, starts for the Catskills on Monday, for a month's stay.

Mr. J. L. VanNeste of East Second street, wife and son, start to morrow for the Catskills, to be gone a month.

Mr. W. H. Sampson and family start tomorrow for Fallsburg, N. Y., to spend a few weeks of the summer.

Harry Bush of this city, has returned after spending several weeks with relatives at Washington, D. C., and vicinity.

Mrs. Smith of Grove street and Green Brook Road starts in a few days for a visit to her parents at Budds Lake, N. J.

Mrs. S. I. Mitchell of West Fourth street is sojourning at Liberty, Sullivan County, N. Y., to remain during the month of August.

William VanAstyne of Broadway, accompanied by his family will start to-morrow for Asbury Park where they will spend the month of August.

Master Daniel Morrison is spending a part of his vacation at his cousins, a broker of New York city, who is at his summer residence in Plainfield.—Fredonian.

Messrs. A. Vanderbeek, Martin M. Thorn and Ex-Mayor Rockfellow went to the Sewaaen yesterday on a fishing party, and returned last evening with their baskets well stocked with the finny tribe.

The funeral of Delia, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Connett, took place from her parents' residence, Rockview avenue, this morning. Interment was made in the Presbyterian cemetery, North Plainfield.

Mr. J. L. VanNeste of East Second street has been a resident of Plainfield about four years. He is a produce commission merchant in New York. He and Rev. Mr. Schenck, the popular young minister of Trinity Reformed church, are cousins.

George Butcbe, the driver of Engine Company No. 2, fractured one of the small bones in his left foot while descending a flight of stairs in the Clark Rogers house on Madison avenue on Wednesday afternoon. He was taken to his home and Dr. Tomlinson dressed the wound.

Howard M. Martin of Park avenue and James M. Whitfield of West Seventh street will start to-morrow by boat from New York city for Newburgh on the Hudson, thence by carriage to Delhi, Delaware county, where they will remain over Sunday, starting early Monday morning for White Lake, New York, where they intend to stay two weeks.

Mr. R. R. Fairchild of North Plainfield, intends to start to morrow for a brief vacation at Martha's Vineyard. He will be accompanied by Mrs. Fairchild. Mr. Fairchild is a furniture building on East Front street, is one of the attractions of the town. Therein Mr. Fairchild's superior goods and low prices keep his business decidedly brisk the year round.

Isaac Brokaw of Duer street is having a number of improvements put on and about his residence. In the piece of the former board walk, which was getting dilapidated he is having a stone flagging put down by Mr. Powers of Somerset street. He is also putting an addition on the rear of his residence, which will almost double the size of his large house.

On Wednesday morning, cholera infantum caused the death of Charles R., the infant son of Rudolph and Erasmus Bellesches of East Front street. The family are French and have resided in this city for about six years. They have a son about six years old and the infant referred to whose was three months and ten day sold. The burial service was conducted this morning at the residence by Rev. Mr. Ketchman, and the remains were buried in the Presbyterian cemetery.

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LATEST DISPATCHES.

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Thermometer Record.

The following is the record of the thermometer for this day and for the corresponding date of last year, as kept at Stelle's drug store, corner of Front street and Park avenue.

1887	1886	
6 a. m..... 73	68	Sun rises..... 4 53
9 a. m..... 73	76	Sun sets..... 7 19
12 m 85	82	Moon rises.....
3 p. m..... 93	93	Moon sets..... 12 00

Weather Indications.

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For Saturday, in New Jersey, eastern New York and eastern Pennsylvania, and in New England, slightly cooler, partly cloudy weather, followed by rain, with variable winds.

Want Gladstone To Do It $5,000 Miles Away.

MINNEAPOLIS, MINN., July 29.—The directors of the exposition are considering the *advisability of requesting ex-Premier Glad*stone to open the exposition this year by pressing an electric button in London, as Mr. Cleveland did in Washington last year. Both of the cable companies are now investigating.

$2,000 Explosion.

HOUSTON, TEXAS, July 29.—The boiler of the Houston Lumber Company's Saw and Planing Mill exploded yesterday killing A. G. Wells, general manager of the company, and four others. Three men are also reported missing. Fragments of the boiler were carried three-quarters of a mile, falling upon and wrecking a carload of lumber, and bending the track of the Southern Pacific Company. The loss to building and machinery is estimated at $7,000.

Holding an Irishman.

LONDON, July 29.—Custom house detectives at Belfast detained Mr. Patrick A. Collins and his party yesterday, while their luggage was being unnecessarily ransacked, and their action has created quite a sensation here. It is more than likely that the gratuitous insult offered to Mr. Collins will be made the subject of official inquiry. The pretense is that the detectives suspected that had reason to suspect that the luggage of the party contained dynamite or other explosives or prohibited material.

A Murderer's Terrible Record.

DELPHI, Ind., July 29.—A diary belonging to Amos Green, who recently murdered and mutilated a girl named Lee Mabbitt, has turned up at Young America, Cass County. It discloses the names of women and girls with whom he has been intimate. Previous to his flight after the murder of Miss Mabbitt he had been known as a libertine, but the extent of his amours had not been suspected. The diary which has just been found contains a carefully kept record of his licentious conquests. It covers a period of fifteen years, and shows, according to his own computation, that in this time he has deliberately accomplished the ruin of thirty-five girls and married women. In this time he has lived in several states.

Mr. Blaine's Boating Trouble.

BRIDGE-OF-EARN, Scotland, July 29.—The recent chilly weather brightened up this morning and Mr. Blaine and Mr. and Mrs. Carnegie, with Mr. King, ventured out on the water in a light boat. Messrs. Carnegie and King took the oars, Mr. Blaine being assigned the helm, which he manipulated most indifferently. Just as the party got to Kelchman, and the remains were buried in the Presbyterian cemetery.

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Pleuro-Pneumonia Nearing Plainfield.

NEW BRUNSWICK, July 29.—Dr. Dimond, U. S. Inspector, was here to-day and slaughtered sixteen cows on the farm of George W. Rolfe on Livingston avenue, which were inflicted with pleuro-pneumonia. The animals, after being killed, were taken away. The diseased ones were buried and the sound ones converted into poudrette for fertilizing.

Sold his Wife for $300.

WHICENNES, Ind., July 29.—Charles Bohn had J. H. Bunch, a fellow passenger, arrested yesterday for carrying off Mrs. Bohn. In court it was discovered that Bohn sold his wife to Bunch, the latter giving Bohn a note for $300 which he has not paid.

Increasing Railroad Assessments.

INDIANAPOLIS, July 29.—The Indiana Board of Equalization has increased the assessment on railroads running through Indiana from $55,344,820, to $62,092,439, the largest advance that has ever been made. The assessment on the Pittsburg, Fort Wayne and Chicago road, which the Pennsylvania system was the feasibility of the scheme General Washburn was appointed to represent the exposition directors on the invitation to be extended to President Cleveland.

Trains in Collision—Lives Lost.

PITTSBURGH, Pa., July 29.—At seven o'clock this morning the Washington express train at full speed into a freight train at West Newton street, on the Baltimore and Ohio R. R. A broken eccentric rod had crippled the freight engine. Engineer Sullivan and fireman Corbin were repairing it. The air-brake of the express would not work and in the crash the freight was forced ahead, killing Corbin and fatally injuring Sullivan. The express engineer and fireman jumped from their train in time to save their lives. The passenger, engine and eleven cars were wreck. ed and many of the passengers hurt. All the train men were injured more or less.

The New Bridge.

Much interest is manifested in the movements of a gang of mechanics employed by the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad Company, whose trains now go through Plainfield, and who are engaged in the erection of a great bridge which is to span the Kill von Kull.

The injunction granted by the Court of Chancery forbids interfering with the riparian lands, and this order is being respected. The workmen have erected an immense bridge-derrick about forty feet in width, and will commence the construction of docks at once where stone will be unloaded. A few feet from the water's edge a track has been laid, and the excavation for one of the piers is being pushed with steam pumps and hoisting derricks.

The approach to the bridge will be on high trestles, the land over which it is being low meadow. The tracks will be so raised as to run over the top of the Long Branch Division of the Central Railroad, and three buildings have been erected for offices and tool houses.

All the preliminary work which can be pushed without violating the terms of the July 25th, 1887. F. M. Johnson, Park avenue and Seventh street. 28-3t

$6,666 DOLLARS will buy No. 18 West Fifth street, Plainfield. It is a bargain, apply to Joseph T. Vail, Real Estate agent, North avenue. 7-26-7

Died.

CRAIG—In this city, July 28th, Lewis Craig M. D., in the 83d year of his age.

Funeral services from his late residence, Somerset street, North Plainfield, Monday, August 1st, at 2 p m. 29-2t

Cent-a-Word-Column.

A GERMAN WOMAN wants work at scrubbing, washing and ironing. would prefer it in a small family in the country. Call at No. 74 West Fourth street. 28-3t

A GOOD BOOKKEEPER, with local references, can find a steady situation by addressing Lucius, care of EVENING NEWS. A business college graduate preferred. 7-27-6t

A WIDE-AWAKE experienced reporter of good character, can find steady employment at this office. A good-paying position to a thoroughly qualified young. 7-27-tf.

CAR load of Sanderson's XXXX best flour just received at Morrison's opposite Depot. Best of the best. 29-3t*

FOR SALE—A few desirable lots on Spooner avenue, corner Division st reet, cheap. Also a number of lots in neighborhood of Grant avenue station. J. T. Vail, agent opp. R. R. station Plainfield. 7-14-tf*

FURNISHED ROOMS to let, with or without board, at No. 11 West Second street. 5-23tf*

GIRLS can secure private situations city or country by applying at Mrs. Ward's office, corner Sixth and Richmond streets.

GOOD family horse for sale sound and quiet for lady. Apply to Day's Livery. 27-tf

HOUSE and lot with stable near Grant avenue for sale, splendid opportunity for investment, buildings in good order. Address Box 1396. 7-5-eod-tf*

LOT of wet hay for sale at City Mill, 50 cts. per bale. French Bros. 28-2

LOST—Dog strayed away from Adam Fritz. Liver and white pointer. Heavy set, tail clipped. Five dollars paid for return to Smalley Brothers' butcher shop. 25-6

MONEY to loan on first mortgage. Box 1211. 5-tf*

TO LET—Two houses on Craig Place, all improvements, eleven rooms each, $30 per month. *Apply to Isaac Brokaw, 19 Duer* 7-30-tf*

WANTED—Girl for general housework, good plain cook and laundress. Reference. Apply Mrs. Walter Scott, 124 E. Front street, cor. Richmond. 29-2

WANTED—Smallest size (Regulation) Billiard Table. Must be in good order and low price. Address Box 335, Plainfield P. Office. 29-2t

WANTED—Furnished cottage by shore for about month. Address Mx., Box 283. 7-27-tf*

WANTED—A girl for general housework. No. 3 Craig Place. 19-tf*

$1,000 WANTED at five per cent. secured by first mortgage on valuable real estate, to replace a first mortgage. Address "Good Investment," care of Evening News. 7-26-6

RESPECTABLE woman would like a situation for upstairs work or to wait upon an aged couple. Call at 33 Liberty street.

$50 REWARD—The above reward will be paid for information which will lead to the arrest and conviction of the party or parties who poisoned my dog on the night of July 25th, 1887. F. M. Johnson, Park avenue and Seventh street. 28-3t

Parties of small means who desire to purchase small cottage homes from $1,500 to $2,000 seven minutes walk from Plainfield Junction east, call on E. C. Mulford, real estate agent, 35 and 37 opposite main depot.

The Censor on Pace.

Assemblyman George E. Pace, of Millstone, was asked a few days ago as to whether *or not he had entered on his duties in the Inter*nal Revenue service as stamp clerk at Millstone, which appointment was recently tendered him by collector Kolts. Mr. Pace replied that he was as yet undecided whether or not the accepting of this position would prevent his taking the nomination next fall for a second term in the Assembly, to which nomination he is entitled according to the practice in that county.—Plainfield News.

Mr. Pace got elected last year by a close shave. His majority was eighty, while Gov. Green had two hundred and four. He did not make such a brilliant record in the Legislature as to insure an increase vote. He had better accept the subordinate clerkship, and then he can run again. Accepting an office; he can resign if elected. A lawyer and a member of the Legislature, ought to feel insulted on being offered a position. Instead of considering it a compliment as they do.—Rahway Censor.

STATE NOTES.

Dr. E. Hunt, President of the State Board of Health, has been making an inquiry into the cause of the death of a number of Hereford and grade cattle in Burlington county.

A heavy thunder shower visited the vicinity of Burlington on Tuesday night. The lightning struck in several places, and at the railroad depot the telegraph wires were somewhat damaged by the heavy charges of electricity.

The will of George Hance of Shrewsbury is to be contested. *He died of softening of the* brain. He was 80 years of age and left an estate of $300,000, and a widow and three children to share it.

The Essex County Board of Assessors held its annual meeting Monday and fixed the county tax rate for 1887 at 0.57.63 and the city rate at 1.45.37, making a total of 2.02, which is one point less than last year's rate.

An inquest was held Wednesday in Paterson in the case of Emma Johnson, who it is supposed was murdered in a disorderly house in that city last Monday. The jury rendered a verdict that the woman came to her death at the hands of some person unknown to the jury.

The Passaic County Agricultural Association having purchased fifty acres of land adjoining the Paterson Driving Park Association at once, and convert the half-mile track into a three-quarter circuit. A large staff of laborers have already been engaged, and it is anticipated that *the work will be completed* before the first day of September, in time for the fall fair.

It has been found that human bodies have not been interred in the Burlington cemeteries to the depth of five feet as required by statute. The Board of Health instructed Mr. Stowell, its Inspector, to make an examination, and he ascertained that 38. Many's was the only ground in which the law is obeyed. In some the bones are but three feet, and in some instances but twenty inches under ground. The Board will at once apply for a writ of mandamus to have the law fully carried out, especially in the Methodist burial ground.

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CENTRAL R. R.
OF NEW JERSEY.

Time-table in effect June 27, 1887.

Plainfield and New York.

Leave Plainfield at 3.27, 5.45, 6.38 7.05, 7.36, 7.50, 8.02, 8.23, 8.40, 9.52, 10.37, 11.08 11.42 a. m.; 12.02, 12.30, 1.25, 2.25, 2.57, 3.51 4.28, 5.35, 5.54, 6.32 6.55, 7.25, 8.46, 9.15, 11.16, p.m. Sunday 4.37, 5.51, 7.37, 10.23, a. m.; 1.27, 4.28, 5.28, 6.53 9.25, 10.53 p. m.

Leave New York, Foot Liberty Street at 4.00, 6.00, 7.30, 8.30, 9.00, 10.15, 10.45 a. m.; 1.00, 2.30, 3.30, 3.45, 4.30, 5.00, 5.30, 5.45, 6.00, 6.30, 7.00, 7.30, 8.15, 9.30, 10.30, 11.30 p. m. Sunday 9.00, 9.45, 11.0 a. m.; 12.00 m ; 1.30, 4.00, 5.30, 6.30, 9.30, 12.00, p. m.

Plainfield and Newark.

Leave Plainfield at 5.43, 6.33, 7.06, 7.30, 8.02, 8.40, 9.58, 10.37, 11.05, 11.42, a. m., 12.02, 1.25, 2.57, 3.51, 4.28, 4.34, 5.10, 5.31, 6.03, 6.38, 7.01, 7.55, 8.05, 8.17, 9.39, 11.45 p. m. Sunday 8.10, 10.14 a. m.; 2.45, 5.14, 6.43, 10.45, p. m.

Leave Somerville at 6.05, 6.36, 7.05, 7.29, 7.55, 8.15, 8.35, 9.15, 10.3, 10.42, 11.15, a. m., 12.37, 1.25, 3.05, 3.50, 5.32, 6.12, 6.49 p. m. Sunday at 8.50, 11.05 a. m.; 1.00, 4.50, 7.09, 8.57 p. m.

Plainfield and Easton.

Leave Plainfield at 5.43, 6.33, 9.21 a. m. 2.05, 2.16, 4.34, 5.16, 6.38, p. m. Sunday at 5.10 a. m.; 6.43 p. m.

Leave Easton at 6.55, 8.37 a. m.; 12.40 4.15, 7.00 p. m. Sunday at 7.15 a. m. 7.00 p. m.

Westward Connections.

8.10 a. m.—For Easton, Allentown, Reading Harrisburg and Mauch Chunk, connecting at High Bridge for Schooley's Mountain, Lake Hopatcong etc., daily including Sundays.

7.14 a. m.—For Flemington.

8.32 m.—For Lake Hopatcong, High Bridge Branch, Schooley's Mountain, Lake Hopatcong, Easton, Wilkesbarre, Mauch Chunk.

9.41 a. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Shamokin, Mahanoy, Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre Scranton, etc.

1.05 p. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, etc.

4.34 p. m.—For Easton, Wind Gap, Mauch Chunk and Pen Argyl, Delhi, Dribon, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, etc.

5.16 p. m.—For Flemington, High Bridge Branch, Schooley's Mountain, Lake Hopatcong, Easton, etc.

6.02 p. m.—For Flemington.

8.38 p. m.—For Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, etc.

Leave Plainfield at 5.27, 6.09, 11.05 a. m. 1.27, 2.35 3.53, 5.25 5.54, p. m. Sunday Ocean Grove 8.37 a. m. and 4.24 p. m.

Plainfield & Philadelphia via Bound Brook.

Leave Plainfield for Philadelphia and Trenton at 1.58, 3.18, 8.14, 9.43, 11.44 a. m. 2.18, 3.25, 5.17, 8.37 p. m. Sunday at 1.32, 5.16, 9.35 a. m. 6.30 p. m.

Leave Philadelphia, Market and Green Streets, at 5.30* 9.30 11.00 a. m.; 1.15 3.45, 5.15, 7.00 12.00 p. m. Sunday at 5.30 a. m.; 5.30, 12.00 p. m.

Third and Berks Streets at 5.30,* 9.05 10.15 a. m.; 1.00, 3.30, 6.00, p. m. Sunday at 5.15 a. m.; 2.30 p. m.

Leave Trenton, Warren and Taylor Streets, at 5.45* 9.50 11.25 a. m.; 1.54, 4.15, 5.50, 7.40 p. m. Sunday at 1.28, 8.18 9.40 a. m. 6.18 p. m.

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FOR UNPARLIAMENTARY LANGUAGE.

Mr. Timothy Healy is Suspended from the House of Commons.

LONDON, July 29.—While the house of commons was in committee last night discussing the land bill, a passage at arms occurred between Timothy Healy and the chairman. Mr. Healy complained that the Conservatives interrupted him. The incident, it was supposed, was ended by Mr. Healy apologizing. The excitement continuing, the chairman reported Mr. Lisle (Conservative) as disorderly, and, refusing to allow him to make an explanation, suspended the sitting in committee and summoned the speaker to the chair.

The chairman then reported that during the last division following the Healy incident Mr. Healy refused to leave the room and that Mr. Healy, and Mr. Smith moved that he be suspended. Mr. Healy immediately took his hat, and standing in the center of the house before retiring said: "I thank you for none of my friends vote against this motion." The motion to suspend him was carried without a division.

A SISTER'S DEVOTION.

Working Seven Years to Secure the Release of Her Convict Brother.

LONDON, July 29.—The release of George Bidwell, the Earl of England forger, who in 1872 was sentenced to imprisonment for life, is unprecedented in the romance attaching to the circumstances of his discharge. The pardon of this now famous criminal was effected through the unceasing efforts of a devoted sister, who spent seven years in trying to obtain her brother's liberty, and no various were the means she employed and so persistent her endeavors that she became an incubus to every official whose action or influence tended in any possible effect in the direction of consummating her purpose. How she finally accomplished her object nobody appears to know. The police officials declare that they are entirely in the dark as to the secret of her success, but all agree that Bidwell's discharge was brought about solely through the efforts of this brave, self sacrificing devotion to her brother has no parallel in the records or traditions of English prisons or police departments.

PLEASE PATRONIZE THE MAILS.

The President Urges the Discontinuance of Visiting Inviitation Committees.

WASHINGTON, July 29.—The president received a telegram from Senator Davis, of Tennessee, stating that a committee of citizens of Memphis was about to be appointed to visit the capital to tender him an invitation to visit that city, and asking whether it would be agreeable to the executive to receive them. The president, replying to the telegram, requested Senator Harris to use his persuasive powers with a view to inducing the committee to abandon the unnecessary trip to Washington during the present term. The president assured the senator that an invitation by mail would be quite as satisfactory, and received favorable attention as an invitation brought by a delegation.

It is stated at the White House that the president will in all future cases discourage delegations from visiting Washington to invite him to visit various cities, and will assure them that written invitations will be equally effective.

Bulgaria's New Ruler.

SOFIA, July 29.—Prince Ferdinand is expected to arrive here early in August to take the oath as prince of Bulgaria. The government has received the report of his coming and the prince will be received by the officials with great ceremony.

Catching a New York Thief.

PITTSBURG, Pa., July 29.—Dick Smith, one of the men wanted for the theft of $10,000 worth of diamonds and jewelry from Fairchild & Co.'s store in New York, was identified in this city yesterday.

Beaten to Death.

COLUMBIA, S. C., July 29.—Giles and Priscilla Washington (colored) were lodged in jail for beating their son Bennie so brutally that he died from his injuries.

CONDENSED NEWS.

M. B. Bowker, of Southampton, N. J., was bitten by a rattlesnake while picking huckleberries, and drank a quart of applejack to counteract the effects of the poison.

A big white shark was shot at and wounded in the Hudson river near Castleton, N. Y.

At the City Temple, London, Rev. Dr. Parker delivered a farewell address prior to his departure for America.

The son of the Hon. Joseph Chamberlain, Great Britain's Liberal Union leader, will be a candidate for parliament.

The directors of the Keokuk railway met at Pittsburg, and determined to resume operations on the work at an early date.

The report that the Baltimore and Ohio telegraph lines would be worked on the cooperative plan is denied.

J. G. Humphrey, of Bridgeton, N. J., who has been active in bringing illegal liquor sellers to justice, has threatened to serve with violence unless he leaves town by Aug. 1.

There is a strong feeling in favor of commercial union in the maritime provinces of Canada.

The New York fire commissioners are formulating a plan to prevent the storing of fireworks in great quantities within the city limits.

Dr. McGlynn and Henry George assert that there is no fear of the Labor party being captured by the Socialists.

Capt. William Hodgdon, one of the first Abolitionists, died at Boothbay, Me.

Grasshoppers are playing havoc with the crops of Belgium.

Every member of President Cleveland's cabinet was in attendance at yesterday's session.

Minister Guzman, the new Costa Rican minister, was presented to the president by Secretary Bayard.

Andrew McKee, aged 38, and Howard Rush, aged 18, entered a sewer in Philadelphia on a wager. McKee was overcome with foul gas and was taken out dead. Rush was found unconscious, and his recovery is doubtful.

Thirty-six Mormon missionaries have been driven away from Asheville, S. C., by a mob armed with axe helves and headed by a Baptist preacher.

PLEURO-PNEUMONIA.

PROGRESS OF THE WORK FOR SUPPRESSING THE DISEASE.

Report of the Chief of the Bureau of Animal Industry, with the Statistics of the Work Accomplished—Pennsylvania's Attitude.

WASHINGTON, July 29.—The chief of the bureau of animal industry has just made a preliminary report to the commissioner of agriculture on the progress of the work for the suppression of pleuro-pneumonia to the six months ended June 30, 1887. It states that the last appropriation of $500,000, and the law giving authority to compensate for diseased and exposed animals, and also to quarantine and disinfect premises, has enabled the bureau to accomplish very much more than had been possible previous to that time. The new rules and regulations made to conform with this act, issued April 15, for cooperating with the various states, though assuming much more authority than the old ones, have been very favorably received and accepted by the authorities of twenty-two states and seven territories. The legislatures of the states of Illinois, New York, Rhode Island and Virginia have conferred large full authority to the officers of the bureau for the quarantining, condemnation and destruction of animals affected and exposed to dangerous contagious diseases.

Pennsylvania is the only state believed to be infected with pleuro-pneumonia, the authorities of which have declined both to accept the new rules and regulations and to give the national inspectors any recognition in this work. The last communication received from the governor's agent is to the effect that, pending the decision of the attorney general decides favorably, the department of agriculture will be permitted to pay the expense of the work in Pennsylvania on condition that the work is done under the supervision of an officer under the governor's control and subject to rules emanating from him. Such rules must be subject to the approval either party so soon as they are shown not to be the advantage of either, and there must be no possibility of damage to the interests of the state by the action of the national officers.

Co-operation is not recommended upon these terms, as it is believed that work under the supervision of state officers is more effective than the present state work, and consequently the government has nothing to gain by paying the expenses. An investigation is also suggested to determine the extent of the infection in Pennsylvania, and if this should prove sufficient to endanger the animals of other states the cattle of Pennsylvania should be placed in quarantine, and prohibited from going to other states unless recognized by a permit from an inspector of the bureau of animal industry.

During the six months the officers of the bureau have inspected 2,368 herds in Illinois, containing 12,631 animals. They have made post mortem examinations of the carcasses of 3,183 animals that have been slaughtered from the infected district, and of these 299 animals show the lesions of contagious pleuro-pneumonia.

Since April 30 819 animals have been compulsorily slaughtered in Cook county alone and paid for by this bureau, and 384, or nearly 50 per cent., were affected by this disease. Very few affected animals are now being found, and it is believed that the outbreak is about stamped out.

In Maryland 2,046 herds have been inspected, containing 25,739 animals. Of these herds, 233, containing 2,676 animals were quarantined; the number of diseased animals found in these herds was 744. A total of 1,253 post mortem examinations have been made on carcasses of slaughtered animals showing 765 to have been affected with pleuro-pneumonia. Very few recent cases of the disease have been found, and it is believed that but little more trouble is to be apprehended.

The work in New Jersey has only recently commenced; 453 herds, containing 3,815 animals, have been inspected. Twenty herds have been found infected, containing 294 head, of which 35 were reported diseased. Twenty-eight animals were slaughtered, of which 15 were found to have been affected with pleuro-pneumonia.

In New York 79 herds, containing 2,201 animals, were inspected. Of these 45 were infected and contained 857 animals, of which 120 were reported diseased. The number slaughtered was 117, of which 25 showed the lesions of pleuro-pneumonia.

The total number of herds inspected in the different states during the six months was 5,351, containing 45,094 animals; 288 herds and 11,628 animals have been placed in quarantine, among which were found 1,104 diseased animals. Post mortem examinations were made on the carcasses of 4,561 animals, and showed that 1,104 of these had been affected with pleuro-pneumonia.

Rioting Limerick Strikers.

LIMERICK, July 29.—Striking laborers of the Limerick docks, accompanied by a mob of outsiders 1,000 strong, assembled at the docks and hooted and jeered the workmen brought from Waterford to take the strikers places, who were engaged in loading and unloading vessels. Becoming bolder, the mob began throwing stones at the men who were working, and finally made a general attack upon the docks, doing much damage to the dockyards and sheds, as well as to the shipping at the wharves. The police charged upon the rioters, and used their batons with terrible effect upon the heads of the crowd. The rioters withdrew, many of them with bad wounds. Reports from Belfast are constantly receiving accessions to their number, and another and more formidable attack upon the docks is feared.

Notice to Prohibitionists.

CHICAGO, July 29.—The National Prohibition party has issued a call for the national committee to meet in Chicago on Nov. 16, to fix the time and place of the national nominating convention of 1888. On Nov. 17 a national conference of prohibitionists will be held in Chicago for suggestions and consultation. Gen. Clinton B. Fisk, of New Jersey, said to a reporter that he would not be a presidential candidate for his party. He was willing to fight in the ranks, but wanted no office.

The International Conference.

LONDON, July 29.—The congress to codify the laws of nations agreed to recommend the institution of a uniform system of bankruptcy code, inserting it in the code of international signals. Chevalier Wartzig, Admiral Colomb, of the British navy, and Sir Wyndham Knatchbull Hugessen, M. P., followed by David Dudley Field spoke in support of the motion. On motion of Mr. Field a permanent commission was appointed to inquire into the existing regulations for the prevention of collisions at sea.

Emperor William's Gift to the Pope.

ROME, July 29.—Dr. Von Schloezer, Prussian minister to the vatican, has presented to the pope an exquisitely wrought mitre, studded with rubies, diamonds, sapphires and emeralds, and accompanied by an autograph letter from the emperor of Germany tendering the bejeweled offering as his jubilee gift to the holy father.

AN INSANE COMMANDER.

Shocking Voyage of a German Ocean Steamship Almost Abandoned.

BREMEN, July 29.—The arrival of the German steamship Alster, which left Bremerhaven on the 3d inst. for Montreal arrived at Dover with her captain insane, and was consequently trying to carry her self and crew safely into port. He was ill from the start and finally went insane, committing suicide, as the men believed.

First Mate Wagner, after describing the captain's illness, said that on June 25 a stiff gale set in and the captain ordered certain sails furled.

"He appeared perfectly rational at the time," said the mate, "but he soon after developed unmistakable signs of insanity. He asked me what the crew were doing on the reserved deck, and when I told him there was no one there he said, 'You're a liar. I just heard them say they were going to throw me overboard.' To pacify him I summoned the crew and each member of the captain that they had made no such threat and that they had no grudge against him.

"The captain then left their places and we retired to our bunks. About 10 o'clock I was awakened by the report of a pistol, and rushing on deck found that our insane commander, armed with a pistol in each hand, boy who belonged to the crew. I ran to the captain's cabin only to be confronted by a pistol, and informed that if I attempted to enter he would shoot me on the spot. I went through my cabin was filled with smoke and flames had started near the lounge, upon which the captain had thrown himself. I summoned the crew and we started to battle with the flames, which had made alarming headway. While the sailors were extinguishing the fire I turned my attention to the captain, who was engaged in destroying the furniture. He had the revolver in his hand, and I cautiously approached him from the rear and threw him to the floor. He fired the pistol during the struggle, and finally broke away and ran on deck.

"That was the last we saw of our unfortunate captain, although we searched thoroughly. The next morning we found bloody finger marks on the rail, and we concluded that he had jumped into the ocean."

LOOKING FOR REVENGE.

Fears That the Friends of Craig Tolliver Will Raid Morehead.

LEXINGTON, Ky., July 29.—Col. Castleman and Adjt. Williams have returned from Morehead, where they were sent by Governor Knott to inquire into the propriety of sending troops there to attend the sessions of the circuit court, which will convene there on Monday. Troops have been asked for by Judge Cole, Sheriff Young and others. The sheriff is in Mount Sterling, and declares that he will not go to Morehead to attend court unless troops are sent to maintain the peace.

The governor's commissioners, after examining the situation, decided to report adversely to sending troops for the reason that the town is a dead town. Every business house is closed and the doors are nailed up, with the exception of one small grocery and a saloon, the latter being under the protection of Craig Tolliver. The Rainey hotel is also open. With these exceptions no business whatever is carried on at Morehead. The town is perfectly dead and night by forty members of the Law and Order society, and the men are armed with Winchester rifles, and are the only persons so be seen moving around.

It is believed that if the patrol is removed the Tolliverites will sweep down on the town and revenge the death of their chief and his kinsman.

A Legal Puzzle.

WASHINGTON, July 29.—Secretary Lamar has a peculiar pension case under consideration. A widow has filed a claim for pension based upon the death of her husband. It is shown by the evidence, which is not disputed, that the woman killed her husband, was for this tried, convicted and sentenced to life imprisonment, but the question arises as to whether, under the circumstances, she shall receive a benefit which, except for her murderous act, would have accrued to her husband. The case is puzzling the law officers of the interior department.

It Alienated His Girl's Affections.

SARANAC, Mich., July 29.—Julian F. Mills was arrested last week on the charge of being drunk and fined. He was engaged to be married, and the lady interested declared the engagement off when she heard her lover had been arrested. Mills declares the arrest is unjust, and has sued the town for $20,000, alleging that the arrest alienated the girl's affections. No like case was ever before known in Michigan.

Chicago's Sensational Trial.

CHICAGO, July 29.—The rush on the part of the public to get in to hear the proceedings in the boodle case was as great as usual, and every seat had its occupant. One of the most notable features of the trial is the apparent interest which the jury give the stories related by the witnesses for the state. The revelations of plundering and thieving are a great deal like a blood and thunder romance and excite the imagination.

Favoring Commercial Union.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., July 29.—At yesterday's session of the canal convention the following resolution was unanimously adopted:

Resolved, that this convention looks with favor upon the adoption of a commercial treaty with the Dominion of Canada, whereby all tariff rates between the two countries may be abolished, thereby largely increasing the trade and commerce of this and other states.

Boston Papers Sued.

BOSTON, July 29.—R. H. Lewis and Mrs. Cavalion, who claim to have been libeled through a statement by a Jacksonville, Fla., paper that they had murdered Lewis' daughter Hattie, while in Florida last winter, have brought suit for damages in $40,000 against the Boston Globe, Journal, Record and Herald, for printing a press dispatch bearing on this subject.

Gen. Boulanger's Wrath.

PARIS, July 29.—The Courier du Soir state that Gen. Boulanger has requested the minister of war to grant him permission to challenge M. Jules Ferry to a duel in consequence of the insulting allusions to Boulanger made by Ferry in his speech at Epinal on Monday.

The Disastrous Floods.

READING, Pa., July 29.—Several iron mines in Long Swamp township were filled with water yesterday owing to the overflow of streams from recent rains. Many miners had a narrow escape from drowning, and 300 men will be idle for months.

Killed by Lightning.

BEXTRAM, Tex., July 29.—Three persons were killed by lightning here last evening. The flash came from a cloudless sky. The persons killed were G. W. Phenny, M. R. Sinclair, and Cain Sanford.

Pardoned by Governor Hill.

AUBURN, N. Y., July 29.—Millward S. Loucks has been pardoned by Governor Hill. He was sent to prison from Jefferson county in 1884, for forgery, for five years.

SEARCHING HIS LUGGAGE.

EXPERIENCE OF AN EX-PRESIDENT OF THE NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Rude Treatment of a Congressman from Massachusetts at the Hands of British Officials—Looking for Dynamite in the Soup.

BELFAST, July 28.—A sensation created here yesterday in consequence of the exhibition of the most unwarranted acts of rudeness to which a member of congress has ever been subjected. Mr. Patrick A. Collins, of Boston, Mass., and his entire party had been arrested by the government on their arrival from Glasgow. There was, however, no truth in the reports as published, and but slight grounds for their invention. The facts are that when Mr. Collins and his party reached Belfast they were detained in the custom house with much formality and their baggage subjected to a rigid examination. Every article was unpacked and minutely examined. Even the smallest handbag carried was opened and spat. When the trunks were emptied the bottoms and sides were sounded for the purpose of ascertaining whether they contained secret chambers for smuggling goods or dynamite. What made all this the more exasperating to the Irish-American party was the fact that it was performed by detectives, and not by the regular customs officials. Mr. Collins was manifestly astounded and irritated at the treatment to which he was subjected.

An interview was had last night with Mr. Collins, who is staying at Magistrate Hughes' residence, near Belfast. Mr. Collins said he was first inclined to treat the matter as a huge joke, but afterward concluded that the government was narrowly watching his movements. During an extended tour of France and Great Britain he had never been similarly treated. He was greatly astonished when detectives accosted him on board the steamer before he was able to land, but he answered the questions addressed to him in a cool and dignified manner. The questions asked him were as follows: "What is your object?" "What is your business?" "Where are you from?" "Where are you going?" Mr. Collins responded that he was traveling chiefly for pleasure, and that he had nothing to conceal. His future movements, he said, were uncertain, but if the officials would call at the Imperial hotel, in Belfast, the next day, he would be able to give them a full account of his plans.

In the meanwhile the group of Americans stood at the bottom of the gangway surrounded by a small crowd. Mr. Collins said the questions annoyed him less than the manner in which they were asked. The whole business was inexplicable to him. He had been in Ireland three days before, but had never been treated in such a way. When, in addition to the questioning, his baggage was seized he was simply amazed, but he offered no opposition. He could not conceal his feeling of disgust he was much amused in watching the officers scrutinizing the contents of his trunks. A bottle of bay rum elicited deep attention, as also a packet of fragrant soap, which was examined with immense anxiety. These articles, Mr. Collins says, probably suggested dynamite to the officers. He believed that since the freedom of Dublin was conferred upon him the government has been on his track. He does not mind that, but he does object to his liberty to travel in a free country without being molested by ignorant policemen.

Murderous Italians.

NEW BRUNSWICK, N. J., July 29.—Italians employed on the Pennsylvania railroad tracks at Plainsboro were gambling in one of the barracks, when Louis Gubriello accused Pietro Mumelli of cheating. The latter immediately drew a knife and stabbed his accuser in the throat. The assault was the signal for a general fight, which was fierce and furious for half an hour. Knives and clubs were indiscriminately used. Fourteen of the murderous Italians boarded a freight train west and got off at Philadelphia. Ten of them are now under arrest in that city. Gubriello is in the Pennsylvania hospital there and cannot live. Louis Morocco is also in the hospital badly injured. Mumi Florios is in the City hospital of this city, cut and battered almost beyond recognition. The last two may possibly recover. There are four others who are badly cut, but have been spirited away by the gang. The prisoners in Philadelphia are being held for requisition papers from Governor Green.

Went Down with the Bridge.

CONNELLSVILLE, Pa., July 29.—Early yesterday morning a long train of mixed freight was passing over the Mt. Savage bridge, a few miles west of Cumberland, on the Baltimore and Ohio railroad, when the structure gave way and the engine and a number of cars were precipitated into the gorge below. Engineer William Driscoll and Fireman William Payne were instantly killed, and a brakeman, name not known, was seriously injured. The bodies of the dead men are still under the wreck. There had been a waterspout along the stream and the piers were badly damaged.

Planed Over an Abutment.

BINGHAMTON, N. Y., July 29.—While John McTighe and James Dalton, of this city, were driving home from Great Bend at 10 o'clock last night, their team plunged over the abutments of a wooden bridge one mile above Kirkwood, and all were dashed to the bed of the river, a distance of twenty-five feet. McTighe was instantly killed and Dalton received injuries that he cannot live. McTighe was a wholesale liquor dealer and a prominent citizen of Binghamton. Dalton is a bookkeeper in the employ of C. A. Whitney & Co.

Finishing the Volunteer.

BOSTON, Fla., July 29.—The Volunteer was pulled out of the water late yesterday afternoon at Lockwood's East Boston dock, and gangs of men went to work polishing her bottom, and painting her coat of paint. She was closely watched by several hundred persons. At the same time a gang of carpenters began the finishing touches on her inside woodwork, and by Saturday night there will be little left to do on the yacht. The big job has been taken in, and it will be smoothed out along the beach.

Pinkerton's Detectives Leaving.

PITTSBURG, July 29.—Twenty special Pinkerton detectives have been removed from guard duty at the West Leisenring coke works. Twenty have returned to New York and Philadelphia, and twelve will remain on duty at Leisenring. They will probably be relieved in a few days. Work has been generally resumed.

A Warning from Salisbury.

LONDON, July 29.—Lord Salisbury again spoke at Norwich yesterday, and in the course of his address warned the Conservatives to prepare for a possible dissolution of parliament. Parliament, he said, often met with an early termination as if time when its life seemed invulnerable to attack.

An Ancient Bridegroom.

ORANGE, N. J., July 29.—Mr. John Duryea Crane, who is hale and hearty at 75 years of age, was married yesterday afternoon at 5 o'clock to Miss Rachel Spicer, aged 60.

CRIMES AND ACCIDENTS

FATALITIES OF A DAY RECORDED BY TELEGRAPH.

Deliberate Murder at the International Bridge—Death from the Biting of a Rose. Four Little Girls Drowned While Bathing—Murderer McCabe Captured.

Young Girl Burglars Caught.

JERSEY CITY, July 29.—In the police court Jennie Smith and Annie Lee, girls of fifteen, aged 7, were arraigned on a charge of burglary. The girls live in adjoining houses on Van Vorst street. On Wednesday night Susan Sullivan, an old Irish woman, told the police that the girls had forced a basement door in his house and had carried away some silverware. Sullivan's family were in the country, and he was on his way home when he saw the girls leaving his house with their plunder. He caught them, but they broke away from him and made their escape. The stolen property was found under a bed in her parents' house. Both admitted their guilt, and are held for trial.

Four Persons Killed.

READING, Pa., July 29.—The 3 o'clock down express, which makes a trip between Reading and Philadelphia in one hour and forty minutes, ran into a covered spring wagon containing a pleasure party, yesterday, killing Miss Amanda Fritz, Mrs. Hettie Fritz and her two children. His two children, 7 months, and Mervine, aged 18 months. A 12-year-old boy named John Wanzermacher, who was driving the wagon, was seriously injured, and it is thought he cannot survive. A coroner's jury returned a verdict that the accident was caused by the neglect of the engineer to whistle before reaching the crossing.

A Deliberate Murder.

INTERNATIONAL BRIDGE, Ont., July 29.—George Stevens was shot and killed instantly by Peter Nettle, on the Canadian frontier, which is the main business thoroughfare, Wednesday night. Nettle and Stevens quarreled at a drinking place in Victoria on Sunday last, and each threatened to get even with the other. Stevens was passing, and Nettle was carrying a shotgun. Stevens was fishing with some friends when Nettle came by, and when Nettle got within forty feet of Stevens he raised his gun and shot Stevens through the heart. Nettle has been arrested.

A Quarrel and a Suicide.

BUFFALO, July 29.—Albert Stiltz, a Pole, aged 75, quarreled with his wife through jealousy Wednesday and left the house in a passion, threatening to kill himself. Nothing further was seen of him till o'clock yesterday morning, when he threw himself in front of an approaching locomotive on the West Shore track at Main street west. The engineer saw him, killing him instantly and severing his head from his body.

Suspected of Wife Murder.

LONDON, July 29.—Dr. Cross, a wealthy retired army surgeon, and a well known member of society in Ireland, has been arrested on the charge of murdering his wife, rendered his wife by gradual poisoning. The wife's remains were exhumed five weeks after she was interred, and upon analysis traces of poison were found. Dr. Cross married his family governess a fortnight after his wife's death.

Horribly Mangled.

BUFFALO, July 29.—George Carr, engineer at the Evans elevator, was caught in friction wheel while tightening a nut in the machinery yesterday afternoon and instantly killed. The right arm was torn from the socket, the left arm broken and the body frightfully bruised. He was 37 years old, and leaves a family.

Charged with Forgery.

SYRACUSE, N. Y., July 29.—William Theobald, of Waterloo, who has always ranked as a wealthy man, was arrested on the charge of alleged forgery in the amount of $800 on notes in the name of Dr. J. H. Sternberg, of that village. Three hours before his arrest he was in court as juror on another case.

Killed by a Bee.

HASTFORD, July 29.—Sarah McFarland, aged 19, daughter of Superintendent of the Rockville woolen mills, of Rockville, was stung on the lip by a bumblebee Sunday. The poison entered the girl's system and her body swelled to an enormous size. Wednesday night she died in awful agony.

The Escaped Murderer, McCabe.

HARRISBURG, July 29.—A telegram from the city marshal of Windsor, O., states that he has captured a man supposed to be McCabe, the escaped Wayne county murderer, who was under sentence of death. A photograph of McCabe has been forwarded.

Swept Over the Dam.

CORDES, N. Y., July 29.—Five girls employed in the Diamond mill were swept over the dam while out in a boat yesterday. They were Maggie McDonough, Jennie Finn, Maggie McKelvie, Georgiana Dufresnie and Nellie Higgins. All were rescued.

A Hydrophobia Victim.

CHICAGO, July 29.—Robert W. Boyd, aged 36 years, living with his family at 278 South Western avenue, was bitten by a rabid dog two weeks ago, was taken with hydrophobia and has been removed to the insane ward of the county jail.

Killed by His Brother.

NEWARK, July 29.—Patrick Mullin, aged 19 years, of 19 Cabinet street, is dying in the city hospital from a stab wound in the right side, inflicted by his brother James during a fight over a can of beer, is the lower part of the city, last night.

Two Youthful Criminals.

NEW YORK, July 29.—Ethel Giles, school-girl, aged 14, was tried on Saturday, resulting from an attempted outrage by two colored boys, Harry Harris, aged 14, and Willie Mayburg, aged 10, who are under arrest.

Children Killed by Lightning.

COLUMBIA, S. C., July 29.—Charlie, the 16-year-old son of C. T. Harrell, of Darlington county, was playing in his father's yard yesterday with a colored boy, when they were struck by lightning, and both instantly killed.

Four Little Girls Drowned.

LOWELL, Mass., July 29.—Katie Callahan, Delia Welch, Mattie Keating, and Maggie Toomey, aged from 12 to 14 years, were drowned yesterday while bathing in the Concord river. The bodies were recovered.

Poison in the Tea.

AUSTIN, Tex., July 29.—A workman on the new capitol was poisoned by tea sent him from home with his lunch, and died in two hours, after great suffering. An investigation is in progress.

Ten Yachtsmen Drowned.

LONDON, July 29.—Two pleasure yachts, both well laden with people, were capsized in a squall off Yarmouth yesterday. Ten persons were drowned.

TRADE BULLETIN.

New York Money and Produce Markets Quotations.

NEW YORK, July 29.—Money closed at 6 per cent. The bank of England rate of discount is 3. Sterling exchange quiet; posted rates, 4.85@4.85½; actual rates, 4.84@4.84½; commercial bills, 4.83½@4.83¾. Government bonds dull; 4s, reg., 122½; 4s, coup., 123¼; 5s, reg., 102½; 5s, coup., 103½; 6s, currency, 104. Silver bullion, 97½. Cotton quiet; middling uplands, 10 3-16; middling Orleans, 10 3-16. Flour fairly active and unchanged. Wheat—Options were moderately active and irregular, closing at unchanged prices; spot lots closed weak and 1@2c lower. Spot sales of No. 2 red state, 81c.; No. 3 red winter, 81c.; No. 2 red winter, 81½c.; No. 1 white, 79¼c.; No. 2 red winter, Aug., 79½c. bid; do., Sept., 80½c. bid; do., Oct., 80½c. bid.

CORN—Options were moderately active and irregular, closing at unchanged prices; spot lots closed dull at about yesterday's prices; sales of No. 2, 47½c.; No. 2 white, 48½c.; mixed, 46@46½c.; No. 2 mixed, Aug., 46½@47c.; do., Sept., 46½@46¾c.; do., Oct., 47¼@47½c.

OATS—Options were dull and irregular and closed 1@¼c. higher for July and slightly lower for the rest of the month; spot lots were dull and regular; white was pressed for sale and declined 1@1½c.; mixed closed steady. Spot sales: No. 2 white state, 30½@30¾c.; No. 2 do., 27½@28c.; No. 2 mixed, Aug., 27½c.; do., Sept., 27½c.; do., Oct., 27½c.

RYE—Dull and nominal; western, 59@64c.; state, 56@59c.

BARLEY—Nominal.

PORK—Dull; old mess, $15.25@15.75; new do., $16.25@16.75.

LARD—Closed dull and heavy; cash $6.92; Aug., $6.89; Sept., $6.98.

BUTTER—Firm; state, 16@18c.; western, 12@18c.

CHEESE—Quiet; state factory, 9¼@10¼c.; western factory, 7@9½c.

EGGS—Steady; receipts in fair demand; state, 16½@16c.; western, 14@16½c.

SUGAR—Raw firm; fair refining, 4 5-16@4½c. Refined easier and in light demand; cut loaf, 6 15-16@7c.; crushed, 6 13-16@6¾c.; cubes, 6 15-16c.; powdered, 6¾c.; granulated, 6.56c.; confectioners' A, 6.56c.; coffee A, unchanged; 5 7-16@5½c.; coffee off A, 5¼@5 5-16c.; white extra C, 5c.; extra C, 4 7-16@4 15-16c.; C, 4 9-16@4¾c.; yellow, 4¼@4¾c.

On Sunday last a body, supposed to be that of Hugh McCowlay, killed in the railway accident at St. Thomas, Ont., was received at Hastings, Ia., by his father and only brother. The old gentleman was prostrated with grief, but Wednesday he was dumbfounded when his son suddenly entered the house. He had just arrived from Canada. The body was sent from the wreck upon the old gentleman's order. He saw the name of his son in the newspapers as one of the victims. His son, however, was not in the accident.

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SOME OF THE WONDERFUL BELLS OF THE WORLD.

Directions to Bathers Which Every Boy and Girl Who Goes Into the Water Should Heed—Pits and Mistks in Animals' Clothing.

Most animals and fowls are born with their clothing on—ready made suits. The opossum and kangaroo, moreover, are supplied with pockets. Other animals are provided with practical conveniences fitted to their own special work in life.

The beaver has a trowel, and the tailor bird with his needle bill can sew leaves together for a nest. Think of the spider, which is furnished with a rope ladder. See him spin it out as he dangles by the rope; and then watch him wind it as he climbs up by it. Mr. Spider, I suppose, is glad he is not like other insects in having to walk. But then there is Mr. Snail, who, though compelled to travel, has a house of his own, and carries it along with him. Snakes get new coats every spring, and horses and fowls shed their old ones, too—it is all so ordered and arranged.

While, generally speaking, the ready made suits of animals are especially adapted to the wearers, there appear to be some misfits. With all due respect to Dame Nature, is not the coat of the snapping turtle a trifle too small for him? The Little Schoolma'am in St. Nicholas says it is either needs to be "let out" in the back or to be "pieced" at the neck. He not only cannot sink his head into his coat collar as other turtles do, but, struggle as he may, he must always leave some part of his graceful figure exposed to wind and weather. For this reason he is called the alligator terrapin.

A RHINOCEROS AND HIS BIG COAT.

Now who can tell of any animal that has a coat which seems to be too big for him? Take a good look at the rhinoceros and observe the loose folds of his coat. It is not what would be called a snug fit, but then the Little Schoolma'am suggests that it may make up in durability for its lack in style.

Suggestions to Bathers.

With the bathing season come every year the reports of swimmers drowned, and very often they are experts or at least good swimmers. One reason why good swimmers are so often drowned when accidentally thrown into the water, says a natatorium professor, is because they should cause them to lose their presence of mind. The loss of presence of mind leads to paralysis of the body, or to such wild exertions as accelerate drowning. The ability to behave wisely in case of sudden accidents can only be acquired by experience. Hence in some of the European swimming schools pupils are taken out boat riding and suddenly upset. They are also pushed overboard and subjected to all manner of prepared accidents. In this manner they learn how to behave in such accidents. They are also taught also to have faith in the sustaining power of the water itself, which will sustain them if they render it the least help. A finger laid upon one of the outstretched any floating substance will sustain the body in calm water. Should you find yourself upset in the water, do not attempt to climb upon the overturned boat, but quietly take hold of it. It will support you. A boat half filled with water or completely overturned will support as many people as can get their hands upon the gunwale, if they only remain quiet.

Essay on the Cricket.

The cricket don't need so much natural history as the elephant. He sings on the hearth, but it is more like squeaking, and he can jump when you try to catch him. The cricket and the tea kettle sings together, and their folk in stories are happy; but give me a fiddle. There is a game called cricket, but it isn't like the real cricket one bit, because it aint spry and hurts your legs if you don't tie them up like sore fingers.

When a cricket is sitting still and minding his own business he looks like a boy in a dancing himself between two step ladders. Crickets are kangaroos in a former state of existence.—By Little Johnny.

Celebrated Bells.

Bells in olden days were held in high esteem. In some places they were invented no one appears to know, but they were used in China and India long before they were known in Europe. Bells were first employed in churches on the continent about the Ninth century; in England a little later. Still more recently William the Conqueror established the curfew, which obliged his subjects to extinguish fires and lights as the evening bells rang 8.

THE GREAT BELL OF MOSCOW.

The wonder bell of the world, because the largest ever made, is the great bell of Moscow, which in the year 1736 fell from its supports and broke a piece out from its side. Numbered with other large bells is "Big Ben," the great bell of England at Westminster. Another bell celebrated for its enormous proportions is the one at Erfurt, in Germany.

THE CURIOSITY SHOP.

Antiquity of Glassblowing—The Art Known to the Ancients.

Pliny, the Roman philosopher, says that Mucianus, a Phœnician, relates that when he drives ashore at the mouth of the river Belus, in Syria, cooked their dinner on the beach, resting their pots on some pieces of nitre which they found to be soday with which their vessel was laden. This and the sand melted and ran together, making glass, which they found in the sand.

It would require more heat than that of an open fire to make glass; still there is no doubt that the Phœnicians knew how to make glass, which they cut and stained. The Egyptians manufactured it at least 3,000 years before Christ. In some of the tombs near ancient Thebes are pictures of men blowing glass in the same way as is is blown today. The Greeks made very beautiful glass, but the Romans did not practice it until about the first century after Christ. Many of the houses in Pompeii and Herculaneum had glass windows. The art was very nearly lost in the dark ages.

Raising a Wreck.

There are different processes of raising sunken vessels, but the one which was employed in raising the steamer Wells City, sent to the bottom of the Hudson river opposite New York on February last, seems well adapted to the purpose. The depth, the force of the tides and other causes operating against the feasibility of building a coffer dam, the wreckers decided to use the sunken steamer with pontoon boats. Then divers were employed to get a small chain underneath her keel. To this is attached a larger chain, attached to a buoy. After still, one supposed to be sufficiently heavy is got under the keel from stem to stern. The ends of this chain are attached to the pontoons by means of well holes. The pontoons are than pumped full of water, sinking, and the chains are tightened. When all is ready to commence the raising the water is pumped out of the pontoons, which rise and are supposed to raise the vessel.

At the first trial in the case of the Wells City, the keel cut the chain. A second attempt was successful.

An Adjustable Lens.

A celebrated optician said that if he had a journeyman in his shop who could not construct a more delicate instrument than the human eye he would discharge him. The eye would certainly not compare with the telescope or microscope for power, but it is admirably adapted to its purposes. It is capable of what neither the other two are capable of —that is, almost instantaneous adjustment of focus, and that without the observer being conscious of it. This is done by means of the crystalline lens. It is a jelly like substance, placed behind the iris, its upper and lower edge resting between muscles, so that the lens may be compressed to take a more convex, or a flatter shape. In viewing distant objects it must be flat; near objects, more convex.

Great Railroad Lines.

The greatest length of line of any railroad company in the world is owned by the Union Pacific railroad company. It is 5,627 miles long. The main line from Council Bluffs, Ia., to Ogden, Utah, with branches, is 1,031 miles in length. The largest main line in the world is the Canadian Pacific, from Quebec to Fort Moody, a distance of 3,025 miles. Its branches give it a total length of 3,904 miles. The Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul railroad has a line owned and leased, of 4,804 miles; the Wabash, St. Louis and Pacific, 2,540 miles; the Chicago and North western, 3,763 miles; the Northern Pacific has a main line of 1,674 miles from Superior, Wis., to Wallula Junction, W. T.

Dimensions of the Earth.

The following are some of the earth's measurements:

	Statute miles.
Diameter at the poles	7,898.8800
Diameter, mean	7,911.4800
Diameter at the equator	7,924.0800
Difference of diameter at poles and equator	26.0800
Circumference round the poles	24,855.6432
Circumference, mean	24,855.9328
Circumference round the equator	24,896.8224

"Limited."

This word used after the name of a joint stock company means that the liability of the shareholders is limited expressly to the amount of their respective stocks. Where there is no such limitation by statute any single shareholder incurs a responsibility equal to the whole debt of the concern. To make any law giving valid companies must make public registry of the fact.

Sent to Coventry.

The people of Coventry in England, in olden time, had a great dislike for the military. This grew to such an extent that a woman who was known to have spoken to a soldier was considered to have lost her character. The soldiers in the old days were denied all social privileges outside the barracks. So, to send a man to Coventry was to shut him off from association.

The Water Glass.

A water glass is constructed of four boards about fifteen inches long nailed together in the form of a frustrum of a hollow pyramid. The small end is closed with a piece of ordinary window glass. The glass a few inches below the surface of water enables the observer to see objects for a considerable distance under water. It is much used by pearl divers.

Heir Apparent and Heir Presumptive.

The heir apparent is the oldest son of the sovereign, whom nothing except his own death can deprive of the kingdom. If the sovereign has no child, then the relative nearest the throne in the line of succession, as called because the birth of a child to the king would lose him the right of succession.

A Long Bridge.

The longest bridge in the world is in China. The roadway is seventy feet wide, and the bridge is seventy feet high. There are 300 arches seventy-five feet apart, each one of which bears a pedestal on which is the figure of a lion twenty-one feet long and made of one solid block of marble.

The Age of Louis XVI.

Many persons who have seen pictures of King Louis XVI of France in the powdered wig of that period are accustomed to look upon him as either a man past middle age or an old man. When he was executed he was 38 years old.

Pinchbeck.

The composition known as "pinchbeck" is employed in the manufacture of cheap jewelry, to which it gives its name. It was called so after Christopher Pinchbeck, a London vender of jewelry.

German Territory.

The provinces of Alsace and Lorraine originally belonged to Germany. She lost them as the result of the Thirty Years' war in 1684, and regained them at the end of the Franco-Prussian war in 1870.

PHYSIOLOGY AND HYGIENE.

The Healthful Way to Eat—Food which Should Be Avoided.

Perfect digestion depends upon a healthy condition of the stomach, and it cannot be disputed that regular exercise in the open air is necessary. As a people, says a certain dietetic author, we are constantly up to some fad or humbug. Fruit is thrown away in the open air in the afternoon under the very hottest sun, during a great part of the year; but they could and should spend much time out of doors than they do. In summer there is no reason why they should not habitually eat their breakfast in the open air, then work and reading. It would be much healthier than sitting in darkened rooms. In this way the greater part of the day could be spent in the open air.

About the Skin.

Simple as the skin appears to be, it is very complicated, and plays an important part in the working of the physical system. Its glands secrete the oil that keeps the surface soft and supple. Another set of its glands pour out the sweat. Perspiration, which enables the body to maintain its proper heat amid the many sudden changes of the atmospheric temperature.

It is one of the eliminating organs for expelling from the system waste and poisonous matter. Its network of nerves is the source of sensation that recognizes the presence and qualities of external objects, that is, of the sense of touch.

It consists of three parts. The inmost is the nerve layer. The middle, a tough, elastic and fibrous membrane, is the true skin, and is the seat of the nerves of touch. The outmost, a transparent and horny film, is itself wholly without sensation, and protects the sensitive skin below.

The human nail and the horse's hoof are merely modifications of this, which is called the epidermis. So complicated an organ is exposed to many ailments.

Tooth Building.

According to a Brooklyn dentist, oatmeal is one of the best foods for supplying the teeth with nourishment. It makes the dentine, cementum and enamel strong, fills like and adds to the resistance of decay. Those who have children never allow any white bread upon your table. Graham bread is made of whole wheat ground, not bolted, so that the bran, which contains the mineral constituents of lime, is present. To make a good, wholesome, nourishing bread, take two bowls of wheatmeal and one bowl of white or bolted flour, and make by the usual process. Nothing is superior to Boston brown bread for bone and tooth building. This is made of rye meal and cornmeal. Baked hard, not, to have a comfortable supply of these lime salts and should be on your tables, hot or cold, at least three times a week. In brushing the teeth, always brush up and down, from the gum instead of across. Brush away from the gum and on the grinding surfaces of your teeth.

When Massage is Valuable?

Massage treatment has excited much attention of late, and, owing to ignorance of its real value, it is by many regarded as a cure for every kind of disease. Dr. William Murrell states, however, that, as a matter of fact, its sphere of action is very limited. If carried out under the direction of a scientific physician, who has had experience in this mode of treatment, it yields excellent results; but if advised or put into the hands of an ignorant empiric, it soon degenerates into the most arrant quackery.

A Simple Remedy for Rheumatism.

One who has seen the following simple remedy tried in a case of acute rheumatism, with painful swelling in the feet, says that it quickly lessened the agonizing pain. Into one quart of quite hot milk stir an ounce of alum; this makes curds and whey. Bathe the affected parts with the whey until cold. In the meantime keep the curds hot, and, after bathing, put them on as a poultice and wrap in flannel.

Cure for a Stye.

A French physician recommends the following treatment for that most unpleasant little affection, a stye. Dissolve one part of boracic acid in thirty parts of distilled water, and drop on some of this solution with a wetted piece of wadding, several times a day. It is said not only to relieve, but to cure, but to prevent a return of the trouble.

Agreeable Cosmetics.

A harmless lotion for freckles consists of orange flower water, one pint; glycerine, one ounce; borax, one dram.

For skins to which glycerine is not agreeable the following is frequently used: Borax, three grains; rose water, five drams; orange flower water, five drams.

SOCIAL ETIQUETTE.

Manners and Customs Practiced in Polite Society.

Notes as a general rule require an immediate reply, and a considerate person will send an early answer to a letter from a stranger or a casual acquaintance. There was a time when, if a stranger wrote a letter that required an answer, he inclosed the postage to prepay its delivery, but a recognized authority on the customs of the best society affirms that in these days of inexpensive mail services such an inclosure would be an offense, except between business men. We refer to the fine old custom of sealing letters of friendship and courtesy and economious notes of all sorts, with wax, affords an opportunity for the exercise of taste and the expression of sentiment. The seal used may be an initial, a crest, a monogram, a motto, a favorite ring or the like. When a writer is in mourning a commendable style is the sealing of letters with black wax instead of using black bordered stationery.

A New Custom for Bridesmaids.

The newest fashion is for bridesmaids to carry delicate fancy baskets filled with flowers and tied with bright ribbons instead of the bouquet, so long customary. The bride, however, still carries the favored nosegay, unless it be in a few exceptional cases where an ivory bound prayer book takes its place.

A Good Rule for the Many.

Eccentricities are generally indications of weakness, vanity or a badly balanced brain. It is usually wise to do as other people do, dress as other people dress, and in all things conform to established usages. In etiquette it is well to follow what is recognized as the fashion, yet we should remember in all things to follow the fashion with discretion.

Points Here and There.

It is considered unlucky and inappropriate to wear mourning at a wedding.

One invitation to dinner is better than many cards as a social compliment.

Ices may be served at lawn parties in small paper cups.

Invitations to a dinner are always in the name of both host and hostess, but invitations to a ball, "at home," a tea or garden party are in the name of the hostess alone.

ALL AROUND THE HOUSE.

Novel and Charming Readings for Busy Housekeepers.

Pretty muslin curtains are sometimes fastened to the window frame by means of decorative metal rods. Brass rods with fancy stripes of gay colors are also used for the same purpose. The ground work of these rods is usually white, the fancy stripes being painted in bright colors, such as red, blue, yellow or by bars of blue and white, these bandings are sometimes finished with a design of the same.

Dining room chairs are sometimes so pretty that will seldom be covered. They are composed of raw silk, handsomely embroidered in various colors and tints. Some of the most popular designs are rich colors combined. Among the grounds that give the reigning color effect are golden olive, tan, deep dull blue, safe sea lair and wine color. These curtains have a long twisted fringe at one side and at the top, and are exactly alike on both sides, needing no lining and being neither very heavy nor very light.

Grape Fruit Properly Prepared.

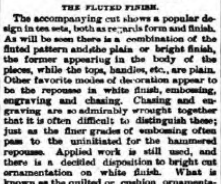
In the last few summers the delicious and healthful fruit known as grape fruit has begun to be very generally used. The reason is the fact that one must know just how to eat it, in order to find it agreeable, it is sometimes chilled on a fine dish. Prepared according to the following directions given by Catherine Owens, it will prove of refreshing acid flavor, with a slight tinge of bitter, very pleasing to most tastes. Peel one large grape as orange, divide it into figs or sections, then from each section remove the pulp, taking care that not a bit of the white skin or pip comes with it. Put the pulp in a bowl. The pulp is firm like a lemon, but it does require care, for a very little of the skin would give its intense bitter to the salad; leave the pulp in pieces, lightly sprinkle on it a wine wright or salad bowl; when the pulp is entirely clear of the pips, skin or pith, sift powdered sugar thickly over it and set the dish on ice. It is best eaten at the beginning of breakfast. The next morning the dish will be half full of juice and the fruit will have taken on a pretty pink tinge.

Ornamental Chair Backs.

Chair backs, to be slipped over the backs of plain dining chairs, are decorative as well as a protection to delicate dresses during the summer. Ornamental ones are made of Swiss, dotted or plain, and have the owners' initials embroidered in outline stitch. More serviceable ones consist of two pieces of bright cretonne laid together and bound with ribbon and ornamented with bows at the two upper corners.

Silver Table Ware.

In silver table ware have appeared no radical changes; low forms for the most part prevail and many English patterns are copied. Oxidizing, while employed to some extent, has given way largely to the bright or white finish. The disposition is to a combination of styles in one article, as a bright and satin finish, fluted and bright finish or a repousse finish with bright bands.



THE FLUTED FINISH.

The accompanying cut shows a popular design in tea sets, both as regards form and finish. As will be seen there is a combination of the fluted pattern and the plain or bright finish, the former appearing in the body of the pieces, while the tops, handles, etc., are plain. Other favorite modes of decoration appear to be the repousse in white finish, embossing, engraving and chasing. Chasing and engraving are so admirably wrought together that it is often difficult to distinguish these; just as the finer grades of embossing often pass to the uninitiated for the hammered repousse. Applied work is still used, and there is a decided disposition to bright cut ornamentation on white finish. What is known as the quilted or cushion ornamentation is seen in some of the new plated ware, and is decidedly pleasing in effect. This pattern, as the name suggests, shows little raised diamonds, such as are seen in old time quilted work. Other styles of the quilted pattern, with bright trimmings, are decidedly attractive.

Preserving Cut Flowers Fresh.

Cut flowers may be preserved fresh, it is said, for a long time in the following manner: Get a glass shade and place it on a nonporous vessel to form a stand; put water round the bottom to keep the shade air tight, then procure fresh cut blossoms, put them in water immediately, drop into the water in which the flowers are placed a small quantity of spirit of chloroform, and place the shade over them at once. The flowers thus treated, almost revive as they will keep fresh for months; but one should hardly expect they would be in a very fresh condition after their four weeks' confinement, but the new preserving process is worth trying. One must be taken to have all in readiness. As soon as the chloroform is put in, place the shade over them, and water always kept round the bottom. A large soup plate would do for this.

Water for Making Tea and Coffee.

An important point, and one which Good Housekeeping says is often overlooked even by intelligent housekeepers, is that water should be freshly boiled in a clean kettle. Water, in boiling, loses the air or gases which give it a fresh taste and sparkling appearance. It should be used as soon as boiled, or it becomes flat and tasteless. A brown substance is deposited on the inside of the kettle, and this, if allowed to accumulate, imparts an unpleasant taste to the water; yet there are many housekeepers, exquisitely neat in many ways, who seldom wash the inside of a teakettle. It is an excellent plan to keep a small kettle to be used only in boiling water for tea or coffee. Wash and wipe it carefully every time it is used.

To Rid a Room of Flies.

If pyrethrum or Persian insect powder is sifted or blown with a little bellows over the walls, ceiling, about the windows, etc., in a closed room at night, the flies will be found dead and may be swept up the next morning. But it will be necessary to repeat the operation nearly every day. Chemists recommend the following as a safe and efficient mixture which flies will drink with avidity and by which they are soon destroyed: Small quassia chips, one-quarter ounce; water, one pint; boil ten minutes, strain and sweeten well with molasses or brown sugar. Door and window screens of wire or mosquito netting furnish the most efficient and agreeable protection against flies.

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And forty thousand cowboys couldn't keep her in a pen;
She was sent on earth to fret us, to excoriate the fetcret
She's a theory going nuisance, is the depredating hen.

I threw a brick and missed her, as she bustled out with language,
But Julius Cæsar's statue was smashed to smithereens;
I saw her digging rifle pits where I'd put my pennies in,
I fired a good sized rock and hit my hired man on the shin.

She busts all bounds and shackles, she giggles and she cackles,
She makes me say some earnest things I haven't time to pen.
I never used bad language, but now I'm filled with language,
Alas! I've broke the record, thro' that depredating hen.

But now thro' out my cabinet there floats a pleasant smell,
And the reason for that perfume isn't hard to tell:
For when I rose this morning, saw my cabbage bed a wreck,
I caught that depredating hen and fiercely wrung her neck:

I hear her fizz and crackle, no more she'll scratch and cackle,
Or make my summer garden look like some hyena's den,
She far too long has housed me, she far too much has cost me,
I'll eat at luncheon time today a hundred dollar hen.
—The Khan.

A Labor Saver.

"Why, Tom, what on earth are you doing with that dog?"

"Oh, this an idea I have been working with success for some time. You see, I just throw myself in the water and the dog does the swimming. It saves a great deal of labor."—Judge.

The Power of Sympathy.

First Councilman—You don't look well.

Second Councilman—My wife's pet dog was sick, and we was up all night with it. The dog died this morning.

"What was the matter?"

"The doctor said it was blood poisoned by bad air."

"Well, well! Are you goin' to get another dog?"

"Yes, I just sent for one."

"Let me know when it comes. I'll see that the street and alleys are kept clean in your neighborhood. Even if I have to vote money for another policeman."—Omaha World.

One Way of Expressing It.

Says Harper's Bazar: "Our language is singularly deficient; we have no word to represent fiance or fiancee; 'my daughter's beau' is too general; 'my daughter's young man' is very committed; 'my daughter's lover' is scarcely a proper phrase; so we have to beat about the bush unless we adopt the French word." A Norristown youth doesn't experience the difficulty complained of by The Bazar. He calls him "that measly dude who's sweet on my sister," and lets it go at that.—Norristown Herald.

Pretty Near.

"Been any cases of sunstroke in town this week?" he asked of the boy who was shining his boots.

"Not quite, sir."

"Was some one almost overcome?"

"Yes, sir. See here. This is where me mother hit me over the head with a board, and for three minutes I didn't know east from west. I guess that's the closest shave anybody has had this week."—Detroit Free Press.

His Business Qualifications.

Father—Well, what can you say for the young man?

Daughter—He's young and handsome and has good business ability.

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Daughter—Why, he has figured out for me time and time again how nicely we could get along if you would make us a present of $50,000.—Judge.

Courtesy to a Stranger.

Park Policeman (to a tired looking individual, asleep on one of the seats at the Battery)—Here, wake up. No sleeping allowed here.

Tired Looking Individual (bewildered and rubbing his eyes)—Since when was sleeping not allowed in Fairmount park?

Policeman—Ah! excuse me. I see you are from Philadelphia. Sleep away!—New York Sun.

Bound by Courtesy.

"Ah! I beg pardon, but your name is Grey?" he said as he met a man coming out of the postoffice.

"No, sir-ee, sir—my name is not Gray."

"Oh—ah—it isn't, eh? Then I beg your pardon for begging your pardon."—Detroit Free Press.

A Camera in Danger.

"I suppose the usual crop of summer nuisances is showing up about here, Farmer Jones. Have you struck the amateur photographer yet?"

"Not yet; but I expect to. I've got a club ready for him."—Drake's Magazine.

This Will Make Butchers Growl.

"I see," said Smith, looking over the market reports, "that imported bologna sausage remains firm."

"Humph!" ejaculated Jones. "Of course it is firm. Did you ever know a bull dog to let go?"—Newman Independent.

Willing to Take Anything Else.

"Hanging is too good for you," said a judge to a condemned man. "I know it is," replied the prisoner frankly; "and if you can stipulate anything else, judge, you can't do it too quick."—Drake's Magazine.

The Picnic.

A Texas poet sums up a picnic as follows:
Pies and sighs and flies,
Many an ankle wheeled,
Trees and breeze and noses,
And many a chestnut cracked.
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Arrival and Departure of Mails.

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JOTTINGS.

—Treasurer McClure of the Fire Department states that the fire taxes are coming in rapidly.

—In DeVoe's weather predictions for 25 days of July he twice guessed rightly and missed it 23 times.

Daniel Gallbraith's nine defeated Willie Sheehan's nine by a score of twenty to six in a game of base ball yesterday afternoon.

—The oil cloth factory will shut down tonight for two weeks in order to make some necessary repairs to the machinery and buildings.

Engineer Binning tested the new thirteen hundred light dynamo in the electric light plant this morning. Its working gave entire satisfaction.

—The Active base ball club of North Plainfield left on the 2.25 this afternoon for Elizabeth where they will contest in a game of ball with the Madison's.

—A party of young people started this afternoon for Boynton Beach by stages and will remain during the day, returning about nine o'clock in the evening.

—Services in the Park Church tomorrow. Preaching by the pastor, Rev. Asa R. Bills, at 10.45 a. m. and 7.45 p. m. Morning theme: "The Danger of Neglecting Duty."

—"Fannie Gilbert," a trotting mare of some note, will trot against time on the track of the Gentlemen's Driving Association on the outskirt of this city. The mare has a record of 2.26.

—On Thursday evening last the members of St. Joseph's Benevolent Association met and completed the organization of the society, and to furthered arrangements for a picnic to be held early in August.

—Complaint has been made to Marshal Becker that some person or persons are stealing the lumber from the barns which were wrecked by the fierce wind storm Thursday. The Marshal will investigate the matter.

—The North Plainfield authorities are in receipt of complaints daily of boys who bathe along the public highway in a nude state. If the offenders do not heed the warning they will probably be called upon to pay a fine.

—A former from Mount Bethel this morning stated that the peaches were ripening rapidly, and that the crop would be unusually large this season in that vicinity. He said he expected to pick about three thousand baskets.

—A reading was given last evening on the front porches of Hotel Netherwood by John Young. Quite a number assured to enjoy the talented reader very much, as he made them forget the intensely hot weather by his excellent renderings.

—A middle aged man named Miller, a carpenter employed on the new works of the Pond Machine and Tool Company, was prostrated by the heat yesterday morning. He was taken to his home near Dog Tavern, and is somewhat improved to-day, but still unable to work.

—The excursion given under the auspices of the Warren Mission Chapel to Asbury Park and Ocean Grove yesterday was a success. The excursionists report having had a splendid day at the shore, and they say the sail was enjoyed hugely. The day at the seashore was clear and the bathing was delightful. They arrived home safely about quarter-past eight o'clock last evening.

—Constable Bauernachs early this morning arrested James Sullivan on Short Second street, charged with assault and battery on Robert Gottlieb, complainant. The warrant was issued by Justice Austin and endorsed by Justice Nash. Justice Austin committed the accused to the North Plainfield lockup until eleven o'clock, when a hearing took place, and he furnished $50 bonds to keep the peace.

—A man named Squires, who with his wife and infant child reside in the last house in Stiger's Lane, is sick and destitute, and very much in need of assistance. The man is wasted away to a skeleton, and too feeble to work. He is said to have kidney and lung troubles and is a most pitiable looking object. At the time of the assault of the Portuguese, Squires formerly on the Stewart family next door. Squires received such a shock to his system, which was already in feeble condition, that it was thought he would die for several days afterward, and he has not since recovered from the effects of it, but is still said to be in a dying condition. His wife is helpless with a baby. The neighbors are aiding the family some, but the neighbors are also very poor.

About Exemption From Fire Tax.

Assessor Isaac Brokaw of North Plainfield has obtained from his counsel, Chas. A. Reed of Somerville, an opinion relating to taxation of exempt firemen, which we publish by his request and because the question is of interest to all our people:

MR. REED'S OPINION.

Having been asked an opinion as to what exemption from taxation soldiers and sailors of the late war are entitled under the present laws upon the subject, I take pleasure in submitting the following:—

Section 22 of the act entitled "An act for the organization of the national guard of the State of New Jersey" provides that all general and staff officers, musicians and privates of the national guard shall be exempt from jury duty and poll and military tax during the time they shall perform military duty; and every person who shall have served seven years and been honorably discharged, shall forever after be exempt from jury duty. Rev. p. 691, Sec. 71.

By section 9 of a supplement approved April 4th, 1873, it was enacted that in addition to the exemption from general and special poll tax, the members of the national guard above named, should be exempted from state, county and municipal taxation upon $500 worth of property (the same as those actually serving in the national guard. Rev., p. 696, Sec. 114.

By an act of the Legislature, entitled "An act exempting from taxation, persons who served in the naval or military forces of the United States during the late war," approved Feb. 21, 1884, it was enacted "That any person who served in the military or naval forces of the United States during the late war, and who received an honorable discharge, shall be entitled to the same exemption from taxation as now granted by law to members of the National Guard of this State, (Pl't Laws, p. 28).

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By an act of the State, Christie Prosecutor vs. McNeal, Collector of Bayonne, reported in 39 Vroom, page 407, a decision was struck down which was decided, the controversy in the case being as to what exemption from taxation firemen of Bayonne were entitled under the act of April 25, 1884, (Pl't Laws p. 295).

In delivering the opinion of the Supreme Court in that case Judge Depue said: Paragraph 4, Section 7 of the article IV, of the Constitution as amended in 1875 provides that "no act shall be passed which shall provide that any existing law or any part thereof shall be made or considered a part of the act, or which shall enact that any existing law or any part thereof shall be applicable, excepting by inserting it in such act.

The question here is, whether the act of 1884 is in conformity with the constitutional provision above cited.

It is undoubtedly the law of this state that the intention of the legislature which is complete and perfect in itself—the meaning and full scope of which is apparent upon its face—is void though it may provide for certain or means of carrying its provisions into effect by reference to a course of procedure established by other laws. (Cooley on Taxation (Campbell vs. Board of Pharmacy 16 Vroom, 341, 345, 8. C., 18 Id., 347.)

But the act now in question does not come within range of the principal on which the case cited was founded. It is an imperfect and incomplete act of legislation. The privileges intended to be conferred are not in any manner specified in the body of the act. The act itself confers no exemption from taxation. It simply provides that the persons designated in the act shall be entitled to the same exemption from taxation, as are now granted by law to the members of the national guard of this state. Turning to section 22 of the act concerning the national guard and section 8 of the supplement of 1875, it will be found that members of the national guard are not entitled to no exemption as members of the national guard. They are entitled to such exemption only, while they actually "shall perform military duty" or "shall be actually serving in the national guard."

The object of the legislature in the act organizing the national guard, nor is it the object of the act in any sense germane to the subject of the latter act.

The act of 1884 stands wholly apart from the national guard act, and its object and purpose is entirely unconnected with the act concerning the national guard, and the 8th section of the supplement of 1875, should be part of the act in which it placed these sections are made a part of the act as much as if they had been specially referred to, and such legislation is within the spirit and reason of the constitutional provision.

Upon a comparison of the act by this decision with various supplements thereto, (Pl't Laws 1884, p. 295) with the act exempting soldiers and sailors, (Pl't L. 1884 p. 28) it will be found that the act in question is in no way supreme Court considered facial to the constitutionality of the act conferring firemen, are to be found, and are even more important, in the act concerning soldiers and sailors. There can be no question that the latter act, if properly presented to the Supreme Court, will be declared unconstitutional and void.

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A NOVEL LAWSUIT.

Albert Brown Asks Labert to Recover Wages While Out on Strike.

NEW YORK, July 30.—At Little Falls in Jersey a novel lawsuit was tried. It is to be decided by the jury of the third ward in the courts. Minnie Brown worked in Tibbs, Sheard & Co.'s mills at the time when the Knights of Labor were locked out at Little Falls. It is claimed that a man named Otto Bates, one of the knights, made an agreement with her that if she would refuse to work that he would guarantee the payment of her wages. She was not a member of the order at that time, but afterward joined. On the trial Miss Brown's statement was in part to the effect that she acted at her brother and mother. On the other hand the defense proved by Bates and other knights that the agreement was that her board was to be paid, and that neither mother and child asked wages. Miss Brown acknowledged that she had received about $40 for board from the knights. The jury failed to agree and were discharged. The knights regard it as a victory. They believe that the manufacturers instigated Miss Brown to commence the action with the idea that damaging evidence would be secured against the members of the order, and to create public sentiment against them.

PANIC AMONG THE BOODLERS.

A Sensation Caused by the Action of Commissioner Klehm.

CHICAGO, July 30.—At the big boodler trial yesterday, after considerable testimony had been given in regard to "commissions" paid to the members of the county board, a sensation was created by Commissioner Klehm announcing that he wished to withdraw his plea of not guilty and to enter a plea of guilty. Judge Jamieson said to him: "Do you understand the consequences of such a plea?" and he answered, "I have fully considered that, your honor." The judge then told him what he had to expect in the way of penitentiary years in the penitentiary or a fine not to exceed $4,000, but Mr. Klehm said he fully understood the law and looked to the court himself upon the mercy of the court. The plea of guilty was entered by the court, but sentence was deferred at the request of the state's attorney, and Mr. Klehm was allowed to depart on his bond. The state then announced that it rested so far as witnesses were concerned, but desired to present sundry documentary evidence. The court adjourned until Monday. The action of Commissioner Klehm has caused the whole gang of "boodlers" to be panic stricken.

Drowned in the Pacific Ocean.

DUBUQUE, Ia., July 30.—A few weeks ago Zenas L. Hoover, Calvin Johnson, and L. L. Le Baron, prominent and wealthy lumber operators of this county, went to the Pacific coast with the intention of purchasing timber lands in Oregon and engaging in extensive lumber operations there. Word has been received here that all three of them were drowned in the Pacific ocean off Tillamook, Oregon, by the swamping of a sailboat in which they were making a pleasure trip a few days since. They all leave families in Cherrfield county.

Short in His Accounts.

NORRISTOWN, Pa., July 30.—Calvin Rigg, a school tax collector for the borough of Conshohocken from 1882 to 1885, is short $10,000. He was also a collector from 1884 and 1885. The auditing committee of the school board began an inspection of Rigg's accounts last Saturday. Rigg was requested to be present, but he disappeared. From a pair of shoes found near the river bank suspicions point to suicide. He has four bondsmen.

Will Preserved Ancestors.

BELVIDERE, N. J., July 30.—In Hopatcong township, Warren county, several petrified bodies have just been exhumed from an old burying ground where the ancestors of the Fest family lie buried. In one instance the grave clothes were still intact. The bodies were so well that they could be lifted out of the graves by one person taking hold of the head and another by the feet. The coffins were found to be filled with water.

Killed In a Lumber Mill.

COLUMBIA, S. C., July 30.—Henry Young, superintendent of Trumbier's lumber mill, in Union county, was putting a belt on the main pulley when his arm was caught and his body was dragged upon a spike in the driving wheel, where it was whirled around with terrific force. When the engine was stopped Young was dead, his neck, arms and legs being broken and his body mutilated in a shocking manner.

Rolled Beneath the Wheels.

VINCENNES, Ind., July 30.—W. D Porter, a draughtsman for E. C. Atkins & Co., saw manufacturers of Indianapolis, was killed at Sorbon by an Indianapolis & Vincennes passenger train. Porter was standing on the depot platform waiting for the train. Just as the cars were passing he fell in a supposed epileptic fit and rolled beneath the wheels. His body was picked up badly mangled.

Poisoned by a Blunder.

NEW YORK, July 30.—Mrs. Theresa Deutsch, a motherly old lady, the wife of a retired merchant, died yesterday at 235 E. 84th st. Mrs. Deutsch had been sick for eight street, in great agony from a dose of liniment administered internally through mistake. She had been suffering from rheumatism, and the liniment was given to her by her daughter, who is prostrated by grief.

Ex-Judge Denis Quinn Dead.

SARATOGA SPRINGS, July 30.—Denis Quinn, a brother of the late Vicar General Quinn, of New York, died here yesterday of heart disease. Mr. Quinn was formerly a civil judge and had practiced law in Tammany hall, by reason of the fact than he had much influence with the Catholic clergy. About ten years ago he was a great power in the First ward of New York.

Boodler McGarigle in Canada.

CHICAGO, July 30.—Dispatches from Toronto and other points in Canada are to the effect that Wm. J. McGarigle, the fugitive boodler, has reached Canadian waters on the steamer Edward Blake, having passed the Straits of Mackinac without being intercepted by American officials. McGarigle is expected to arrive in Toronto shortly.

An Operator's Negligence.

HAZLETON, Pa., July 30.—Through the negligence of Telegraph Operator Shoerts a Lehigh Valley passenger train and a New Jersey Central coal train collided yesterday at Pond creek junction, four miles north of here. Henry Keiper, of White Haven, a brakeman, was seriously injured. Shoerts fled after the accident.

BURGLARS ON WHEELS

SUCCESSFULLY "WORK" THE QUIET TOWNS OF SOUTH JERSEY.

A Noiseless Conveyance Which Enabled Them to Steal Upon Sleeping Villagers Before Their Ready, and Silently Sped Away.

PHILADELPHIA, July 30.—Timothy and Thomas Mulkern, who have committed over twenty robberies in South Jersey in the past few weeks, are behind the bars of the Camden jail. them looks like the outfit of utilizing an ingenious machine in committing robberies over a large section of country. They elected arrest for weeks by means of the machine, although officers by the score were on their trail, and rewards to the amount of $500 were offered for their capture. The machine is known to railroad men as a crank velocipede. It is a light iron arrangement with three wheels, just fitting on the standard gauge tracks, and is propelled by a treadle and endless chain. It will carry two men and baggage, is capable of attaining a speed of twenty miles an hour. The machine which the robbers found so useful was used by the section foreman of the Sea Isle City railroad, and was bound in the Ocean City station, at the terminus of the road.

On the night of July 8 three stores were broken into at Ocean City and plundered of valuable goods. The station was entered and the tricycle stolen. On this machine the burglars piled their booty and their bodies and worked their way to Sea Isle junction, thence on to the West Jersey railroad and escaped. This was but the beginning of a series of robberies, which caused some excitement along the West Jersey, Camden and Atlantic and New Jersey Southern railroads, and terminated South Jersey Junction, where the railroad stations at Sea Isle City, Ocean View, South Vineland, Forrest Grove, Landisville, on the New Jersey Southern, and Winslow on the Camden and Atlantic roads, were broken into, and money, tickets, stamps, and all small portable articles of value were taken. The Winslow station was entered for the second time, and blown open by an attempt made to burn it. Trowbridge's general store at Hammonton was also broken into twice and $500 worth of goods were stolen.

By means of their noiseless machine the burglars were able to make a descent on a railroad station or village store at night when the country folk were fast asleep, secure what they wanted and speed swiftly away, without leaving the slightest trail behind. The machine is so light that the two men could easily lift it off the track and hide it in the bushes if they were pursued or a train approached. They were well posted in the schedule of the various freight trains, and so avoided a collision. The robbers finally became so bold that they would enter houses in the daytime near the railroad tracks and steal articles of value.

The robbery of Tillyer & Brother's store in Winslow on Saturday night led to the capture of the bold burglars. At about daybreak on Monday morning Constable Bates of Winslow saw a suspicious looking man with a bag crossing the field near that place. He halted the man, who threw down the contained cans of condensed milk, which had been stolen from Tillyer & Brother's place on Saturday night. The prisoner was taken to the county jail and will be tried for trial and it was several days before he was identified as Thomas Mulkern, one of the burglars who had been operating in South Jersey. On Thursday he made a partial confession, by which a portion of the stolen goods were recovered that night in a woods near Winslow. Timothy Mulkern was captured through the watchfulness of Detective Douk, who had been employed by the railroad company to ferret out the burglaries. While on a scouting tour Douk discovered the missing tricycle, which he had been chasing for several days, hidden in the bushes near the West Jersey railroad station in Clayton. A roughly dressed stranger with a heavy valise boarded the first train for Philadelphia. The detective ordered his arrest by wire, and he was captured while alighting from the cars in Camden by Special Officer Deith, of the Pennsylvania railroad. The prisoner gave his name as Thomas Gladden, but the detective on arriving identified him as Thomas Mulkern. He was landed down with booty, and wore clothing which had been stolen from Trowbridge's store in Hammonton. The prisoner Aldeng at a small place on the Camden and Atlantic road near Vineland.

Looks Bad for the "Prominent Citizen."

EASTON, Pa., July 30.—On Wednesday evening a man who gave his name as Christopher Gibbon, aged 45, a resident of Phillipsburg, N. J., called at Bevan's liquor store and asked for a drink. Upon the same being refused he picked up a glass and opened the spigot. He not only filled the glass, but permitted the liquor to run on the floor. A prominent citizen who stood near by struck Gibbon a powerful blow, from the effects of which he fell head foremost on the flagstone pavement at the front door. He was picked up unconscious and taken to the station house. Thursday morning he became delirious, but 8 o'clock Saturday at noon Gibbon became unconscious again, and the two doctors who have been attending him say there is no hope of his recovery.

Robbing the Mails.

NEW YORK, July 30.—The postoffice authorities have for several days been quietly investigating a case of mail rifling which has just come to light. Last Friday night the car cleaner of the mail car found six official envelopes which had been opened, and which contained a number of checks, behind the heater in the car. The checks amounted in all to about $6,000. The affair is shrouded in mystery. The theory is that the letters were overlooked and that some thief got into the car, opened them, found that they contained nothing but checks and threw them behind the heater. The pouch in which the letters left Albany contained a number of valuable money packages which were not disturbed.

A Crowded Elevator Falls.

ST. LOUIS, July 30.—A small elevator in the Sherman Turning works, in which seven girls and one man were working, fell a distance of forty feet last night, inflicting fatal injuries on two of the passengers and injuring the others, among them Alexander M. Farrar, president of the company, had his skull fractured, and Annie Moran, a girl of 18, in the employ of the company, was mangled in a horrible manner. Both will die. Several of the other girls are in a critical condition.

Deaths From Heat.

PHILADELPHIA, July 30.—The records of the Pennsylvania hospital, which have been kept for nearly a century, do not show any hotter July than the present month, and although the hot spell has not been confined to any one locality, Philadelphia has been hotter than any place north of Jacksonville, Fla., and the number of deaths resulting indirectly from the heat have been large. Thursday there were four deaths traceable to heat, and yesterday there were two.

ANOTHER MYSTERY IN RAHWAY.

Discovery of a Dead Body With Hands and Feet Tied.

RAHWAY, N. J., July 30.—Two girls named Mary Kennedy and Mary Meagher called on Mrs. Mary Mallon Wednesday evening. Happening to go into a room adjoining the one occupied by Mrs. Sullivan, they were horrified to find the mutilated body of a dead woman named Ann Masters, with her hands and feet tied, as they claim. The woman told the girls they must say nothing to the neighborhood about the horrible discovery or after they had gone she locked all the doors and closed the blinds. The neighbors have a suspicion of foul play, as Mrs. Masters had some money in the house, which is the known motive for putting her out of the way.

A few days ago a man named Silvela, who came from Newark, gave the old lady $60 to clear up a mortgage she held on his house.

Report says a Mrs. Cockran knows more about the mysterious death of Mrs. Masters than she cares to reveal.

When she was asked about these matters she at first denied both the story of her old friend having been murdered by being tied hand and foot, but afterward admitted that she had found the dead woman's hands. She explained that she did not wish to have the matter known, as she would go to her own home with "enough trouble of her own." To other people Mrs. Cockran said a man and woman had tied the hands and feet of the old lady, and that she had not touched the body herself.

The county physician examined the body yesterday and gave a burial permit. The circumstances of the death are being investigated by the Rahway police.

BOYS BUILD A BONFIRE,

Which Results in a Disastrous Conflagration to 150 Families.

CINCINNATI, July 30.—About 4:30 yesterday afternoon some boys started a bonfire in the rear of No. 272 State avenue. There was a lively breeze at the time, and a small shed near by caught fire. The flames soon spread to adjoining buildings, until the entire square bounded by State avenue, Gest and Depot streets, consisting of twenty or twenty-five tenement houses, was fired by the conflagration. The frame house and dairies, which abound in the district, were the best sort of food for the flames, and the efforts of the firemen were of little avail. Some twenty-five cattle and fifty hogs were burned in the dairies. Quincy Adams, of the Twenty-fours fire company, was struck by falling timber and both arms were broken. O'Brien, of the Seventeenes, was also caught and had two ribs broken. Several firemen were overcome by the intense heat and were carried to the hospital. About 150 families were rendered homeless by the conflagration, some of them having lost everything they had. All were camped on the hillside west of the fire about sundown, but were sheltered for the night by the citizens living in the vicinity. The loss will probably reach $300,000; insurance light.

Peak's Execution Postponed.

MT. HOLLY, N. J., July 30.—The writ of error asked for last Saturday by Lawyer Bliss, of Camden, counsel for Barclay Peak, the condemned murderer of Katie Anderson, was allowed yesterday. This now removes Peak's case to the supreme court at its next session for review and necessarily postpones his execution, he having been sentenced to be hung on Sept. 1. In case the supreme court decides against Peak the latter will be taken out of prison and appeals, and from there, in case the decision is unfavorable, to the board of pardons, as a last resort. All this will occupy at least four months.

Killed by a Tropical Bug.

DOWNINGTOWN, Pa., July 30.—James Hughes, of the Gap, Lancaster county, while eating a banana in this place recently, suddenly felt a sharp sting on his cheek, and discovered a large, disgusting looking bug on the skin of the banana. His face began to swell immediately, and in a short time was swollen to twice its natural size. The swelling spread to his neck and breast, and the young man continued in the greatest agony until Wednesday, when he died. The bug is supposed to be a tropical specimen, and the fruits of that vessel included in the bunch of bananas when it was shipped north.

Accident on a Canadian Road.

TORONTO, July 30.—A dispatch from Winnepeg says: A disastrous railway accident occurred on the Canadian Pacific railroad, eight miles west of Rat Portage, near Rat Portage, at a point known as Portage. The trestle had been filled in, but the embankment washed into the lake, carrying with it about twenty yards of track. Through this opening a heavily loaded freight train was precipitated. The engine was completely sunk in the water and seven cars altogether were covered up. Several horses were killed, and two railroad employes received painful injuries.

A Job for the Prince.

LONDON, July 30.—Prince Louis of Battenberg has been appointed to the command of H. M. S. Dreadnought over the heads of scores of senior officers, and the Radical members are expected to severely criticise the appointment in the house of commons. Prince Louis, who is the husband of Princess Victoria, daughter of the Grand Duke Louis of Hesse, and Princess Alice of Great Britain, and granddaughter of Queen Victoria, has hitherto held the rank in the British navy of captain of a corvette.

Lacerated by His Dog.

AMSTERDAM, N. Y., July 30.—George Griffith, living near this city, was badly bitten by his dog Thursday afternoon. The dog chased a hen under a piazza; Griffith crawled under the piazza in pursuit, when the dog turned upon him, grabbing him by the neck. The dog's owner and children and his daughter came to his relief, not, however, until the brute had severed two arteries in the wounded man's throat. He was caused paralysis to set in and Griffith is now in a critical condition.

Burial of the Mormon Chief.

SALT LAKE, CITY, July 30.—John Taylor, president of the Mormon church, was buried today. The coffin is made of pine wood and the dress and fittings as Taylor had left directions. Members viewed the corpse as it lay in the tabernacle. The speakers dwelt mainly on the certainty that the kingdom is God's work and bound to prevail and fill the earth in spite of the opposition of man.

Killed His Assailant.

ST. LOUIS, July 30.—At 1:15 yesterday morning J. C. Flynn, contractor and builder, quarrelled with Patrick Smith over the ownership of a few pieces of stone left over from a new building. Smith struck at Flynn with a pick, and Flynn retaliated by shooting him. Flynn surrendered himself to the police, and claims the shooting was in self defense.

Crushed to Death.

BUFFALO, N. Y., July 30.—Frank Chamberlain, aged 45 years, and for fifteen years a fireman on the New York Central railroad, was crushed to death by being caught between the Georgia street roundhouse door frame and a passing tender. He leaves a wife and six children at Tonawanda.

TENEMENT HOUSE FIRE

AT CHICAGO, RESULTING IN THE DEATH OF TWO PERSONS

And the Fatal Injuries of Six Others. Heroic Attempts at Rescue by the Firemen—Two Men Arrested on Suspicion of Incendiarism.

CHICAGO, July 30.—Two people, mother and child, were killed; six people were fatally injured, and a score or more others were badly hurt in a fire at No. 3,165 Archer avenue yesterday morning. About 2:30 o'clock Officer O'Connor saw flames coming out of the basement. He ran in the nearest fire box, turned in an alarm and then hastened back to arouse the inmates. By this time the flames had increased with fearful rapidity, and before the arrival of the fire engine the stairways were enveloped, thus cutting off all means of escape for the three families occupying the front portion of the building.

The second floor was occupied by Nelson Trudeau, his wife and five children. They were awakened by the smoke, and without stopping to dress they began to look about for means of escape. Mr. Trudeau tied one end of a rope around a bedstead, and fastening the other end to his wife and 5-year-old baby, attempted to lower them out of the window.

The rope was too short, and the spectators, who by this time had gathered in large numbers, were horrified to see the woman and her little one suspended in mid air, surrounded by flames. Capt. Cowan, of truck 8, who was among the first to arrive, placed a ladder against the burning building, and, undaunted by the flames and smoke, he ascended to the second floor and attempted to rescue the poor unfortunates. But night clothes had caught on the iron bars in front of the window, and before the brave officer could release her from her perilous position the fire had burned away the rope and all three fell into the flames below. A powerful stream of water was turned on them, while willing hands dragged them out and conveyed them to a place of safety.

The captain was found to be terribly burned about the face, hands and lower part of the body. He had inhaled the flames. He was taken to his home, where he lies in a precarious condition. The baby had already succumbed to the fearful injuries, and the mother, who was taken to the house of a friend, expired shortly afterward in horrible agony.

Meanwhile the firemen had crawled down the stairways and began a work of rescuing the other inmates. Philip Bonneau, his wife and son, Philip, aged 7 years, and Annie Drew, aged 18, were found on the third floor almost suffocated. They were tenderly carried down stairs and conveyed to the county hospital, where it was thought they would recover. On the second floor were found the insensible bodies of Emile children belonging to the Trudeau family. They were taken in charge by friends, and a doctor gave it as opinion that they would not recover. Mrs. Trudeau, the mother, after her ineffectual attempt to save his wife, groped his way through the blinding smoke, and either fell or jumped out of the rear window, a distance of twenty feet, and was picked up insensible from internal injuries. The family of Christian Essen, a baker, who occupied the first floor and basement, escaped in safety.

The killed were Adele Trudeau, aged 35, and Mary Trudeau, aged 2 years.

Those were fatally injured: Joseph Trudeau, aged 10 years; Delia Trudeau, aged 11 years; Nelson Trudeau, Jr., aged 12 years; Elim Trudeau, aged 15 years; Mrs. Bonneau and Fire Capt. Cowan, of Truck 8.

The following were injured severely, but not fatally: Nelson Trudeau, Philip Bonneau, Eliza Blake, Annie Brew.

The fire started in Essen's bakeshop, in the basement. His assistant, Charles Anshacher, fell asleep and a pot of grease, which was boiling on the stove, overflowed and set fire to the building. The loss will reach $8,000, and is covered by insurance.

The baker and his assistant, Anshacher, were arrested. The police suspect that the fire was of incendiary origin, and the two men will be held until an investigation has been made. Essen, when he escaped from the building, it is said, instead of trying to awaken the inmates of the house, ran to the stable and let his horses out.

Memphis Officials Indicted.

MEMPHIS, Tenn., July 30.—The grand jury yesterday afternoon returned an indictment against President D. P. Hadden, Police and Fire Commissioner James Lee, Jr., and County Trustee Andrew J. Harris, for overdrawing the streets and bridges account in the sum of $119,260, for mingling the sewerage funds of the city, and for drawing upon other funds in favor of the streets and bridges account. This, it is thought, will about wind up the indictments against city officials.

Sewers for Willimantic.

WILLIMANTIC, Conn., July 30.—The borough committee appointed on July 17, 1886, to prepare plans and estimates for a sewer system for Willimantic, made public their report yesterday. City Engineer Samuel S. Gray, of Providence, was the expert employed. The so-called separate system of sewerage was recommended by the committee; that, is to provide for conduct of sewage and surface water by different pipes. The plans, if carried out, it is estimated, will cost $198,000.

A Disastrous Tornado.

DAVID CITY, Neb., July 30.—Last night a tornado passed through the centre of this town. More than half of the buildings were damaged, one man killed and quite a number injured. The Paddock House, the Burlington Pacific and Burlington & Missouri depots, a large brick school house, the Methodist and Congregationalist churches, Reichardt & Churchill's store, with many dwellings, barns, etc., are in ruins. The damage is not less than $200,000.

Excited by His Son's Death.

SYRACUSE, N. Y., July 30.—Frank Daly, 11 years old, was drowned in the canal here while bathing. Daly, in company with others, had ing a rope tied around Daly's waist let go of it, and as the latter could not swim he went to the bottom. Two hours later the body was recovered. Daly's father became so excited when he reached the scene of the accident that he jumped into the canal, and was with difficulty rescued, as he, also, could not swim.

Mrs. Logan Convalescent.

CHICAGO, July 30.—Mrs. John A. Logan, together with her son John A. Logan, Jr., and his wife, are at the Grand Pacific. His health is not yet completely restored, and she still feels the effects of the unfortunate Carbondale accident. She is not receiving callers and remains in her room. Her visit is not of a business nature.

Poison in the Well.

READING, Pa., July 30.—Amos Guigley and his seven children, living at Terre Hill were poisoned yesterday, and are in a critical condition. Mrs. Guigley is the only member of the family not affected. It is supposed that some one poisoned the well water used by the family.

UP FROM EUROPE

ITALY'S SUSPENSION FROM THE HOUSE OF COMMONS.

Gen. Boulanger's Challenge to M. Jules Ferry the Sensation of the Day in Paris—Queen Victoria's Threat at Obsolete Forms Commended.

LONDON, July 30.—The suspension of Mr. Timothy M. Healy from the privileges of the floor of the house of commons last Saturday night was, divested of the excitement and animus which attended it, a really pathetic business. Although Mr. Healy, in the heat of his indignation at the action of the house, defied the speaker to do his worst and expressed the hope that none of his friends would endeavor to mitigate the inevitable verdict of his political enemies, he broke down completely as he turned to leave the chamber a disgraced man in the eyes of the majority of the members and sobbed convulsively. The successive mental and physical strain which Mr. Healy has undergone since the beginning of the discussion of the coercion bill in committee, has completely unnerved him, and his friends are convinced that his enforced abstention from the excitement of parliamentary duties for a fortnight will prove beneficial to him.

No other man in the Parnellite party has assumed as large a share of the burden of opposition to the government's Irish measures as has Mr. Healy, and it may be said in truth that no other man than he could be placed in the list of absentees by the thick and thin Tory supporters of the government, with greater satisfaction to the latter's feeling of relief from annoyance and discomfiture.

Gen. Boulanger's challenge to M. Jules Ferry, which appeared in the latter journal Sunday by the general's seconds, Count Dillon and Gen. Tavarot, has created a great sensation in Paris, and is much talked of in London. Another feature of the Boulanger affair is that M. Ferry will refuse to fight on the ground that it would be against public policy for him to engage in a duel while an officer so peculiarly situated as is Gen. Boulanger. It is not easy to see, however, how he can take refuge behind this specious plea. M. Ferry's duel with Gen. Boulanger, and the circumstances of his retirement from the office of prime minister are immeasurably less creditable to him than the series of infidelities which led to the retirement of Gen. Boulanger are to that officer. M. Ferry was forced into retirement by his own acts; Gen. Boulanger was driven from office, and subsequently from Paris, by the action of men who were jealous of his growing popularity and consequent increasing strength.

There does not seem to be any way by which M. Ferry can avoid a meeting with Gen. Boulanger, except through an ample apology to the man he has gratuitously insulted, or a tacit admission that he is a coward. It is not a long distance from a spirit of his way to insult Gen. Boulanger in his speech at Epinal, and even the enemies of the latter recognize the justice of his prompt demand for satisfaction.

The queen's refusal to accept the resignation of Lord Charles Beresford has caused intense astonishment. The Pall Mall Gazette, which cannot refrain from expressing its delight that her majesty should recognize the changed state of public opinion regarding the rigid formalities which were in force by condoning an error which a few years ago would have been regarded as a heinous crime. That the queen's refusal to assume, or accept, the responsibility of dismissing Lord Charles Beresford from the command of the Channel squadron will largely increase the esteem in which she is held by her subjects, the Gazette has no doubt.

The Rev. Walpole Warren, vicar of Holy Trinity church, Lambeth, has formally accepted the rectorship of Holy Trinity church, New York, and will sail for that city on Sept. 14.

A Woman's Vindictiveness.

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., July 30.—The arrest near Evening Shade of three men developed the fact that Mrs. Elizabeth Kelly, a well known woman, had employed them to kill a woman named Jane Wilson and whip two others, for which Mrs. Kelly agreed to pay about $100. Jealousy was the cause of the act.

Warrants for a Mayor and Council.

WILKESBARRE, Pa., July 30.—Warrants were yesterday issued for the arrest of Mayor Jones and the members of the city council to answer a charge of neglecting for several years past to keep East Third street in proper repair.

Killed While Sleeping.

BARTON LANDING, Vt., July 30.—Mrs. Harvey Fletcher was killed by lightning at Lowell, while sleeping beside her husband. Mr. Fletcher was paralyzed, but will recover. The house was badly damaged.

Invited to Minnesota.

WASHINGTON, July 30.—An invitation was received at the White House from the governors of Minnesota and from St. Paul and Minneapolis for the president to visit the twin cities while on his western tour.

Urging Church Union.

LONDON, July 30.—The Methodist conference has appointed Rev. Charles Kelly delegate to the Methodist Episcopal church of America to continue their work looking to the union of the Methodist church.

Italy's Prime Minister Dead.

ROME, July 30.—Signor A. Depretis, prime minister of Italy, died at Stradella last night.

CONDENSED NEWS.

By a collision on the Baltimore and Ohio near West Newton Fireman Orbin was killed and Engineer Sullivan and Fireman Reed injured, former fatally.

Joshua Voute, a special delivery letter carrier at Salem, N. J., is under arrest on the charge of robbing the mails.

The Lehigh Valley railroad is to build a branch road from Geneva to Buffalo, 100 miles in length.

M. R. Clapp, a prominent manufacturer of Hudson, N. Y., died of Bright's disease, aged 70.

Mr. Brooks, father of the convicted murderer of Preller, at St. Louis, has strong hopes that he will save his son from the gallows.

The convention of the International Association of Fairs and Expositions, in session at Toronto, decided to hold a world's fair at Chicago in 1892.

The international yacht race will take place off Sandy Hook on Sept. 27 and 29. If a third race is necessary it will be sailed Oct. 1.

Ex-Attorney General Colt, of Rhode Island, says it is impossible to enforce prohibition in that state.

At New Brunswick, N. J., sixteen valuable cows were killed to prevent the spread of pleuro-pneumonia.

Government receipts so far this month amount to $32,000,000, and expenditures $26,000,000.

TRADE BULLETIN.

New York Money and Produce Markets.

NEW YORK, July 30.—Money closed at 1 per cent. The highest rate today was 6 and lowest 4 per cent. Sterling exchange is steady at 4.87½@4.87¾ for sixty days and 4.89@4.89½ for demand. Government bonds dull. State bonds dull. R. R. bds dull; 69,000 Ill. Cent. 99½; 20,000 Mo. Pac. 97½; 10,000 Mich. Cent. 89; 10,000 Tex. Pac. 19¾; 10,000 Wabash pfd. 69½; 10,000 Wabash 19¾.

Pacific Mail, New York and New England, Richmond Terminal, Western Union, Missouri Pacific, Reading, Lake Shore, Northwestern and Rock Island were dull and steady throughout the early part of the day this morning, and the tone hardened a little with the afternoon opportunity dealings. The market closed weak at the lowest figures of the day. Sugar trust certificates were also dull and weak, and at one time declined 1 per cent. Trading was quiet on the Stock Exchange yesterday. Prices were down on almost every transaction. Manhattan was especially depressed, closing 2 per cent lower. Pacific Mail, Lake Shore, Northwestern, Rock Island, New York and New England also closed at the lowest figures of the day. Pacific Mail, New York and New England, Richmond Terminal, Western Union, Missouri Pacific, Reading, Lake Shore, Northwestern and Rock Island were dull and steady throughout the early part of the day this morning, and the tone hardened a little with the afternoon opportunity dealings. The market closed weak at the lowest figures of the day. Sugar trust certificates were also dull and weak, and at one time declined 1 per cent. Trading was quiet on the Stock Exchange yesterday. Prices were down on almost every transaction. Manhattan was especially depressed, closing 2 per cent lower. Pacific Mail

SCIENCE AND PROGRESS.

AN EVENT OF UNUSUAL IMPORTANCE TO ASTRONOMERS.

A New Alloy That Resists the Attacks of Most Acids—An Interesting Experiment—A Rejoicing Over Matches That Refuse to Burn.

When the eye is placed in an unusual position it loses its power of judging of size or distances. A very pretty experiment to show this, recently illustrated in La Nature and reproduced here, is as follows:

A VERY PRETTY EXPERIMENT.

Take a board or end of a box and drive into it a nail or screw about three inches and a quarter in length. Attach to its end, by means of sealing wax, a quarter of a dollar, the "head" side facing outward. At the side of it attach to the board a half dollar with the same side in sight. Then, by looking at the two coins with one eye through a small hole about one twenty-fifth of an inch in diameter in a sheet of cardboard, both coins will appear to be of the same size, and by slowly moving the cardboard toward the coins the quarter dollar piece may even appear the larger. The distance between the coins and the eye varies with different persons from six to nine inches, but the proper distance can easily be found by experiment.

A similar illusion occurs when one views the moon through a telescope. The magnified disk appears to be much smaller than when seen by the naked eye, though the reverse is really the case. In such cases seeing is not believing, and the proverb is only true when our eyes do their "seeing" under the familiar and accustomed conditions.

Folk Lore and Dialect.

A Virginia correspondent, in Science, calls attention to the fact that in this country, where dialects were supposed to be non-existent, or to have been obliterated by the leveling influence of the common school, these are found, on closer inspection, to abound. In substantiation of this statement are cited the Creole patois of Louisiana; the Hoosier dialect of the middle states; the Cracker dialect of Georgia, East Tennessee and North Carolina; Pennsylvania Dutch, New Englandisms and negro English. He says: Negro usage abounds with linguistic curiosities, obsolescent idioms, twists and turns described from the Elizabethan or Jacobin settlers; and along with these goes a world of quaint superstitions, proverbs, charms, "saws and sayings," that reveal a peculiarly rich vein of world lore of mind and imagination. The Society for Psychical Research ought certainly to investigate this terre vierge, rich with the stratified folk lore of ages, enameled with the flowers of Arcadian parentage, replete with scraps of custom and myth which might throw light on the prehistoric period in the life of nations.

A New Alloy.

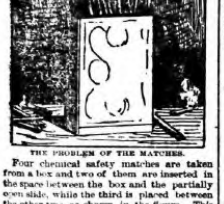
A new alloy has been discovered by Herr Reith, of Birkenshein, which is said to practically resist the attack of most acids and alkaline solutions. Its composition, says The Scientific American, is as follows: Copper, 15 parts; tin, 8.34 parts; lead, 1.33 parts; antimony, 1 part. This alloy is, therefore, a bronze with the addition of lead and antimony. The inventor claims that it can be very advantageously used in the laboratory to replace vessels or fittings of ebonite, vulcanite or porcelain.

The Eclipse of the Sun.

The total eclipse of the sun which occurs on Aug. 19 is of unusual importance, inasmuch as it is visible in civilized countries within easy reach of telegraphs and railroads. From eastern Europe into Siberia a line of observers will be stationed, and it is not unreasonable to expect that much valuable information will be gained. The recent advances in astronomical photography will add very much to the facilities of the observers.

Matches That Refuse to Burn.

A contributor to The Scientific American furnished the following description of an amusing experiment which he designates as a "rejoicing over matches that refuse to take fire."



THE PROBLEM OF THE MATCHES.

Four chemical safety matches are taken from a box and two of them are inserted in the space between the box and the partially open slide, while the third is placed between the other two, as shown in the figure. This latter match must be held very firmly between the other two, which are bent back from their initial position for this purpose. The horizontal match is then set on fire in the middle by means of the fourth one. The spectators have been previously asked, Which is the first match whose head will take fire? Is it the one to the right or the one to the left?

Answer: Neither. As soon as the match is carbonized the two lateral ones will spring back and throw it out with considerable force, so that it will be extinguished. Our figure so well shows how things are arranged for the experiment that it is useless to enter into further detail.

To Silver Ribbons.

Make a solution of nitrate of silver, and add a little gum to it, so that the liquid will not run. Then, with a camel's hair pencil or a new pen, draw any sort of ornamental figure on the silk. After the drawing is dry, hold the ribbon over a vessel containing water, zinc and a little sulphuric acid. In a short time the silver will be removed and adhere quite strongly to the fabric.—Le Moniteur.

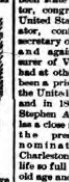
Arabesques, wreaths, etc., executed in this manner have a very pretty appearance, according to Chronique Industrielle.

ROBERT M. T. HUNTER.

A Man Who Was a Figure in the Civil War.

The death of Hon. Robert Mercer Taliaferro Hunter, at his home in Essex county, Va., closes another chapter in the history of the dark and dread period of the war, and removes another of the very few remaining statesmen of the old time in the south. He had lived so long that the younger generation scarcely knew his name, but there was a time when the name of Hon. R. M. T. Hunter was a power in Virginia and the nation. He had been nearly fifty years in active politics and much of the time in public life; had

been state legislator, congressman, United States senator, confederate secretary of state, and again treasurer of Virginia; had at other times been a prisoner of the United States, and in 1880 gave Stephen A. Douglas a close race for the presidential nomination at Charleston. The



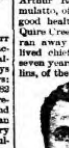
R. M. T. HUNTER.

life so full of vicissitudes ended in a placid old age and peaceful death in his quiet country seat—a striking though mournful illustration of the great peace that has settled upon the land since the terrific struggles over slavery, war and reconstruction.

Mr. Hunter was born in Essex county, April 29, 1809—born a politician, one might say, as his voice was heard in local debate even before his majority, and he was a party leader as soon as he was a voter. Educated at the University of Virginia and the Winchester law school, he was admitted to the bar in 1830, and soon after served three years in the legislature. In 1837 he was elected to congress at the early age of 26; was re-elected in 1839 and 1841, defeated in 1843, again elected in 1845, and while serving that term was chosen to the United States senate, which he entered in December, 1847, and never left till the war began, in 1861. In the Twenty-sixth congress he served as speaker at the early age of 38. Indeed, like Henry Clay, he presented one of those rare instances in which the mind attains the fullness of its powers very early, and yet retains them unimpaired to the last day of a long life. During the doubtful days of the early part of 1861, Mr. Hunter remained in the senate till its adjournment; the secession of Virginia followed two months after and he was formally expelled at the called session in July, as he had actively taken sides with the seceded states. He was a member of the Confederate congress and Confederate secretary of state; was one of the noted peace conference, meeting Lincoln and Seward at Hampton Roads, and after the collapse of the Confederacy was arrested by the federal authorities, but soon released on parole. In 1867 he received a pardon from President Johnson and again entered public life, serving as state treasurer of Virginia. Thereafter he retired from service and soon closed his active and somewhat stormy life almost on the very spot where it began.

A Colored Hero.

The hero of the hour in New York city is the colored man who saved seven lives, on the occasion of the capsizing of the sloop Mystery, in Gravesend bay, a week or two ago. Arthur Robinson, the rescuer, is a dark mulatto, of fine form, great strength and good health, 35 years old, and a native of Staten Island. When only 10 years old he ran away and went to sea, and has since lived chiefly on the water, having been for seven years on the steamers of Capt. Collins, of the Reaper. The Mystery was distant



ARTHUR ROBINSON.

from his boat about fifteen minutes' rowing when he remarked to a companion that she was carrying too much sail, and was already getting the small boat under way when the Mystery went over.

"I am one of them fellers," said he in detailing the facts, "that takes a heap to make up my mind, but when I do, I mean to do or die, and I never lose sight. I see my wife at home; I see them a-squallin' and a-screamin' in the water; I see it—if and knows as all depends on me, an' I put my feet firm on the keel when I get among 'em, scraped down summat, reached over the gunnel (gunwale) carefully and has 'em in. * * * First come a little boy. Then a body, then Mr. Sweetser and his child. Then I landed them and pulled for something I see moving in the wake of the Deane." He had landed the first load on the Deane. He got a woman onto the Deane who was still alive, and left her because there were no appliances for reviving those exhausted in the water. He saved two others, making seven in all. In taking up one very large woman, her weight rolled the boat over till it dipped a large quantity of water, and all had a narrow escape. Arthur is a pleasant and extremely modest man, and bears the honors heaped upon him very gracefully. He remains in the service of the steamboat company and has no desire to leave it.

The Eloping Millionairess.

European society has been inexpressibly shocked by the romantic abduction, otherwise elopement, of Mlle. Mercedes Martinez de Campos. Six years ago Mlle. de Campos was married to the son of Marshal Serrano, the Count de San Antonio, and three months after her marriage she obtained a divorce from this feeble young man, to go her own way with the restitution of her dowry of 7,000,000 of

MLLE. DE CAMPOS.

francs. Since then the young lady seems to have been tyrannized by her family. One day, not long ago, at the head of the Avenue du Bois de Boulogne, and in the presence of a crowd of drivers and pedestrians, the Vicomte de Lacour-Garbeuf, aided by a dozen friends, separated the young lady from her duenna, carried her off and placed her in a carriage, which drove away rapidly. This adventure, it now appears, was arranged between the young lady and the vicomte, and will end in a marriage or in a lawsuit.

The Wise Thing to Do.

The night before the surrender of Appomattox Mahone sat for a long time in conversation with Lee after the surrender had been decided upon. "Well," said Lee, in closing the conversation, "it is ended, and forever. Slavery disappears, never to be known again. The wise thing for us is to accommodate ourselves to the new order of things, and go home and go to work."—Cor. New York Mail and Express.

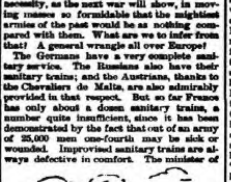
THE SANITARY TRAINS.

THE FRENCH ARE ORGANIZING THEM FOR FUTURE WARS.

How They Are Planned and Operated. Moving Hospitals Sent Out with Ambulances or Cars Which Contain Everything.

The French are getting ready for war. They are organizing sanitary trains for the removal and care of the wounded. Some of their journals say these trains are an absolute necessity, as the next war will show, in moving the sick, by formidable that the neighboring armies of the past would be as nothing compared with them. What are we to infer from this? A general wrangle all over Europe?

The Germans have a very complete sanitary service. The Russians also have their sanitary trains; and the Austrians, thanks to the Cherokees de Matta, are also admirably provided in that respect. But so far France has only about a dozen sanitary trains, a number quite insufficient, since it has been demonstrated by the fact that out of an army of 25,000 men one-fourth may be sick or wounded. Improvised sanitary trains are always defective in comfort. The minister of



THE SANITARY TRAIN.

war and the railroad companies are now engaged in considering the question of sanitary trains. Already on one line a regular sanitary train has been put. It carries physicians, pharmacists, officers of administration, engineers of the railroad company, members of the society for aid to the wounded, which is composed of women, nurses, etc.

The train is composed of twenty-three carriages, disposed in this order: A van for fuel, one for linen, one for medicine and officers of administration; seven ambulances; a car for the nurses, one for the cuisine, one for the pharmacists and surgeons, and one for the provisions. All the cars, from one end of the train to the other, communicate by a central corridor, which permits the doctors and surgeons and others to have ready access to whatever department requires their services. During the transit

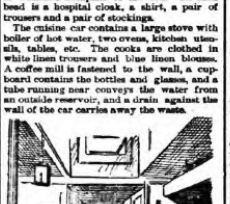
AMBULANCE CAR.

from Paris to Havre twenty-seven nurses gave their care to eighty-eight pseudo wounded.

The management of this train has cost the state 60,000 francs, and has reflected great honor on the two engineers who furnished the plans. The smallest bit of space has been utilized; each car contains eight beds arranged in the fashion of the berths at sea. On the left of each couch is a little board or shelf to hold the cup, glass and other immediate trifles for giving medicine or drink.

The furniture of the car consists of a brush, a broom, a coal scuttle and slop pail. They are ventilated by an ingenious system of openings at the bottom of the car or wagon. In the evening the cars are lighted by four lanterns. The arms and clothing of the soldiers are put in wire nets in the space between the beds. A stove of the most manageable variety will heat the car in winter. Linen tags at the head of each bed receives the papers establishing the identity of the sick or wounded occupant of the bed. On each bed is a hospital cloak, a shirt, a pair of trousers and a pair of stockings.

The cuisine car contains a large stove with boiler of hot water, two ovens, kitchen utensils, tables, etc. The cooks are clothed in white linen trousers and blue linen blouses. A coffee mill is fastened to the wall, a cupboard contains the bottles and glasses, and a tube running near conveys the water from an outside reservoir, and a drain against the wall of the car carries away the waste.



DOCTOR'S CAR.

The car of the pharmacist is also admirably arranged. To the four walls of the car a set of pigeon holes are arranged to carry the bottles without danger of breakage. Boxes containing the surgeon's implements are also ready at hand, and everything bearing the label of what it contains.

The sanitary train is indeed a veritable moving hospital, sufficient unto itself for many emergencies. Then, when necessary, ordinary trains will follow the sanitary, bearing merchandise and even the wounded.

A DEAD NOVELIST.

The Author of "The Big Drum" Passes Away.

Sylvanus Cobb, Jr., Dies Suddenly. He prepared the fiction specialty for the Ledger, now gray headed, were brought out exclusively. For years and years it was published monthly in handsome serial story-books by the New York Ledger.

Bonner died at Hyde Park, Mass., aged 63 years. He was a native of Maine. His father was a Universalist preacher, and was himself an Universalist faith, and was for a time editor of The Christian Ambassador. He wrote novels and published several religious books. His son, just deceased, devoted himself almost wholly to fiction, though he began his literary career as the editor of a temperance paper. In the days when the New York Ledger was new Sylvanus Cobb, Jr., was weaving yarns for a magazine which has long since climbed the golden stairs. He was its most glittering star. One day the long headed young Bonner walked into the office where Cobb was writing, and asked him what said magazin' paid him for his stories. "Two hundred dollars apiece," said the proud author. "I'll double it and more if you will write for me," said Bonner, and the offer was accepted. For the second story Mr. Bonner doubled that figure. Mr. Cobb rose steadily, until his remuneration for every yarn was high up into the thousands. He did not ask them prices, and Bonner, finding his stories popular, voluntarily paid it, and engaged him to write exclusively for The Ledger.

SYLVANUS COBB, JR.

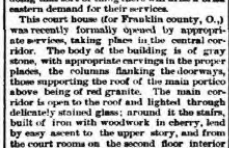
"The Gunmaker of Moscow" was one of Mr. Cobb's most successful stories. It has been republished again and again by Mr. Bonner's Ledger, and is as good reading today as it ever was, and it always was a capital story. He has spent the larger part of a tolerably long life in writing for the one paper. A list of his serials would be an exhausted one, and he wrote short sketches of adventure over a pen name—stories that bristled with unappeasable lions and tigers and wriggled with the most voracious and pugnacious of snakes.

The "Jr." always appended to Mr. Cobb's name gave one the idea that he enjoyed a perpetual youth; but see, he is patriarchal in appearance. He was a third cousin of Horace Mason and an ardent Republican, and took an active part in the politics of Massachusetts. He leaves a widow and two children.

A WESTERN COURT HOUSE.

The New and Beautiful House of the Law at Columbus, O.

The new and beautiful court house at Columbus, O., is something of an exception to public buildings in general, in that it cost less than the original estimate. It was voted to erect a building to cost not more than $500,000; the structure was completed ready for occupancy for $450,0[illegible]. One can feel upon the premises confident of executing any work we are trusted to my care with satisfaction. Shop 93 E Front.



COLUMBUS' NEW COURT HOUSE.

and this building will rather "take the shine out of" the Ohio state house, which is of a style of architecture for which no one has found a good name, but which is aptly compared to a cheese box set on a square block of stone.

A Deceased Singer.

Miss Antonia F. Heaus, a singer of considerable local repute and once noted as a child singer in Cincinnati, died suddenly of cerebral apoplexy in New York on the 18th. She was born in Cincinnati in 1850, and at a very early age sang the child's parts in many concerts and operas. Her voice retained all its childish sweetness and purity of tone to the last, but did not develop great power or brilliancy; she was therefore appreciated and loved in a social way rather than noted on the stage. In 1866 she sang in Tweedon Thomas' symphony soirees, studying at the same time with Signor Muzio. Four years later she went abroad and studied two years in Florence, and in 1871 returned to New York, where she has since remained as contralto at the Madison Square Presbyterian church. She occasionally appeared in public concerts, and, while her voice was not very strong, it always pleased by its sweet and sympathetic tone. In private life Miss Heaus was very tenderly loved, and many mourn her loss.

MISS HEAUS.

Clam Juice as a "Bracer."

"Little clam juice, gentlemen?" inquired a bartender yesterday morning of several customers after they had o dered their s imulants. "Clam juice?" they responded. "Yes; it is the very best remedy in the morning, beating all other 'bracers' and far surpassing cocktails. I have customers who come a long way for the purpose of getting it." Then the fellow doled out a small china cup was handed around and pronounced "splendid," fully justifying all the claims which had been made for it.—Philadelphia Call.

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THE WEAK POINT IN THE EVIDENCE.

"At five minutes to 11 o'clock on the 11th of June, I shall drop dead," said Charles Kirtland, of Hagan, Ohio, eleven years ago. And at five minutes to 11 o'clock on the morning of June 11, 1887, a baker's wagon ran over Charles and broke his leg. "Drop dead," was what Charles meant to say when he struck out in the prophecy business.

HEAVEN LOVES THE HEATHEN.

Favored above all lands are the Isles of Samoa-land, in their records, and in the rebellion the entire army only numbered 147 men, so if every soldier under arms, and the sutler in the tent, writes a magazine history of the war, the series of war articles can only run twelve years and four months. And yet some people believe in a second probation for the heathen. Not much; they seem to get their heaven here.

A BEAUTIFUL HEATHEN CUSTOM.

When a Chinaman earnestly presses a visitor to stay to dinner, the visitor is then aware that he is not wanted, and straightway he goes home. In America the invitation to remain to dinner, however cordially phrased, often means just what it does among the lying heathen, but what puzzles the Christian is to know just when it means "stay" and when it means "go." In some respects the heathen hold away over us.

THE TRAMP.

Slow paced, with listless step he moved along,
To where the woodbine mantled all the door,
And bossed its restless shadows on the floor;
His idle breath, owning in a song,
Bore scents of Old Tom Juniper along;
Upon both feet he limped as travel sore,
For nine he asked ate them and asked for more!

And lingered yet, the banquet to prolong,
While I felt wary of his lean and brawn,
And his glad life, so free from toil or care;
And did not know, till after he was gone,
That he had taken with him my best pair
Of summer clothes, and other things, to pawn,
And drifted idly off, we know not where.

Ah, gaudy that I like him, might come and go,
As birds and insects and shadows go and come,
Careless of all things sad or burdensome;
Living on life's fair flies strewn
Beside the dreamy river's slumberous flow;
At morn, a mist-veil to the hollow drum
Of partridge in the thicket; by the hum
Of over bumblebees at noontime's glow,
Lulled to my nubbled slumber on a mound;
Dense like, to eat the sweets by others stored;
To live with birds and winds in brotherhood,
My taste to plete the clothes line, and my board
The farmer's care—but, ah, it is no good;
I have no luck; I would get caught and scored.

Just as Sis Said.

Mr. De Sickly has called upon Bobby's sister, and is waiting for that young lady to make her appearance. Bobby enters in the meantime.

De Sickly, with a grim—How do do, Bobby! Don't you know me? Come and tell me who's my name.

Bobby—Well, sir, if it ain't just as Sis said, you haven't sense enough to know what your name is. If you'll wait a minute I'll find out for you. I heard pa say he had you on the list, so I guess he must know your name.—Texas Siftings.

Home, Sweet Home.

She (thoughtfully)—George, dear, are there not times in your life when the pathos and truth of that most beautiful of all songs, "Home, sweet home, there is no place like home," appear to you in a startling vividness, and fill your soul with longing?

He (in baseball phrase)—Yes, indeed, particularly when Fanny Baird's hand here with two men out.—New York Sun.

A New Kind of "Pastoral" Poetry.

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A Variation of Hood.

I remember, I remember,
That burning house forlorn,
The little wind it wasn't the smell
Of hash cause in it no m.
I mind the broken looking glass,
The man toss like a peele,
The servant girl from County Clare,
Whose face would stop a clock.

I remember, I remember,
The gutta percha hen
The y used to give us chick of spring,
To thicken hungry men.
We danced it with dynamite,
We waved its bones full sore,
In sake Years a read by thousand,
For two or three days more.

I remember, I remember,
The next room's Swedish wight,
Who practiced the Hi tiei cornet
From early morn till night.
We stood his dreary "Peek-a-boo,"
"Sweet Viola" and "Long, Long Ago,"
But when he cried "We Never Speak,"
We walloused in his gore.

I remember, I remember,
The lengthy weekly bill,
Received by me with shudders and
The ag ffusion of a chill.
I also call to mind the night,
When no one was absent,
When into space I dropped my trunk,
And through the dark skipped after.
—Chicago Herald.

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PLAINFIELD, N. J., "THE COLORADO OF THE EAST," SATURDAY, JULY 30, 1887.

Few Will Miss Thee.

Few will miss thee, friend, when thou
For a month in dust hast lain.
Skilful hand and anxious brow,
Tongue of wisdom, busy brain—
All thou wert shall be forgot,
And thy place shall know thee not.

Some sweet bird may sit and sing
On the marble of thy tomb,
Soon to fill on joyous wing
From that place of death and gloom,
On some bough to warble clear:
But those songs thou shalt not hear.

Some kind voice may sing thy praise,
Passing near thy place of rest,
Fondly talk of "other days"—
But no throb within thy breast
Shall respond to words of praise,
Or old thoughts of "other days."

Since so fleeting is thy name,
Talent, beauty, power and wit,
It were well that without shame
Thou in God's great book were writ,
There is golden words to be
Graven for eternity.

—[Chambers' Journal.

The Russian Bloodhound.

In crossing the Strand, London, I *dodged the pole of one vehicle just in* time to be struck by the shafts of another, and, as the pavement was slippery, I went down, and the vehicle went over me, breaking my left leg below the knee. An hour later I was in my bachelor apartments (the work of the surgeon finished), and feeling that I ought to be thankful to have come off with my life, I was in for a siege of many weeks, and I had some business which must be attended to by an outsider. Therefore, after a day or two, I sent for Captain Jack Williams, an old acquaintance. He answered promptly enough, and we soon made very satisfactory arrangements. He was a bluff, honest fellow, out of active service, and having nothing to do, and the only unpleasant feature about his friendship was the fact of his owning a monster Russian bloodhound, the brute was his shadow. Where the dog could not go the Captain would not go. He refused all parties and receptions because of the dog. He refrained from excursions by land or sea because he would be temporarily separated from Czar, as he called the animal. The pair were well known in London, and the captain was as safe at midnight in the slums as any other man would be in the Strand at noonday. One glance at the dog was enough to show that he was as dangerous as a tiger. He made no friends either among dogs or men, and had miraculously escaped a dozen well-laid *traps to bring about his death.*

I hated Czar, and on two or three occasions I had reason to believe that the feeling was returned. When the Captain called and found me laid up, he had sense enough to know that the presence of the dog might annoy me, and he therefore left him in my landlady's room for a few minutes. The dog was usually prompt in obedience. On this occasion he obeyed in a grudging, sulky manner, and before leaving the room threatened me so plainly that I became apprehensive. The Captain agreed that Czar should not enter my sick room again, and in a couple of weeks I had forgotten all about the incident.

I had apartments on the second floor, three rooms in a row, with a hall along the front of the last two. The first room was for my servant, a man who had been with me for many years. The next was the reception room, and the third my sleeping room. One coming down the hall could enter at the door of either room. The bedroom and reception room were connected, but the servant's room was entirely shut off. It was a hot day in August, with all doors and windows open. I was feeling pretty well, though the pain was considerable, and a couple of my friends had just departed, after a brief call, when Henry, my servant, came in to see what he could do for me. I was flat on my back, as you know, with no chance to turn over on account of the leg, but I had him prop me up with two or three pillows. I then sent him for ice. He had but a few steps to go, and the doors were left open behind him. He had been gone about five minutes when in walked Capt. Williams' Russian bloodhound. I shouldn't have said walked; on the contrary he came running in, head up, tongue out, and his eyes as red as live coals. I saw him the moment he entered, and it passed through my brain like a flash that he was mad.

The door leading into the hall was open. Twice as the dog circled around the room he seemed on the point of going out, but each time changed his mind, whined in an uneasy way, and then continued his circling. He did not look for me at me. He was a large room, with the bed against the wall, and from the way the brute bumped against the chairs I believe he was nearly blind. He had been with me two or three minutes when the hall door was caught by a draught of wind *and slowly pulled to. It did not quite* shut. The dog noticed the movement, sprang to get out, and the result was that he pushed the door shut and snapped the spring lock. He then came into the reception room was still open, but the door from that into the hall was shut. The animal rushed into this room, upset a chair and bumped the table, and then came back whining, his tail down and his courage gone, and slunk under my bed. That the dog was suffering with hydrophobia there could be no doubt. As he returned from the reception room there was foam on his jaws, and he was so weak he staggered.

Had he been a well man and fully armed my situation would have been bad enough. There I was, perfectly helpless, locked in with the horror, and knowing that in eight or six hours before death came to him. My servant had a key to the door, and when he returned he would open it and walk in. There was not the slightest question but that the dog would at once attack him. I had two or three minutes in which to think, and it was wonderful how clear headed I was. I looked upon my own chances as hopeless, and therefore determined that when Henry returned I would call out to him before he got the door open. I was also concerned for fear the dog would get out of the building. It was a crowded neighborhood, and he might bite a score of people before he was destroyed.

It is said that the presence of a great danger sharpens the sense of hearing. I believe this to be true, for I have had several personal experiences. As I lay there waiting for my servant to return I plainly heard sounds which could not have come to my ears under ordinary circumstances. At the foot of the second flight of stairs, a distance of fully 70 feet from my bed, Henry was stopped by a young man who lodged on that floor. I heard him say:

"I was waiting here to tell you that Capt. William's brute of a dog passed up stairs a short time ago. Is the captain there?"

"He was not there when I left."

"And he has not come in after the dog! The animal had a scaly look, and you'd better be careful how you drive him out."

"Thank you, sir, I'll hurry right up."

I heard my man come up stairs and along the hall. As soon as he saw that my bedroom door was shut he seemed to suspect the worst, and he acted like a hero. He came down the hall on tiptoe, put his face close to the door, and sang out:

"Colonel, I know the big dog is in your room and I am going for help. If he comes near you shut your eyes and *pretend to be dead."*

The sound of his voice put the dog into a frenzy. He growled and snarled and snapped, and as the man hurried down the hall the beast rushed from under the bed with a dreadful howl and *began rushing around the room as be*fore. After making the circle of the bedroom four or five times, he dashed into the reception room. There is quite overturned the centre table, and in his fury he wrenched off a leg with his teeth and destroyed the upholstering of the sofa. I was terribly excited, and had I given way to my feelings I should have screamed out like a woman. I shut my eyes tightly, braced my nerves by chilling myself for a coward, and when the climax came I was fairly ready for it. I knew that the dog would sooner or later turn to me, and as he left the reception room he was on a full foot of the bed in two bounds. There was an open book lying there, and he seized and worried this for a moment. Then came walking up to my face, bearing his full weight on my broken leg, and giving me intense pain. My arms and hands were on the cover, and the foam from his mouth fell upon my bare flesh. He put both paws on my chest, and ran his nose over my face to smell of me, and he was all the time snarling and whining in a way to take the nerve away from the stoutest man.

I don't know whether he would have bitten me or not, could I have remained quiet, but such a thing as holding my nerves steady for over a minute was utterly impossible. I was feeling that I must throw up my hands and scream out when the beast leaped off the bed. He had been gone about five minutes when in walked Capt. Williams' Russian bloodhound. I shouldn't have said walked; on the contrary he came running in, head up, tongue out, and his eyes as red as live coals. I saw him the moment he entered, and it passed through my brain like a flash that he was mad.

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LAWS OF NEW JERSEY.

[BY AUTHORITY.]

CHAPTER CLXXVII.

A supplement to an act entitled "A general act relating to factories and workshops and the employment, safety, health and morals of children and women," approved March seventh, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five.

1. Be it enacted by the Senate and General Assembly of the State of New Jersey, That every person shall, within ten days after he begins to occupy a factory or workshop, notify one of the factory inspectors of such occupancy.

2. And be it enacted, That section two of the act to which this is a supplement be amended to read as follows:

2. And be it enacted, That all accidents in workshops, factories or mines, which prevent the injured person or persons from returning to work within two weeks, or which result in death, shall, within twenty-four hours after the occurrence of such two weeks, or after the death, as the case may be, be reported by the person in charge of such workshop, factory or mine, to one of the factory inspectors and to the city or district physician, whose duty it is in such an officer, which notice may be given by mail.

3. And be it enacted, That section six of the act to which this is a supplement be amended to read as follows:

6. And be it enacted, That no minor or woman shall clean any part of the mill gearing or machinery in any factory or workshop while the same is in motion, or pass between the fixed or traversing parts of any machine while it is in motion by the action of steam, water or mechanical power.

4. And be it enacted, That all factories, manufactories or establishments of workshop of two or more stories in height, in which fifty or more persons are employed above the first floor thereof, shall be provided with one or (if the proper officials deem necessary) more outside fire escapes, each not less than *six feet in length and three feet in width.*

5. And be it enacted, That hereafter no iron railings not less than three feet in height, and taking in at least two windows in each story, shall be placed in front of any factory or workshop, but that the same shall be constructed in such manner as to be at all times easily accessible and unobstructed as to egress; and the fire escape shall connect by iron stairs not less than twenty-four inches wide, the steps to be not less than six inches apart, and the stairs not more than an angle of forty-five degrees slant, and protected by an iron hand rail on both sides, with a twelve-inch wide drop ladder from the lower platform, reaching to the ground.

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ELECTRIC LIGHTS.

One Man's Dangerous Occupation in New York.

A Current That Would Kill an Army in a Second.

In a Broadway basement, at the corner of John street, writes a New York correspondent, is a circular iron plate on whose surface raised letters indicate that it belongs to Mr. Thomas A. Edison, America's greatest inventor. Every other evening about 8 o'clock, after the busy thoroughfare has been deserted by every sign of toil, excepting it may be the thirsty tramp and the thirstier policeman, an intelligent, neatly dressed man, carrying a medium-sized bag, emerges from the dusk and stops at the plate. From the box he draws a singular looking rug about two feet square and four inches thick, composed of loosely wound and more loosely woven cotton web. On this he kneels and, then with a queer assortment of cold chisels, cleaners, jimmies and wrenches removes the plate after much toil from the metal frame in which it was so firmly set. Beneath is a large square chamber whose walls and floor seem to be incrusted metal. Near both top and bottom are ponderous rings of polished copper separated and held in place by unrecognizable pads and washers of some dark substance that looks like silky India rubber. From each ring wires radiate, passing through the walls of the chamber and losing themselves in the earth below the pavement. The man covers his hand with a rubber glove and works a few minutes with that complicated attachments, here removing a piece, there loosening a screw, here changing the positions of a wire and there inserting an insular. As he paused I asked him which of the many electric systems begotten in Menlo Park he was engaged upon.

"This time upon the Edison illuminating, though I superintend several others and frequently am called in to consult upon electrical matters by outside concerns. To-night I am testing and regulating."

"Why do you take so many precautions?"

"Partly for my own safety and partly for the sake of doing first-class work. You see there is a current moving through those two mains, as we call them, that could kill 100,000 men in an instant. If through carelessness I put myself in its way and got its full force that would be the last of me. A year ago I was a little thoughtless in the clumsy, and slightly grounded the negative main.' That is, I touched that upper ring of copper when one knee was on the bare paving stone. Here's what the current did." He rolled up his coat and shirt sleeve, and displayed a muscular arm that looked as if it had been engraved with a chisel and then eaten with nitric acid to produce an etching plate. "I was in the hospital over a month for that, and it was so tough a scrape that I'll never forget it. I'll show you how strong that current is." He took a broken pair of fine pliers, and holding them with a cleft piece of wood touched one end of the upper copper ring and one to the steel cover rim. In an instant the gray metal broke into sparks and flame. He removed it with the remark: "That current would burn up a crowbar or a lamppost if it were properly directed."

"Is there much danger?"

"There used to be, but it grows smaller every day as we know more about handling electricity. It's like a horse sometimes that runs away. It will get into railroad tracks and knock a horse over and sometimes kill the animal. Sometimes it leaks out of the wires and gets into a water or steam pipe and then paralyzes some of these Italians you see digging up the streets nowadays. They think it's the devil and hold a prayer meeting."

Embalmed Peruvian Eyes.

C. T. Ward has lately returned from a seven years' residence in Chili. Among the South American curiosities Mr. Ward brought back with him is one of the eyes of a Peruvian Inca, which was preserved with the embalmed body. These curious specimens of the preservative art are very rare, and are very valuable when they are found entire. The specimen in the possession of Mr. Ward has the shape of a piece of wax that has been cast in a thimble. It is translucent and of a bright golden color, looking something like colored glass. Few people who see it for the first time would be able to discover from its appearance its true character. *But even to them it* would be surrounded by some mystery which they would be anxious to have revealed. It is related that a Peruvian lady had a collection of thirty or more eyes of this kind, valued at $30,000, which she had mounted and wore as ornaments at a ball in Paris. Efforts have been made to discover the secret of the art by which the eyes of the Peruvian monarchs were preserved, but up to this time no chemist has been able to make it his own. It is believed, however, that gold was one of the materials used, which would account, perhaps, for the color of the specimen.—San Francisco Call.

How Time Flew.

The brisk, lively housekeeper is described aptly in a new novel of western life, "Bury." "She was called a 'comegals kind of a woman' by neighbors, partly in ridicule of her enthusiasm and partly in admiration of her energy. It was told of her that she would get up before light on Monday, fly around, 'uncover' the fire, bang on the kettle and call up the ladder to the loft:

"'Come, gals! Dew start up'n start in! Today's Monday, to-morrow's Tuesday, 'n' next day's Wednesday, 'n' then comes Thursday, Friday 'n' Saturday—the hull week gone 'n' nothin' done.'"

Amply Supplied.

Head of firm—"If our collector has been rude, sir, I am sorry. I assure you we will give him no countenance."

Aggrieved Party—"He doesn't need any—he's got face enough now for anything."

CLIPPINGS FOR THE CURIOUS.

Over fifty poultry associations in the United States holding exhibitions, greatly advance the poultry interest.

Prudentius, in the fourth century, set notes to the breviary; and Flavianus established the first choir at Antioch.

The first stocking frame was invented by William Lee of Woodborough, Nottingham, England, in the year 1599.

The earliest parliamentary roll extant is of the eighteenth, Edward I. It is a grant to the king by several peers, for the marriage of his daughter.

The first regular census under the Constitution of the United States was taken in 1790-91, and it credited the Union with a population of 3,921,326 persons.

Ex-Mayor Davis of Tuscola, Ill., has a sand-hill crane that gives a shrill call twenty-four hours before every storm. He is 50 years old and has never failed in his prophecy.

It may not be known by everybody that there is no real black false hair. Black hair taken from the head fades a shade, and has to be colored to match even the head it was taken from.

Two men in Illinois recently engaged in an eating match to see which could increase his weight most by eating. It is stated that one added to his weight six and a quarter pounds and the other by six and a half pounds.

The skeleton of one of the ancient people who inhabited this country in the ages of its prehistoric prosperity was unearthed at Aaron Mason's camp on the Florence canal, Arizona territory, recently in the solid rock formed by the bed of the old canal of that ancient period.

According to Herodotus, Babylon was a square fifteen miles on each side, with 100 brass gates. It was composed of twenty-five streets each way, fifteen miles long and 150 feet broad, crossing each other at right angles, besides four half streets, 200 feet wide, facing the walls.

A carat of gold receives its name from the carat seed, or seed of the Abyssinian coral flower. This was at one period made use of when grains of gold were to be weighed, and so came about the peculiar and now general use of the word. Twenty-two carats fine means that out of twenty-four parts twenty-two are gold and all the rest alloy.

The Terrible Florida Hog.

Writing of the Florida hog the Palatka (Fla.) News says: We have seen his long tusks divide a dog like a sword—we have seen a panther so terribly wounded that the poor cat crept off in despair to die, while the hog rocked not at flowing blood from his own neck and shoulder, but proudly challenged a renewal of the fight. At Tocoi lately a hog made it a point to stand on the track whenever he saw the locomotive coming, and the considerate engineer stopped for four successive days to drive him off. At last, tired of humanity which aroused no gratitude, the train hands assembled by invitation to see that hog demolished. He was met on the track awaiting his coming and extra speed was drawn from fat pine hurled into the furnace with malice prepense. The hog raised his head in surprise when no stop was made, and, seeing his danger, started at a gallop down the track. In vain the engine rushed forward with maddening speed till the coaches rocked and ladies screamed in terror—when the train reached Palatka the hog was leisurely eating waste corn at Vertner's stable. That hog has since been struck by lightning, so that he is not for sale as a race-horse.

On another occasion the writer of this was sleeping in camp and around lay a pack of hounds who had often proved that a bear at bay brought no terror to their hearts and who carried scars honorably earned in strife with the wildcat and panther. But a number of these razor-backs came around in the dead of night, and when the dogs attempted to drive them off they charged like warriors true and tried. They swept off the dogs and charged over the hunters—blankets, guns, cooking utensils, and fishing rods became things of the past and stout men took refuge in the boats. Then, to save the dogs, revolvers entered into the fray, and finally the fierce grunters moved off in search of pastures new. With the early dawn came a long, lean man, who carried a rifle as long as himself, and he assessed the damages, which the hogs should have paid, and carried off the slain, which the victors did not want.

Mabel's Singing.

"Did you hear me singing, papa?" asked Mabel, as she tripped merrily into the room.

"I did, my child, I did."

"And how did you like it, papa dear?"

"I can't say that I enjoyed it very much."

"Not enjoy my singing?"

"Well perhaps it wasn't the singing I didn't like. It might have been the composition. Yes I think that it was the selection. I could have suggested considerable improvement upon it."

"How, papa. What change would you make?"

"I think the composition would sound much better if it were transformed into one, long, sweet, continuous rest."

And Mabel went and shut the piano with all her might.—[Merchant Traveler.

The Name of Solomon.

It is a curious coincidence, says the London Jewish Chronicle, that all the Jewish artists of any importance in England have had Solomon as part of their name. We have had Solomon Hart, the Royal Academician, the great Abraham Solomon, and among lesser lights several Solomons, including Simeon Solomon; and now we have the name of Solomon doubly borne by one of the most promising English artists of to-day. By his "Cassandra" of last year, and by his "Samson" in this year's Royal Academy, Mr. Solomon J. Solomon has achieved a position in English art but rarely gained by so young a man. He is, too, the son of a "hard-shell" Jew, to use Mr. Goodwin Smith's strange, but expressive phrase.

A Diver's Fight with a Shark.

A diver named Quintree had a remarkable fight with a formidable fish called the boultous, or bondro, a kind of shark which infests the Breton coast at Douarenez, the other day. Quintree had a narrow escape. The diver, an old salt, was employed by the government, and in pursuit of his daily labor duly descended in a diving apparatus, off the Douarnenez pier for the purpose of laying the foundation of an addition to that structure. While he was at the bottom of the sea the men who were working the air-pump in the pontoon boat above were suddenly frightened by feeling the alarm signal. They instantly pulled up, and brought a large boultous, nearly eight feet long, to the surface. The marine monster's head formed three-quarters of his length, and his under jaws were of immense size. Shortly afterward Quintree came up, his head being on the air pipe of his helmet, and his diving apparatus somewhat damaged. When he went down to his work he had scarcely got to the last rung of the ladder when he saw the sea monster lying between two huge lumps of rock. He had in his hands only his stone chisel and a hammer, and he intended to go up for a crowbar at once, but the fish was too fast for him. It came toward him through the gravel, over with its jaws wide open. Without losing a moment Quintree managed to wound the animal in the throat with his chisel, and then held it down on a stone while he drew his knife and made a hole in its body through which he passed a rope, and thus sent the fish to the surface. Had it not been for his quickness and dexterity *the diver, owing to the rents which the fish* would make in his apparatus, would have been drowned, and then devoured. As it happened, it was the boultous that was not only defeated but eaten, for its body was divided among the victor and his comrades who made a capital bouillabaisse of its prime parts.—[London Telegraph.

Mexican Crops.

Between San Juan del Rio and Queretaro the Mexican Central traverses the fields of Mexican farmers which raised 20,000 bushels of wheat a year. There are six or seven haciendas in the same locality where the crops reach 10,000 bushels; and 10,000 bushels of wheat means 40,000 bushels of corn, 2000 bushels of peas and 6000 bushels of beans on the same haciendas. That is the way the Mexican farmer of this part of Mexico diversifies his crops. He raises wheat, corn, beans and peas in about the proportion given. Occasionally there is a specialist like the man near Queretaro who goes into the raising of chile, the hot peppers of this country. This man usually has 60,000 chile plants or vines.

The big haciendas of this region is not in sight from the railroad. It is hidden by some hills. The Mexican who owns that place raised last year 16,000 bushels of wheat, 70,000 bushels of corn and 15,000 bushels of beans. Not long ago he decided to buy a ranch adjoining him and he paid $80,000 in cash for it. This Mexican has a thrashing machine, seed drills, sulky plows and five carriages of different patterns, but he still insists on making and using the old Mexican harness of rawhide strings. His mules have collars and pull the seed drills and the sulky plows by straps of rawhide across the breast. This combination of modern enterprise with some old-fashioned notions is ludicrous. There are farmers in this country and Queretaro who wouldn't think of going back to the old wooden stick plow now that they have tried the American steel share, and yet they scrupulously adhere to the old rule of using oxen of one color in the first half of the day and oxen of another color in the afternoon.—[Globe-Democrat.

Moving Two Trees.

There are two trees in the grounds at Vineland which were brought from the country seat of Miss Wolfe's fathers up-on the Hudson.

"Can it be done!" she asked of the landscape gardener who had undertaken to make her domains what they ought to be in the matter of trees and shrubs. She referred to the transplanting.

The landscape gardener was astonished.

"Pray, madam," *said he hesitatingly*, "have you considered the enormous expense of carrying out such a whim? It would cost at least—"

His questioner broke in impatiently. "That has nothing to do with it," she said. "I did not ask you what it would cost, but if it could be done. I repeat, is it possible?"

"Yes," answered the landscape-maker, "it is possible."

"Do it then," ordered the lady, "and let the expense be what it may. I want those trees in Newport."

And the trees came to Newport. They were taken up carefully, laid upon canal-boats, carried down the Hudson and along the Sound, making the entire journey by water. What must have been the astonishment of the sailors who saw the remarkable spectacle of what looked like a forest moving on the surface of the deep, Dame Gossip saith not. But the operation was successful. The much-traveled trees are flourishing with great vigor in Rhode Island soil, and never seemed a bit the worse for their long and remarkable journey, which cost about $1800.—[New York Letter.

Sleeping Alone.

It is very much healthier to sleep alone. The unhealthfulness of two persons occupying the same bed very much depends on the physical condition of either or both. If one is diseased, injury to the other is sure to result. The practice is unhealthful because the exhalations from the body of one come in contact with and are absorbed by the skin of the other, and because each one must, of necessity, breathe some of the air which has been breathed by the other, and consequently rendered impure.—[Herald of Health.

He Didn't Bite.

"No," said Tompkins, "I no longer call on Miss Robinson. You know she's a fine performer on the piano, but I got tired of hearing the same piece every time I called.

"What was the piece?" asked Titmarsh.

"*Mendelssohn's* 'Wedding March.'"—[New York Sun.

SCIENTIFIC SCRAPS.

It has been computed that the death rate of the world is about 67 a minute, 97,700 a day, and 35,679,925 a year, while the birth rate is 70 a minute, 100,800 a day, and 36,792,000 a year.

A recent computation makes the velocity of the solar system in space only about 16,000,000 miles a year. By a different method another computer has determined the rate to be about 825,000,000 miles in a year.

The penetration of largest guns on shipboard in 1860 was less than four inches of iron and less than three feet of granite. It is to-day thirty inches of iron, ten to twenty feet of granite, and seventy-five feet of earth.

A large piece of meteoric iron has been found in a bed of tertiary lignite, Upper Austria. This is the first find of that sort in distinct geological periods, a proof that meteoric stones fell also in former periods of the earth's existence.

An inclination of one inch in fifteen miles is sufficient to give motion to water. An inclination of three inches per mile in a straight, smooth channel will give a velocity of three miles per hour, while three feet per mile would produce a torrent.

In the Sydney (Australia) lighthouse is the largest electric light in the world. It has a power of 180,000 candles, and may be seen from ships fifty miles out at sea. The next largest is in the Palais d'Industrie, and has a power of 150,000 candles. The largest light in America is 24,000 candle power. It is at San Jose, California.

Professor Bolton expresses the opinion that the crowning glory of modern chemistry is the power of producing, in the laboratory, from inorganic matter, substances identical with those existing in the vegetable and animal kingdoms—it being known now that the same chemical laws rule animate and inanimate nature, and that any definite compound produced in the former can be prepared by synthesis as soon as its chemical constitution has been made out.

One of the most mysterious and remarkable of the changes witnessed in the solar system is the variation in the brightness of Jupiter's moons. Two of the four satellites occasionally cross the planet's disc as dark objects, although their sunny sides are presented to us, and should appear no less brilliantly illuminated than the planet itself. The third and fourth satellites often make these dark transits, and the first is sometimes seen as a brown object, but the second has never been noticed otherwise than as a bright disc.

Medicinal Qualities of Buttermilk.

For a summer beverage there can be nothing more healthy and strengthening than buttermilk. It is excellent for weak or delicate stomachs, and far better as a dinner drink than coffee, tea, or water, and, unlike them, does not retard but rather aids digestion.

A celebrated physician once said that if every one knew the value of buttermilk as a drink it would be more freely partaken of by persons who drink so excessively of other beverages; and further compared its effects upon the system to that of cleaning out of a rusty stove that has been clogged up with ashes that have sifted through, filling up every crevice and crack, saying that the human system is like the stove and collects and gathers refuse matter that can in no way be exterminated from the system so effectually as by drinking buttermilk. It is also a specific remedy for indigestion, soothes and quiets the nerves, and is very much relished by those who are troubled with sleeplessness.

There is something strange in the fact that people who are fond of buttermilk never tire of singing its praises; while those who are not fond of it never weary of wondering how some people can drink it. So far as possible, people should overcome their aversion to it and learn to drink it for health's sake. One gentleman of our acquaintance is so fond of it that we knew him one time to drink about three glasses, then set his glass down with a thud, exclaiming earnestly as he did so: "That's food and raiment both," while another buttermilk enthusiast made the statement once that where the liver has become lifeless from torpidity and inaction, and is too dead to perform its functions, buttermilk will cause a new one to grow in. Whatever exaggerated statements may have been made concerning buttermilk, its medical properties cannot be overrated, and it should be more freely used by all who can get it. Every one who values good health should drink buttermilk every day in warm weather, and let tea, coffee and water alone.

For the benefit of those who are not already aware of it, I may add, that in the churning, the first process of digestion is gone through, making it one of the easiest and quickest of all things to digest.

It makes gastric juice and contains properties that readily assimilate with it, with little or no wear upon the digestive organs.—[Chicago News.

A Pleasant Time.

"I have spent a most delightful evening, Miss Breezy," remarked young Mr. Waldo of Boston. "It is a good deal of a bore every time I come home an hour or two such as I have passed is peculiarly grateful and refreshing."

"Thanks, awfully!" responded Miss Breezy.

"As it is quite early," went on Mr. Waldo, "I would be very glad if you and your mother would go with me for a little ice cream."

"Thanks," said the young lady brightly. I presume mamma is agreeable, and as for myself, Mr. Waldo, my mouth is always wide open for that sort of thing."

His Last Resort.

"I am poor," he said to a Chicago girl; "and you are rich; but true love levels such distinctions, and—"

She interrupted him with one of the most positive negatives, if such an expression can be allowed, ever uttered in the windy city.

"This, then, is my last resort," he said desperately; and he displayed a silver-mounted revolver.

"You ought to get $5 or $6 on it," replied the girl encouragingly.

THE WORLD'S WASTE.

How Fortunes Are Yearly Thrown Away in Trifles.

Three Millions Wasted Annually in Lost Pins.

A writer in the Philadelphia Evening Call thus whimsically treats the subject of useless waste:

I wish I had a nickel for every dollar wasted in this country. Yes, I'll reduce that proposition to a cent on the dollar, and then retire rich in a few years. I don't mean wasted by the rich but by the poor and the moderately well off. And when I say waste, I don't include flowers, pictures or articles solely for the eye, nor do I consider it waste for a rich man to have a suit for every day in the year, or 300 pairs of pantaloons, like that estimable New York gentleman, Berry Wall. I mean waste in every day matter-of-fact articles such as everybody uses.

Let us take pins, for a starter. You have doubtless been asked what becomes of the pins, and don't know. Nobody knows; not even the English journal that recently offered a cash prize for a solution of the problem. They are lost, and that's all you can say about it. But why should they be lost? You don't lose your diamond pin, although it's not much larger than a common brass one. It is evident that the pins could be taken care of; that they ought to be, let figures attest. There are 60,000,000 people in the United States, and every one on an average loses five cents' worth of pins per annum. That makes $3,000,000 a year gone nowhere. Put 1 per cent. on that would give me $30,000 a year, enough to clothe me at any rate. Just think of $3,000,000 a year lost forever, as not one pin in 20,000,000 is ever found again.

But that is only a beginning. Let us take up cigars and pipes as the next article on the catalogue of waste. Don't be alarmed! I am not going to compute the cost of smoking and call it waste, because I am a smoker and have scruples. I am going to concede that money invested in tobacco is well invested and then open your eyes to another awful leak. Let us approach the subject gradually, because it is vast. There are 1,000,000 cigars a week smoked in this city and 2,000,000 pipe loads of tobacco. Don't ask me how I know this data—you put me out. Average cost of cigar to consumer, five cents; total cost, $50,000. Average cost of pipe load, one cent; total cost, $20,000. Grand total, $70,000 a week expended, and of this amount one-fifth is wasted. After long observation and careful calculation I find that one-fifth of each cigar is thrown away unsmoked and the same proportion of each pipe load. This may seem large, but I am confident that it is rather under the average, and it represents a loss of $14,000 a week, or $728,000 a year. Remember, this in Philadelphia alone, and I can safely multiply it by fifty to include the rest of the country. Grand total, $36,400,000, on which my percentage is $364,000. I already have a respectable income, you perceive.

I am only in the suburbs of this subject, and already I am appalled at the amount of territory that stretches before me. It is estimated by careful housekeepers that one-tenth of each pot of coffee or tea is not fit to drink, and what to do with the slops no one knows. Lumping the crusts of bread, ends of steak, dabs of butter, crumbs of cake and pie, remnants, I am within bounds when I say that one-tenth of every meal goes to waste, and since everybody eats, even if they don't smoke or drink, the aggregate must be enormous. I will not enter into figures, but will content myself with taking $50,000 a year as my percentage.

I have not finished, even if I do quit. In the matter of buttons there must be a large sum coming to me, and likewise in the item of matches. Very few persons make a match do its full duty. Then look at the unnecessary amount of paper that is used in making fires by women, when old paper is worth a cent a pound.

There are other things too numerous to mention, and I have not taken at all into account the things that are thrown away and return to their original elements, and so in a measure are not wasted. I am aware that the list is incomplete, and I feel sure you will be able to supplement it from your experience. But it will do for an example and serve to maintain me in idleness and ease during the remainder of my life. My percentage on the various wastages enumerated is the enormous sum of $1,219,600 and some small items not enumerated. With that income I could afford to do some wasting on my own account.

A tidy income, isn't it? How much have you contributed toward it?

Seats at Royal Processions.

The growth of prices for seats to see royal processions in London is noted in extant works on coronations. In Edward the First's time a farthing was given. On the accession of Richard II the price had risen to a penny. From Henry V's coronation to Henry VII's the sum asked was twopence, or half of a groom, or groat. A whole groat was charged in Henry VIII's day, and until Elizabeth, when a tester or tester, or sixpence, was charged. A shilling was given to view the coronation procession of James I; half a crown was the recognized figure in Charles II's time. A crown was paid in William III's day. Half a guinea was given at George II's coronation; and curiosity was considered to have risen to an amazing height when in some houses ten guineas, and in ordinary houses five guineas, were given to view the procession at George the Fourth's coronation.—[London Telegraph.

Doing Him an Injustice.

"I don't want that young poet around here any more," said a father to his daughter; "he will never amount to anything."

"Why, papa," responded the girl "George has discovered a sure cure for corns and bunions, and has given up poetry forever."

"Oh," said the father, "I'm afraid I've misjudged the young man. Just let things go on as usual."—[New York Sun.

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